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**Your prayers please:** list to 28 July by date.

List of anniversaries, past 20 years, since '04.

**Tommie Scanlon** 60 of Taverane & Boyle, who died Mon. 22 July, predec. by parents Tommy & Celia, brother Tony 5.12.'02. Tommie had been a talented musician singer, member of several bands 1990's / 2000's, recorded LP with The Clan; Cadenza; McTíre. Steve Wickham with Ray Coen & Anna Houston played at the Mass & at cemetery. See RIP.ie - Condolences.

**Michael McDonnell**, Cloonfeightrin, Thurs.

25 July. Sympathy to his sisters Philomena Gallagher, Cloonlarin & Mary in London.

John Sexton, 28.07.'22

Chris Harrison, Monasteraden, & Headingley,

Leeds; caretaker Cloonloo NS 2004-'20\ 28.7.20.

Eugene E.J. O'Connor, Ratharmon, 28.7.'10

Beatie Phelan, 29.7.'14 & husb. Paddy, 24.7.'18

Chris (Martin) Gray, Boleyhelly, 30.7.'22

Sean McGovern, Gurteen & Strandhill, 31.7.'19

Tommy Finn, of Dooballa, 31.7.'14

Lily Toolan, Mahanagh, 31.7.'07

Margaret Kane née McDonagh, of Shraugh & Culfadda, 1.8.'21.

Annie Duffy, Kilfree, 1.8.'20

Margaret Costello, Knock, 2.8.'14, mother of the late Margaret Maree, Cuilmore.

Bridie McGrath, Killaraght, 2.8.'17

Mickey McGarry, Kingsland, 3.8.'20 husb. of Mary, sister of Joe Duignan, Lisserlough.

Winifred (Keane) Sugrue, Kilfree / N.Y. 3.8.'19 aunt of Winnie Mannion & Mary Barney.

Shane Taheny, Moygara & Trim, 3.8.'22

Nan Drury. Derrycough, Kingsland, 3.8.'16

Des (Mark Desmond) Casey, Dooballa 4.8.'22

Mary Teresa Murphy, Kilfree, 4.8.'21

Terence Harrington, of Kingsland, 4.8.'18

Paddy Loughrey, Mullaghroe/Hereford, 4.8.'15

**The Sacred Heart Messenger** offers 3 free to read articles each month on [www.messenger.ie](http://www.messenger.ie)

## Parish Newsletter 27<sup>th</sup>/ 28 July 2024

17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

All Masses in Gurteen, Sundays & weekdays, are online at [www.churchtv.ie/gurteen](http://www.churchtv.ie/gurteen) & also on radio 106.5 FM The latest Newsletter is also available on [www.churchtv.ie/gurteen](http://www.churchtv.ie/gurteen) Also, on **Gurteen Parish - Facebook** page.

### St. Patrick's Church, Gurteen.

Sun. 11.30 John Sexton 28.7.'22 & the decd. of the Sexton & Cawley families.

Shane Taheny 3.8.'22,

parents Séan & Madge 5.5.'23.

Mon. 10.00 Beatie Phelan 29.7.'14, husb. Paddy Seán & Francie Flynn, \ 24.7.'18 Mary Kate & Jim Spellman & decd.

Tues. 10.00 The Community, Living & Decd.

Wed. 10.00. Mass. Thurs. 10.00 Mass.

Fri. 7.00 Annie Duffy 1.8.'20, husb. Joe daughter Jacinta & husb. Seamus \26.12.'20.

Sat. 10.00 No Mass. Wedding in Killaraght.

Sun. 11.30 Marie McGill, Mweelroe, who died 30 June. Month's Mind.

**Adoration** of Holy Eucharist, Wed. 7 - 8pm

### St. Joseph's Church, Cloonloo.

Sat. 7.00 Frank Tighe 26.7.'85, wife Mary, PJ Paddy Killoran, Annie Hessing, & decd. of the Tighe & Gunning families.

Sat. 7.00 Francis Duffy of Carrantample, who died 3 Dec., requested by school friends.

