

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 FEBRUARY / MARCH
CHURCH DIARY THIS WEEK**

VENUE	DATE	TIME	CELEBRATIONS AND INTENTIONS AND MEETINGS
Parish Church	Saturday 25th	6.30pm	Confessions until 7.15pm
Parish Church	Saturday 25th	7.30pm	The Vigil for the First Sunday of Lent (Facebook Live).
Parish Church	Sunday 26th	10.30am	The First Sunday of Lent: The People of the Parish
Parish Church	Monday 27th	7.00am	Holy Souls (Facebook Live)
Fr. Peyton Centre	Tuesday 28th	12.15pm	Intentions of the Seniors Group (Facebook Live).
Parish Church	Tuesday 28th	7.00pm	Holy Hour for Lent until 8.00pm
Parish Church	Wednesday 1st	9.30am	Donor's Intention
Parish Church	Thursday 2nd	9.30am	Donor's Intention
Parish Church	Friday 3rd	7.00pm	Stations of the Cross
Parish Church	Friday 3rd	7.30pm	The Sick of the Parish
Parish Church	Saturday 4th	12.00pm	Confessions until 1.00pm
Parish Church	Saturday 4th	7.30pm	The Vigil for the Second Sunday of Lent Peggy & Tony Conlon, Cullane Val Gilboy, Leeds (Facebook Live).
Parish Church	Sunday 5th	10.30am	The First Sunday of Second: The 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) if possible and please include your contact details. Thank you.

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Fr. Peyton Memorial Centre
Opening Hours: Monday to Friday
9.30am to 5.30pm. Phone 096 45374.

St. Feichin's National School
 Telephone 096-45076
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PARISH AND DIOCESAN SAFE GUARDING
www.achonrydiocese.org/diocesan-policy
PARISH REPRESENTATIVES
 Veronica Peyton and Padraic Walsh





PLEASE PRAY FOR

We remember in our prayers **Peter Quinn**, Ballinacurra, Limerick, (brother of Eugene Quinn, Curradriah and Tony Quinn, Currower) and **John Carey**, Killala (Uncle of Nuala O'Brien, Attymass N.S.) and all those whose anniversaries occur around this time and we also remember all who have passed away during the coronavirus pandemic. 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

SAFETY MEASURES

1. Please sanitise your hands as you enter the church.
2. People are encouraged to wear Face masks
3. Holy Communion will be distributed into the hand only
5. Newsletters are single use items. If you take one upon entering the Church, please bring it home – do not leave in the seats.
6. **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 me. Fr. John**

ATTYMASS N.S.

Attymass National School are now taking enrolments for the school year 2023-2024. If you wish to enrol your child/children in the school, please contact the school on 096-45076 or email office@attymassns.ie for enrolment form

BONNINCONLON CE SCHEME

The following vacancies are on the Bonniconlon scheme at the moment: Parish Secretary (Attymass area) Ref: 2259554, General Operative (Bonniconlon area) Ref: 2259540. DSP criteria applies. To check eligibility contact Intreo Office, Ballina

ANAM CARA

Anam Cara Mayo, the organisation that supports bereaved parents will meet Tuesday 28th February 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 or 085 2888 888 for any queries.

BISHOP'S PASTORAL LETTER

Bishop Paul Dempsey has written a Pastoral Letter entitled "*A time of Crisis is a time of the Spirit.*". The Pastoral Letter sets before us issues for our Diocese and our future. Bishop Paul is asking all parishioners to take a copy home and they are available at the back of the church.

TROCAIRE

In 1973 the bishops of Ireland founded Trócaire in response to injustice and suffering in the developing world. Today Trócaire provides support to areas in great need around the world, empowers peoples in these areas to develop skills and abilities to cope with crises, and creates greater awareness of global issues in Ireland. With your donation to our Lenten campaign, Trócaire can continue its life-changing work and bring hope and joy to those with whom we are privileged to work. www.trocaire.org This year's Trócaire appeal focuses on Somalia. The Trócaire boxes are available at the back of the Church

LENT 2023

The Mondays of Lent at **7.00am** morning Mass. Lent Holy Hour Tuesday evenings from **7.00pm-8.00pm**

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

The Stations of the Cross will take place on a Friday evening during Lent at **7.00pm** followed by evening Mass at **7.30pm**

PARISH CONFESSIONS

Confession will be available on the Saturdays during Lent at the following times: Saturday 25th February, 6.30pm-7.15pm, Saturday 4th March, 12pm-1pm, Saturday 11th March, 6.30pm-7.15pm, Saturday 18th March, 12pm-1pm, Saturday 25th March 6.30pm-7.15pm, Saturday 1st April 12pm-1pm

BAPTISM

We welcome into our Christian Community **Éabha Mae Quinn**, Firhouse, Dublin, who was baptised in our Parish Church on Saturday 12th February 2023. We ask God's blessing upon her and her family at this time

MOY DAVITTS

Congratulations to Garry McHale, Castlebar who won a jackpot of €430 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>

TRAINING COURSE

Are you interested in doing a training course to give you the skills to work in Hospitality?. Are you receiving a DA payment or do you need assistance in finding employment?. The course covers HACCP, Barista, Customer Care & 1st Aid training. In addition a work placement in a local hotel or restaurant will be secured for you. The classroom based training on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday is held in Westport. Call Ruairi at 087 1202617 or email ruairi.hughes@nln.ie "

BIBLE STUDY / LECTIO DIVINA

Bible Study/ Lectio Divina (Praying with Scripture) led by Stephen Giblin. Each Monday evening during Lent we will take a look at some of the most renowned Gospel stories to see how they relate to our lives. We will also explore the practice of Lectio Divina "Praying with Scripture." Mondays 27th February, and the 6th, 13th, 20th, and 27th March. 7.30 pm at Foxford Social Services Centre, Chapel Rd, Foxford, F26 Y1X9

God does not want our deeds; God wants the love that prompts them.
Saint Teresa of Avila

PARISH MINISTRIES

SATURDAY 4th March 2023

Reader: Christine Tolan
Eucharist: Mary Lavelle

SUNDAY 5th March 2023

Reader: Noreen Quinn
Eucharist: Maura Tolan

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