



## Parish Mission Statement

“ Inspired by the Life and Work of the Venerable Patrick Peyton CSC, we the people of Attymass Parish strive to build a Community that is rooted in Gospel Values and is deeply committed to the Mission of Jesus. ”

# NEWSLETTER

MONTH OF MAY

## CHURCH DIARY THIS WEEK

VENUE	DATE	TIME	CELEBRATIONS AND INTENTIONS AND MEETINGS
Parish Church	Saturday 13th	7.30pm	Vigil Mass for Sixth Sunday of Easter Kevin Gillespie, Southampton, late of Byhalla <b>(Facebook Live)</b>
Parish Church	Sunday 14th	10.30am	Mass for the Sixth Sunday of Easter: People of the Parish
Parish Church	Monday 15th	9.30am	Donor's Intention
Fr. Peyton Centre	Tuesday 16th	12.15pm	Intentions of the Seniors Group <b>(Facebook Live)</b> .
Parish Church	Wednesday 17th	9.30am	Donor's Intention
Parish Church	Thursday 18th	————	<b>NO MORNING MASS</b>
Parish Church	Friday 19th	6.00pm	<b>Holy Hour till 7.15pm with Rosary</b>
Parish Church	Friday 19th	7.30pm	Donor's Intention
Parish Church	Saturday 20th	10.00am	Bridget & James Crean, Mullahowney
Parish Church	Saturday 20th	7.30pm	Vigil Mass for The Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord John, Kate & Sean Ferguson, Cullane <b>(Facebook Live)</b>
Parish Church	Sunday 21st	10.30am	Mass for The Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord: People of the Parish

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**NEWSLETTER ITEMS:** Under GDPR, the protection of your personal data is important to us. We are happy to include your notice in our Parish Bulletin, but please ensure that you have received the consent of any persons referenced before submitting a notice to us. Please submit items by **Wednesday evening at 8pm**, via email ([attymassparish@achonrydiocese.org](mailto:attymassparish@achonrydiocese.org)) if possible and please include your contact details. Thank you.

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**Fr. Peyton Memorial Centre St. Feichin's National School**  
**Opening Hours:**  
 Monday to Friday from 10am to 5.30pm  
 Saturday from 12.00pm to 5.00pm  
 If you need assistance please phone 096 45374. .

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**PARISH AND DIOCESAN SAFE GUARDING**  
[www.achonrydiocese.org/diocesan-policy](http://www.achonrydiocese.org/diocesan-policy)  
**PARISH REPRESENTATIVES**  
 Veronica Peyton and Hugh McHugh





### PLEASE PRAY FOR

We remember in our prayers **Tommy Carney**, Ballina and late of Carrick, **Marie Melody-Frith**, Coventry, (daughter of Kathleen and Seamus Melody, Currower) and all those whose anniversaries occur around this time. May they rest in peace.

### OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS

A sincere thanks to all who have handed in their contributions (the weekly envelopes) for the support of the parish. Please know that your support is very much appreciated and not taken for granted. Fr John

### CHURCH SAFETY

1. Please sanitise your hands as you enter the church.
2. **There is no room in the sacristy to accommodate people due to Covid-19 regulations. Please wait in your seat if you wish to see Fr. John**

### SUNFLOWER DAYS

Mayo Roscommon Hospice is looking for volunteers to help with National Sunflower days for hospice on Friday 9<sup>th</sup> & Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> June at local stores in Mayo. Any hours you can give would be most appreciated. Please email [info@hospice.ie](mailto:info@hospice.ie) or contact 0949388666

### DIOCESAN PRIESTHOOD

**‘Take the Risk for Christ’. Priesthood in Achonry Diocese – Have you the courage to “Take the Risk for Christ”?** Contact Our Vocations Director, Fr Paul Kivlehan, The Presbytery, Ballaghaderreen, Co. Roscommon. Tel. 094 - 9860011, Mobile 087 - 3683535, E-mail [pkivlehan@achonrydiocese.org](mailto:pkivlehan@achonrydiocese.org) or contact any local priest for more information.

### YOUTH GROUP

The Pastoral Council would like to get Youth Group started in the parish and they will need help in establish this group. If you are interested in helping with the Youth Group please contact Pastoral Council member or Fr. John.