### St. Attracta's Church, Killaraght.

Sun. 9.30 Bridie McGrath, Reask, 2.8.'17 & decd. of the Simpson & McGrath families.

Fri. 10.00 **No** Mass. Wedding on Sat. 12noon.

Sun. 9.30 Seamus Drury, 7.8.'21, parents James & Annie Kate.

**Feastdays:** Week 17 Ordinary Time, Cycle 2

Mon. 29th. Ss. Martha, Mary & Lazarus.

Tues. 30th. St. Peter Chrysologus, Ravenna

Wed. 31<sup>st</sup> St. Ignatius Loyola Jesuits 1491-1556

Thurs. 1<sup>st</sup> Aug. St. Alphonsus Liguori, d. 1787

Mass in **Templeronan** - Sun. 4 Aug. at 4pm.

**Killaraght** Old Cemetery - Sun. 11 Aug. 1pm.

**Gurteen Cemetery Mass**, in spite of rain, this Sat. Thank you to all who helped & took part.  
**The New Envelope Boxes** - some still remain to be collected. 'Thank you' to all who use their envelope contributing so faithfully. Envelopes, if given in at other churches, come back to us. If you do not have a box, please ask or phone.

**Wedding** Congratulations & Best wishes to Conor Larkin & Adèle Maguire, both of Co. Louth, making their home at Eamon Kelly's, who will marry in Killaraght Church next Sat.

**Lourdes** Pilgrimage Fund Collection last w/e blue envelope. Thank you for your support.

**Medjugorje Pilgrimage** - 9 to 16 Oct. €855 ex Knock direct to Mostar-Medjugorje with Marian Pilgrimages. Leaders Carol Earley 087-9581495 & Tommy Moran 086-0815635.

A **Special Evening** to send-off our Sligo Rose of Tralee, Megan McCormack, Cloonloo Hall on Fri. 2 Aug. at 7pm. All are welcome.

Actual Tralee Rose nights - Sun. 18, Mon. 19<sup>th</sup>.

**Charity fundraiser** - over 40s soccer match in aid of North West Hospice. Hosted by our Sligo Rose Megan Mc Cormack, next Sun. 4 Aug., Gurteen Community Sportsfield. Kick off 5pm."Battle Of The Brave' two managers go head to head - Denis Johnston V Mikey O'Grady. Trophy The Rose Cup, sponsored by Roisin Dubh. Donation buckets on the day. Music & Celebrator Night after in Roisin Dubh, with a sponsored raffle to support OUR SLIGO ROSE.

**www.ballagherreenartsfestival.com** starts next Sat. 3rd. to Sun. 11 Aug. On 3rd, 4th, 5th. 'The Cripple of Inishmaan', directed by Julie Sharkey, at 7.30, in St. Nathy's College. Wed. 7th. at 7.30 pm, Classical at the Cathedral Vivaldi's Cello Concerto & Dvorak's Silent Woods performed by cellist Ailbhe McDonagh with new Irish ensemble 'Anamus', & more.

**Eastern Harps** 50/50 draw last Mon. 22 July Jackpot €574 - to Breda Forkin, Keash.

**Gurteen Celtic Lotto** 1, 17, 18, 27. J'pot not won. €50 Kathleen Walsh. €4,700 - 28<sup>th</sup> - Mr D's.

**Bingo** Fri. at 8pm. Jackpot €1,800 in 45 calls. Lotto Raffle Jackpot €200. Also, 50/50 Split.

**World Day for Grandparents & the Elderly** this Sun. the closest to Feast (26 July) of Saints **Joachim and Anne** - Grandparents of Jesus. **National Grandparents' Day** this Sunday, a very special day at Knock Shrine, celebrating the gift of grandparents, living & deceased.

Celebrant - Archbishop Luis Mariano Montemayor, Papal Nuncio of Ireland.

The new **Creation Walk** in grounds of Knock Shrine - waymarked pathways are signposted by 30 markers along the route, encouraging pause & prayerfully reflect on God's Creation.

