

# Mullinahone Parish Newsletter

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**Collections**  
Offertory 1026 Shrine 99  
Priests 120

**Mass Times** Mon-Fri 10am  
Sat 6pm, Sun 10am **Also Radio 103FM**

**Parish online Lotto** Congratulations to Philip O’Halloran who was our lucky dip winner. The jackpot was not won and will be €4,775 on Thursday next. Thanks to all for their continued support.

## Anniversaries

**Sat Feb 18<sup>th</sup> @6pm**

John & Tommy Tobin,  
Ballinacloughy, sisters Mary & Margaret and their parents Kate and George

Mikey McEnery, Months Mind  
Mary Brett

**Sun 19<sup>th</sup> Feb 10am**

Peg Scott, Ballyrichard

**Sun 26<sup>th</sup> Feb 10am**

Monica Lawless Months Mind

## Lenten Season

The season of Lent begins next Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> Feb  
Ashes will be distributed after the 10am Mass  
And visits will be made to the primary schools  
Ashes will be left in the Church if you wish to collect them throughout the day.

## Earthquake Assistance

At the end of the weekend Masses we will hold a collection in aid of the earthquake victims in Turkey & Syria. The plight of these people is before our eyes each and every day and so any assistance you can give would be very much appreciated.

**Eucharistic Devotion** continues each Thursday from 2-5pm. All are welcome

## Prayer for Ash Wednesday

We forget sometimes that ashes come from fire,  
That this soft black powder was once a firm green frond,  
Bright and vibrant before it became dry and brittle,  
Stiff and fibrous before a flame transformed it into dust.  
Every living thing submits to change.

Let’s not fear it.

From seed to plant, palm to ash,

This bit of the earth smudged on our foreheads today

Was carried lovingly in the hands of the Creator.

What fires will we step into this Lent?

What new forms will our souls take

When we encounter the holy blaze of the Living God?

We are – it is true – ash to ash and dust to dust,

But whether in youth or in old age, in life or in death,

Let us be assured,

We are held, and we are God’s.

Amen.

## Parish Collection Boxes 2023

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all parishioners for your help over the past year as we reach the beginning of March, it is the time of the year for our new collection boxes to begin. I propose to leave the collection boxes at the rear of the Church to be individually collected and will be available from Monday Feb 27<sup>th</sup>. Thanks also to those who give their time to print labels and attach them

As I mentioned in other years the use of the weekly envelopes is essential for the parish as it gives us

- A record of what each person contributes
- If you attend Mass in another parish, you can put envelopes into that collection and it will be sent back to Mullinahone.
- If your contribution to the weekly collection and other collections is over €250 or more, a form can be signed to enable the parish to get a tax refund on your contribution

Thank you again for your generous contributions

Fr Danny

# Support Local

## Local Business Contacts

Mari Mina Pharmacy 052 9153 535  
 O'Briens Butchers -  
 052 9153 241 or 087 622 1911  
 Lonergans Gala - 052 9153 334  
 or 087 949 1649  
 Wilsons - 052 9153 125  
 Bretts Hardware-052 9153 320  
 Or 052 9153 406  
 Paul Meehan Drapers  
 052 - 9153146 or 087 - 7716192  
 Health Center- 052 9153 287

## Other Useful Numbers

HSE Live Team - 1850 241850  
 Caredoc - 0818 300365  
 Garda Station (24/7)-052 617 7640  
 Credit Union - 052 612 5292  
 Post Office - 052 9153 101  
 Mullinahone Coop - 052 9153 900

# Lotto

(Next JACKPOT €3,850)

Date 13/02/2023

1, 10, 23, 26

Match 3 €50

Tina Hindley  
 Martin Tobin  
 Gary Cronin

# Split the Pot

15 February Winner

Lily Neary  
@ € 140

Kindling & Firewood for sale special prices. Contact Sharon on 087-928 2283. Call between 6.30pm-10.30pm Mon-Sun Kickham Street

## MULLINAHONE TIDY TOWNS

Mullinahone Tidy Towns National Spring Clean will take place on the weekend of the **4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> March**. Meeting at the church car park @ 10.30am each day to distribute bags. We are appealing to everyone to PLEASE give an hour of your time and help your village look its best.

## CJ Kickhams Mullinahone GAA. Membership 2023.

We are now inviting ordinary Membership and support of our Club for the coming year. This year we are putting every effort into giving our supporters an opportunity to become a member of their local GAA Club and in doing so help us to promote and grow our games in the community. Our membership committee of Rita Curran, (Chairperson), Dick Egan, Martin Cody, Des O Mahony & Alan Curran ( Players rep) have been busy putting a package together for ordinary members which starts at 30E single, 50E double and 70E for three family members. In return you will receive text messages with fixtures and results and also a car sticker. Members of the committee are available to take membership fees or you can register online at [www.foireann.ie](http://www.foireann.ie). We have valued your support over many years and look forward to your continued support in 2023. 'For the credit of the little village '.

**Tipperary Regional and Local roads** allocations announced by department this week  
 Climate Change and resilience fund local projects include - Mohober, Crohane Lower, Coolarkin & Templemichael Grangemockler, Killaghy Road Mullinahone totalling almost € 200,000  
 Bridge rehabilitation investment in over €100,000 works at Ballylannigan and safety improvement works at Jamestown

## LGFA

Car wash fundraiser:  
 Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> Feb  
 9am-4pm Church Car Park

**Mullinahone NSA** fantastic occasion in our school this week as we held a medal presentation for our 3 winning football teams! We were all delighted to have Eoin Kelly and Orla O' Dwyer on hand to present the medals to the team members. Both Eoin and Orla spoke to the children with words of wisdom, inspiration and advice for the future! We are so proud of our pupils and their fantastic achievements ! We hope they enjoyed their special day!

## Community Astro Facility Phase 1 of Development Planned

The development committee invite the community to come and view the proposed plans for an Astro pitch between the GAA facilities and St. Michael's National School on Monday the 20<sup>th</sup> of February at 8 o'clock upstairs in the hall. The club is looking to expand its training facilities to cater for the increased numbers of male and female participants at adult and underage levels. The Astro will be utilised by St. Michaels National School. Phase 1 Astro turf pitch is subject to planning and updates on the status will be communicated through local signage, newsletter, and social media. The new facilities will benefit the community of Mullinahone greatly into the future. We are looking forward to meeting everyone next Monday. The development committee.

**For sale** a long neck electric garden hedge trimmers as new, a bargain at €80

Woman available to do housework in Mullinahone area. Phone 087 1207769.