

# PARISH OF TERMONAMONGAN (AGHYARAN)

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## SUNDAY 5 JULY 2020 FOURTEENTH SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME (YEAR A)

**'COME TO ME ALL YOU WHO LABOUR AND ARE OVERBURDENED, AND I WILL GIVE YOU REST' (St Matthew 11:28)**

Jesus' comforting invitation, above, goes out to all of us. In times of trial, God is always there for us – not to magically resolve our problems, but to journey with us, strengthen us and share in the crosses that we carry. So, whatever demands life may make on us, whatever difficulties or pain we may be experiencing, we are asked to open our heart to the God of all consolation. When we turn to Him with humble and child-like simplicity, with trust in His will and love for us, then the grace of the inner peace of Jesus will be ours.

*'Shoulder my yoke and learn from me.....you will find rest for your souls.'*

### SUNDAY MASSES:

**Vigil Mass: Saturday 6.00pm – Aghyaran**

**Sunday: 11.00am – Aghyaran**

### WEEKDAY MASSES:

**Tuesday: 10.00am, Aghyaran, Thursday: 10.00am, Aghyaran**

**All our Masses will continue to be live-streamed**

**To access the live-streaming, log into: [www.castledergparish.com](http://www.castledergparish.com) or [www.parishofaghyaran.com](http://www.parishofaghyaran.com)**

**THE STEWARDS** at our Sunday Masses are there to help us all to keep safe while at Mass. We thank them for volunteering their services. The co-operation of everyone will be very much appreciated.

**THANK YOU** to all who returned envelopes this week. The weekly collection amounted to £747 and the Church Restoration Fund collection amounted to £550. Envelopes can still be returned to the Parochial House, although a box for collecting envelopes is available in the church, as you enter. (The collection will not be taken up in the normal manner). **A Parishioner kindly donated £1000 to help with Parish expenses. This generous gift will help to pay the cost of installation of the webcam that has been a great blessing to all of us over these challenging times. It goes without saying that the webcam will continue to be used since it helps us to stay connected to family and friends who are either housebound or who live away from home.**

**BAPTISMS:** If you wish to book a Baptism, please email me the child's name and date of birth, and the names, address and contact number of parents. Priority will be given to the children who were born before lockdown began. All ceremonies will be performed individually and I will be flexible about when they will be carried out. Your patience, while we try and suit everyone's circumstances as best we can, will be appreciated. Thank you.

**SACRAMENTAL DATES:** I am delighted to announce the following dates for the P7 & P4 children of St Caireall's PS:

**Confirmation** will be celebrated in St Patrick's Church, Aghyaran, on Saturday 22 August, at 2.00pm.

**First Holy Communion** will be celebrated in St Patrick's Church, Aghyaran, on Sunday 30 August, at 2.00pm.

## SUNDAY MASSES NEXT WEEKEND – 11 & 12 JULY 2020

**ST PATRICK'S, AGHYARAN:**

*BOOKING IS NOT NECESSARY*

**Saturday 11 July – 6pm Vigil Mass:** Aghyaran, Magheranageerah, Mullinabreen and Scraghey.

**Sunday 12 July – 11am Mass:** Shanaghey Area, Ballymongan, Pullytean Road, Segronan and Edenreagh

***The complete rota from January to December is printed on the reverse of this page. Please note that this rota may have to change at short notice in response to government guidelines.***

**It is most important that people who are vulnerable or unwell, and especially those with any symptoms that might suggest Covid-19 infection, stay at home and, if possible, participate, via webcam, social media, television, or radio.**

Sunday, 5<sup>th</sup> July, is the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the ordination to the Priesthood of Fr Joe McMenamin. Sadly, due to the pandemic, the plans made by his family and friends to mark the celebration have had to be postponed until next year. We keep Fr Joe and his ministry in our prayers and wish him the traditional blessing 'AD MULTOS ANNOS' – 'To many (more) years! We will remember Fr Joe in our prayers at Mass this weekend.

**AGHYARAN ST DAVOG'S CLUB NOTES:** Preparations are continuing for a welcome return to football. Pitches have now reopened for adult training. Since we are now on our way towards competitive action, players, parents and coaches should familiarise themselves with the new regulations. It is essential that all our players, coaches, referees, committee members and parents of underage players, complete the certified e-Learning Module and take the screen shot of their pass certificate at the end. This will need to be passed on to the relevant Covid supervisors before training can resume. A return to play questionnaire will also need to be completed and updated for each session. For more information then contact the relevant coach or visit the GAA website. Please note that, as yet, we are awaiting clarification on what is planned for our U'12 and younger age groups.

We welcome the news of the re-opening of St Patrick's Church this week for public worship.

Congratulations to the seven winners at the weekend in the club members Monthly draw for June: £250 (No 438) Cassie Doherty, Aghamore Rd; £100 (No 99) James Mc Menamin, Carn Rd; £100 (No 161) Caroline Lynch, Scraghey; £100 (No 113) John Dolan, Laughtmorris Rd; £50 (No 293) WJ Dolan, Pollyarnon Rd; £50 (No 25) Clara Mc Menamin, Cavan Rd; £50 (No 207) Mairead Mc Hugh Tullycar Rd.

LPS - The Club Last Person Standing has resumed again with £1,000 to be won. We had just 7 fallers at the weekend with 26 left standing going into this week's fixtures. Keep an eye on our Facebook page for further updates.

We thank you all for your continued support and look forward to welcoming you all back to the club soon. In the meantime, Stay Safe and look out for each other.

## WEEKEND MASS ROTA JULY - DECEMBER 2020

### St Patrick's, Aghyaran

6.00pm	
The Corgaries	04-Jul-20 25-Jul-20 15-Aug-20
Ardarver	05-Sep-20 26-Sep-20 17-Oct-20
Trienamongan	07-Nov-20 28-Nov-20
Legatonegan	19-Dec-20

6.00pm	
Aghyaran	11-Jul-20 01-Aug-20
Magheranageeragh	22-Aug-20 12-Sep-20
Mullinabreen	03-Oct-20 24-Oct-20
Scraghey	14-Nov-20 05-Dec-20

6.00pm	
	18-Jul-20 08-Aug-20
The Laughts	29-Aug-20 19-Sep-20
Garvagh	10-Oct-20 31-Oct-20
McNally Park	21-Nov-20 12-Dec-20

11.00am	
	05-Jul-20
Tullycar Road - Essan	26-Jul-20 16-Aug-20
Tullycar	06-Sep-20 27-Sep-20
Meenakeerin	18-Oct-20 08-Nov-20
Crilly Park	29-Nov-20 20-Dec-20

11.00am	
	12-Jul-20
Shanaghey Area	02-Aug-20 23-Aug-20
Ballymongan	13-Sep-20 04-Oct-20
Pullytean Road	25-Oct-20
Segronan	15-Nov-20
Edenreagh	06-Dec-20

11.00am	
	19-Jul-20
Carnoughter	09-Aug-20 30-Aug-20
Carndreen	20-Sep-20
Dreenan	11-Oct-20
Killeter	01-Nov-20 22-Nov-20
Meenamullan	13-Dec-20

The church now has 56 seating 'slots'. A seating slot can accommodate either an individual or a group of people from the same household or bubble. Since parishioners can only go to Mass once every three weeks it is important that we stick to the rota. Special arrangements will be made to accommodate families at anniversary or other memorial masses. Thank you for your cooperation.