



Sunday 23 March Killeen 10.00 a.m.
 Thomas O Grady.
 Michael Ruane, Thallabawn, 37th anniversary.
 Bridget Ruane, Thallabawn, 16th anniversary.

Sunday 23 March Louisburgh 11.30 a.m.
 Tim Torphy, The Tuirlings and Dublin, Month's Mind.
 Tommy Duffy, 1st anniversary.
 Austin and Clementine Lyons, 24th & 22nd anniversaries.

Monday	24 March	10.00 a.m.
Tuesday	25March	10.00 a.m.
Wednesday	26March	10.00 a.m.
Thursday	27March	No Mass
Friday	28 March	10.00 a.m.

Liturgical Ministries Killeen: March
 Eucharistic: Martina Fadden
 Reader : Carmel Austin
Liturgical Ministries Louisburgh: 30 March
 Eucharistic : John Joe Gibbons, Eileen Maxwell

R.I.P. Pray for Norah Ann Brennan nee O'Malley, Co. Galway formerly of Furmoyle.

 Austie Needham Chicago , who has passed away in Chicago, brother of John Needham feenone.

Newsletter notices: Anniversary Masses and notices for the newsletter must be sent in no later than Thursday Morning.

Adoration in Killeen Church Monday evenings, 7.00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m.

St. Vincent de Paul:
 For assistance, please contact 087 921 0885 in confidence.

Sunday 30 March Killeen 10.00 a.m.
 Rory Staunton.
 Tommy and Teresa Staunton & deceased family.

Sunday 30 March Louisburgh 11.30 a.m.
 John Ruane, Mooneen.
 Noreen Maxwell Folan.
 John Tiernan, 3rd anniversary.
 Jimmy McNeill and deceased of the McNeill & Foye families.
 Maureen Duffy, Fallduff.
 Annie Duffy, Roonagh Point, 4th anniversary and her daughter, Martina, 17th anniversary.

Pope Francis prayer for the coming year 2025.
 Every month, Pope Francis asks Catholics around the world to pray for a particular intention.

March: For families in crisis Let us pray that broken families might discover the cure for their wounds through forgiveness, rediscovering each other's gifts even in their differences.

Louisburgh Choir Practice Monday evenings at 6.30 p.m. in St Patrick's Church. All children from 1st class upwards and their parents are invited to take part. New members very welcome.

Confirmation Confessions
Killeen Tuesday 25 March 7.00 p.m.

Confirmation: Monday 07 April
Louisburgh 11.00 a.m.
Killeen 2.00 p.m.

First Confessions
Louisburgh: Wednesday, 02 April, 7.00 p.m.
Killeen: Thursday, 03 April, 7.00 p.m.

First Holy Communion
Killeen Sunday 11 May 10.00 a.m.
Louisburgh Sunday 18 May 11.30 a.m.

You Shall be my Witnesses: Those preparing for the sacrament of Confirmation will be participating at both our Masses this Sunday, 23 March.

Please take a Trócaire Box home with you and put your Lenten sacrifice to good use.

The Trócaire's box appeal this Lent is focused on Ilma and Julio's family, who live in a small village in the department of Alta Verapaz in central Guatemala. This small Maya Q'eqchi community is made up of 24 families and its name 'La Paz' means peace, but community are being pushed further into poverty by climate change. The cycle of drought and tropical storms are destroying crops and livelihoods.

The community eat the food they grow but cardamom crop is sold as their main source of income. Last year, the cardamom crop was damaged by drought and then washed away by floods. Maize had been planted but it was destroyed by drought. Families like Ilma and Julio's have been completely upended by this prolonged drought.

Your support is vital

The communities and families we work with are increasingly affected by erratic weather patterns caused by climate change. The deep injustice of this is that those who have done least to cause the climate crisis, and who have the least capacity to absorb and recover from its impact, or adapt in response, are suffering most severely from its impacts.

This is why we are urging people to support the Trócaire Box appeal this Lent.

CUP OF TEA? Moter Neurone disease fundraiser after 11.30 Mass on Sunday 30 March in the Town Hall

Cheques drawn on U.S. and foreign Banks

Irish Financial Institutions will not accept U.S. Dollar cheques made out for smaller amounts. U.S. Bank fees can be multiples of the actual worth of the cheque when they are returned to the U.S. for Payment. Thanks to all who contribute to our Parish but we have to ask that cheques are made out in Euro and drawn from Irish Financial Institutions. Donations can also be made by debit/credit card through the facility on our website. www.louisburghparish.ie/donate

Lough Derg:

Three day pilgrimage to Lough Derg.

Friday 30 May to Sunday 01 June

Bus departing from St Mary's Church, Westport at 8.00 a.m.

For more details and bookings contact on 087 7401391. www.loughderg.org

Eucharistic Adoration

Calling ALL ADORERS of the Blessed Sacrament in Tuam DIOCESE National Eucharistic Adoration Pilgrimage to Knock on Sunday 06 April (weekend of 5th Sunday of Lent)

A Sensory Friendly Mass takes place in the Parish Church at Knock Shrine on the last Sunday of every month at 12.30 p.m. For queries and more information, contact Nicola at faithrenewal@knockshrine.ie

Tuam Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock, Sunday, 04 May. Ceremonies commence at 2.30 p.m.

Tuam and Killala Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes, led by Archbishop Francis Duffy, Friday 29 August to Thursday 04 September (6 nights). Contact 01 2410800 for details and booking.

Louisburgh Childcare Fundraiser: Louisburgh Childcare is hosting Bingo in the Louisburgh Town Hall on Sundays , 16 and 30 March and Sunday 13 April .

Doors open at 7.00 p.m. with bingo starting at 7.30 p.m.. A raffle will be held on each night also!