**Ukrainian family**, presently living in Gurteen, seeks a house under ARP (Accommodation Recognition Payment Scheme, €800 allowance per month); the family will pay all utilities. Owner is selling the one they are in. Contact, please, Fr Joe Caulfield, 087-2473234.

See fuller notice on Gurteen Parish Face book & [www.churchtv.ie/gurteen](http://www.churchtv.ie/gurteen) - latest Newsletter

**Article in The Furrow** (June), by Fr Eugene Duffy, of Achonry Diocese - Reflections in a Distant Mirror: Observations on the Recent Merging of Irish Dioceses on website of the Association of Catholic Priests <https://associationofcatholicpriests.ie/>

**www.accord.ie** - newly redesigned website for Marriage Preparation & Marriage Counselling. Book online by county - Prepararation Course at McWilliam Hotel, Claremorris, Fri. eve 20<sup>th</sup> & Sat. 21 Sept. Early booking advised, due to less courses available. Counselling rooms at Convent Rd., B'derreen & Moneen, Castlebar. **5 Step Support Service** - if you are affected by the misuse of alcohol or other drugs by another individual? The 5 Step Support can help you; free, non-judgemental, one - one consultation service. Puts your needs & well-being first, helps you manage often stressful, difficult, emotional issues. Info 071-9150578 or 085-875 9319 Open hours: Mon., Tues., Wed. 9am - 5pm.

**Sinead Johnston, Conor McDonagh**, Conor Connolly & Ryan Sheridan, in Coleman Music Centre on Wed. 31<sup>st</sup> at 8pm. Tickets €15, from 071-9182599 [www.colemanirishmusic.com](http://www.colemanirishmusic.com)

**Keash Garland Festival** this Sun. 28<sup>th</sup>. Family Fun Day at Fr. Kevin Memorial Park, from 2pm.

**Ukrainian Family seeks a house in Gurteen**, in surrounding countryside, or in Co. Sligo.

We are a family from Ukraine looking for a house under the ARP scheme.

My name is Vasyl, my wife Nataliia, we have two sons Artem 16, Maksym 14, and our 4 year old daughter, Solomiia.

We moved from hotel in Rosses Point to No. 8 Flannery Terrace, Gurteen.

The 6 months residence contract for us in this dwelling expired on July 25th.

Due to owner's intention to sell the house the contract is not being extended for us.

We were given one month's notice.

We wish to continue living in Gurteen, or nearby, since our daughter Solomiia is to start in Carn N.S., Artem & Maksym could continue to go by bus to Ballinode College, where they first started.

We have a car (from Ukraine), so a house in the country would also suit us.

We do not have pets. Vasyl is electrician.

We would be very grateful for your help.

**Our contacts, by WhatsApp:  
Nataliia 067-588-5718 and Artem  
(speaks English) 087-474-7407**

Thanking you for your kind consideration, Vasyl.

ARP = Accommodation Recognition Payment Scheme

For a pledged house or apartment, furnished, there is an €800 allowance, paid per month, not taxed. The family pays for all utilities. The initial contract is for 6 months, that can be extended.

See - [www.gov.ie/en/publication/e03af-accommodation-recognition-payment-scheme-general-information/](http://www.gov.ie/en/publication/e03af-accommodation-recognition-payment-scheme-general-information/)

**Independent Catholic News ICN** worthwhile website - [www.indcatholicnews.com](http://www.indcatholicnews.com)

**Céilí House on RTE Radio 1** this Sat. featured Philip Duffy speaking of his recent new book entitled 'On the Night' - about the bands that took part, winners, adjudicators, at All-Ireland Céilí Band competitions 1951 to 2021. Over 1000 pages, with double CD, extraordinary.

**Childcare practitioner** required for Rainbow Road Pre-School, at Mullaghroe NS. For details; phone Bridget 086-0691845.

**Please note** - Newsletter is usually uploaded on Sat. eve to [www.churchtv.ie/gurteen](http://www.churchtv.ie/gurteen) (in pdf) Extra & late notices are often added.