### ALZHEIMER’S TEA DAY

Maureen Naughton is hosting a fundraiser Tea Day on Saturday 27th May at 10am to 2pm for the Alzheimer’s Society in honour of her mum, Mary Durkan. The post code is F26 Y243  
All welcome

### KNOCK PILGRIMAGE

The Pilgrimage takes place on Sunday 21st May. All parishioners are invited to come to Knock for this day of prayer and reflection. The official Programme is as follows: 2pm Rosary, 2:30pm Anointing of the Sick in the Basilica, 3pm Concelebrated Mass in the Basilica, followed by Benediction and Rosary. Our Lady Of Knock, Pray for us.

### PASTORAL COUNCIL

The Pastoral Council meet during the week and the following officers were elected Chairperson Patrick Murphy and Secretary Maria Conlon

**Corpus Christi:** Will be celebrated on Sunday 4th June. It was agreed that there will be a short procession after the 10.30am Mass

### CEMETERY MASSES

The dates of the Parish Cemetery Masses are as follows: Old Killeen Friday 14th July at 7.30pm, New Killeen Sunday 30th July at 10.30am, Bonnifinglas Sunday 6th August at 11.00am

### VICTIM ASSISTANCE

Fundraising concert for Victim Assistance Charity, featuring John McNicholl and Sandy Kelly takes place in the Town Hall Theatre, Claremorris on Thursday 18th May at 8pm. Tickets from [townhall.ie](http://townhall.ie) and on the door on night of show Your support is needed and will be very much appreciated. Raffle on the night. Victim Assistance supports all victims of crime and trauma throughout the country and if you or someone you know is a victim, please contact us on FREEPHONE 1800 277 477

### LOUGH DERG

Lough Derg Three Day Pilgrimage, Friday 23rd June - Sunday 25th June. A special discounted rate of €50 is offered to WYD Pilgrims. Booking by individual pilgrims [info@loughderg.org](mailto:info@loughderg.org), group bookings [groupreservations@loughderg.org](mailto:groupreservations@loughderg.org). For more information contact James McLoughlin [james@clogherdonoige.org](mailto:james@clogherdonoige.org).

### FR. PEYTON CENTRE

**Opening Hours:** The Fr Peyton Centre will be open Monday to Friday from 9.30am to 5.30pm and on Saturday from 12noon to 5.30pm.

### WEDDING

We extend congratulations and best wishes to Jacinta Hennigan and Charly Velon who were married in our Parish Church on Saturday 6th May.

### ANAM CARA

Anam Cara Mayo, the organisation that supports bereaved parents will meet Tuesday 23rd May at 7:15pm in the T. F Royal Hotel , Castlebar, Co. Mayo. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not. We now also offer an online support service too. Please contact us on [info@anamcara.ie](mailto:info@anamcara.ie) or 085 2888 888 for any queries.

### BIODIVERSITY WEEK

Celebrate National Biodiversity Week 2023 with a special day-long programme of activities, walks and talks exploring the variety of natural life in the grounds of the National Museum of Ireland - Country Life. This Biodiversity Day, in partnership with the National Parks and Wildlife Service, guest experts and educators, takes place from 11am to 5pm, on Saturday, 20 May. This is a free event suitable for all ages. No booking required. Visit [www.museum.ie/country-life](http://www.museum.ie/country-life) for further information

### MOY DAVITTS

Congratulations to Sophie McDonnell, Bonniconlon who won a jackpot of €475 in the Moy Davitts 50/50 draw last Saturday A huge thank you to everyone who supported last week's draw, it is greatly appreciated. Tickets are available in the usual retail outlets and by clicking <https://smartlotto.ie/Bohola-moy-davitts>

### PARISH MINISTRIES

#### Saturday 20th May

**Reader:** Tony Gallagher

**Eucharist:** Mary Lavelle

#### Sunday 21st May

**Reader:** Ann Timlin

**Eucharist:** John Joe Gallagher

### BEATIFICATION PRAYER

Dear Jesus, the Venerable Patrick Peyton devoted his priestly life to strengthening the families of the world by calling them to pray together everyday, especially the Rosary. His message is as important for us now as it was during his life on earth. We beg you, therefore, to hasten the day of his beatification, so that your faithful people everywhere will remember his message that *the family that prays together stays together*, will imitate him in his devotion to your Mother and ours, and will be inspired by his holy life to draw ever closer to you with childlike confidence and love. Amen