Mullinahone Parish Newsletter

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There will be no newsletter next week. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all

Anniversaries

Pray for Alice (Allie) Hyland, Kickham Place John & Mona O'Gorman

Sat 30th Dec 8pm

Jack & Winnie Maher Sr Agnes English & Bridget English Bridget McGrath, Briarsfield, husband William and son Malachy and

Feasts

Dec 26th - St Stephen

Dec 27th - St John

Dec 28th - The Holy Innocents

Dec 30th - The Holy Family

Mass Time Changes

On the weekend of 7th /8th January
The number of weekend masses reduces from 3 to 2
The new mass times will be

- Sat 6pm
- Sun 10am

There will be a **Eucharistic Devotion** on Thursday 29th
December

Mass Times

Thur-Fri 10am

Parish online Lotto Congratulations to Paul O'Brien who was our lucky dip winner. The jackpot was not won and will be €4,475 on Thursday next. Thanks to all for their continued support.

Parish online Lotto Christmas Draw Results - Dec 16th

- 1. One4All €100 Voucher Celina Sheehan
- 2. Afternoon Tea for 2 in New Park Hotel Joe O'Gorman
- 3. €50 Mari Mina Voucher Judy Maher
- 4. €50 Wilsons Shop Kevin O'Meara
- 5. €50 O'Briens Butchers Teresa White
- 6. €50 Bretts Hardware Patrick Clarke
- 7. €50 Lonergans Shop Shane Byrne
- 8. €50 Meehans Shop Jerry Barrett

Congratulations to all our winners

Sunday Dec 25th Christmas Day

Last Candle now we light our last candle to remember the birth of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. As the prophets promised so long ago, you have come to us again: and with the shepherds, we are filled with wonder and amazement. Some protestants, mostly Lutherans, will additionally light a fifth candle located in the center of the wreath on Christmas Eve or Christmas Day.

The "Christ Candle" is the large white candle in the middle of an Advent wreath. Lord, you come as a tiny, fragile baby; yet we know that you are God and you are with us. May the flame of this candle remind us that you are the light of the world and that if we follow you, we will never walk in darkness, but will have the true light of life. Come, Lord Jesus, Come. Amen

Christmas Wishes

I would like to take this opportunity to wish each and everyone a holy and peaceful celebration as we gather together to acknowledge the birth of child Jesus. I would like to thank all those who have helped out and contributed to the parish in any way. I would particularly like to thank Rose for all the great work she does as sacristan and particularly how well the Church is looking for the festive season. Thanks also to David and Jackie for their assistance. A special word for our parish choir for enhancing so many occasions throughout the year and congratulations for such a wonderful program on "Down your Way" Thanks also to our Eucharistic Ministers, readers and basket collectors especially our very young ones For our Christmas eve Mass we have issued a special invitation to all the primary schools to take part in singing after communion, we are delighted to be able to do so after the last few years.

Epiphany Solemn Blessing

God has called you of darkness, Into his wonderful light. May you experience his kindness and blessings, And be strong in faith, in hope, and in Love

Because you are followers in Christ, Who appeared on this day as a light shining in darknes, May he make you a light to all your sisters and brothers,

The wise men followed the star, And found Christ who is light from light. May you too find the Lord when your pilgrimage is ended.

There will be no newsletter next week. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all **Support** Local Christmas Tree Would you like a loved one remembered for xmas. If so text names to Isobel Clarke on 086 0726195 **Local Business Contacts** and a red bow and card will be placed on the tree at the front of St. Michael's church. This is a free service. Mari Mina Pharmacy052 9153 535 O'Briens Butchers -Mullinahone Senior Ladies Football Team 052 9153 241 or 087 622 1911 The Management and Panel of Mullinahone Senior Ladies Football Team would like to extend their thanks and gratitude to all who supported us on our incredible journey over the last couple of years. To those who sponsored Lonergans Gala - 052 9153 334 us, sent good wishes, helped us in any way and of course to all our loyal supporters who travelled to all the matches or 087 949 1649 up and down the Country. Your support to our team is much appreciated. Mile Buiochas. Wilsons - 052 9153 125 'For the Credit of the Little Village' Bretts Hardware-052 9153 320 Or 052 9153 406 Kindling & Firewood for sale special prices. Contact Sharon on 087-928 2283 Paul Meehan Drapers call between 6.30pm-10.30pm Mon-Sun Kickham Street 052 - 9153146 or 087 - 7716192 Health Center- 052 9153 287 **GAA Other Useful Numbers** Result. U21A Football South Final Clonmel Commercials beat Mullinahone HSE Live Team - 1850 241850 U21A Hurling scheduled for December 28th - Fixture TBC Caredoc - 0818 300365 Grants Garda Station (24/7)-052 617 7640 Thanks to Tipperary County Council who provided some grant funding for window decorations and Christmas Credit Union - 052 612 5292 lights locally for this festive season Post Office - 052 9153 101 Mullinahone Coop - 052 9153 900 Lonergans Gala Christmas Opening Hours O'Briens Butchers Christmas Opening Hours **Lotto** (Next JACKPOT €2,950) Date 19/12/2022 Dec 24th 8am-6.30pm Dec 24th | 8am-4pm Sat 9, 12, 18, 20 Dec 25th | Closed Dec 25th Closed Sun Mon Dec 26th | Closed Match 3 €150 Dec 26th | 9am-2pm *Deli Cosed* Dec 27th | Closed Ettie Croke Tue Dec 27th | 9am-7pm Vouchers Dec 28th | 9.30am-5pm Wed Dec 28th | 9am-7pm John Rochford Dec 29th 8am-6pm Thu Dec 29th | 9am-7pm Ann Phelan Fri Dec 30th 8am-6pm Dec 30th 9am-7pm Dec 31st 8am-5pm Sat Dec 31st | 9am-7pm Closed Sun Jan 1st 9am-2pm *Deli Cosed* Jan 1st Jan 2nd Closed Mon Split the Pot 21st December Winner Kathleen Brennan @€ 125