



**Weekend Mass Schedule**

Fr. Gerry Powell P.P. 4 Hibernian Road Laureactown Craigavon B163 6AJ Tel: 098 24239 Fax: 098 25440	Mass	Saturday	Sunday	Fr. Martin Mc Donagh C.S.Sp. 2 Hunter's Hill Road Gifford Craigavon B163 6AJ Tel: 098 881256
	Laureactown	6.00pm	10.00am	
	Gifford		11.30am	
	Clare	7.30pm		

**Weekday Mass Schedule**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
7.30pm	10.00am	10.00am	10.00am	7.30pm
Gifford	10.00am	10.00am	10.00am	10.00am

**ANNIVERSARIES**

Sat 2nd 6.00pm John Doyle  
Sat 2nd 10.00am Mick Conroy  
Sat 9th 6.00pm Stephen Todd  
Sun 10th 10.00am  
Sun 3rd 11.00am  
Sun 10th 11.30am

**Recently Deceased**  
We remember to our prayers  
*Mamillon Young, James Green*  
and offer our sincere sympathy to the entire family circle.  
We also offer our sincere sympathy to:  
Charlie McConville, Copperfields, Gifford  
on the recent death of his mother  
Peggie McConville, Derrymanah  
Rose, Jim and John Corroly  
on the death of their sister May Fitzpatrick (Derby).  
Graham McAlvey (Rover Green) and  
Percy McCartan (Mullin Park)  
on the death of their father,  
Alec McCartan, Steven Hill, Banbridge  
*May they rest in peace*

**Confessions**  
Laureactown Saturday 5.15 - 5.45 pm  
Gifford Sunday 10.45 - 11.15 am

**MINISTERS OF THE WORD**

	T'own	Gifford	Clare
Sat 2nd	Henry		A. O'Flaherty
Sun 3rd	Michael	Johnnie	
Sat 9th	Michael	Michael	Johnnie
Sun 10th	A. Henry	Henry	

**Lourdes Pre-Pilgrimage Mass**  
Sat 9th May 2008 The Clare 7.30pm  
Primitives are available in each church.  
**PLEASE DO NOT PUT MONEY IN THESE BOXES**

**Infant Dates**  
Sacrament of First Holy Communion  
Gifford - Saturday 16th May 2009 at 11am  
**Cemetery Sunday**  
Sunday 24th May 2009  
Laureactown 7.30pm & Clare 4.00pm

*Congratulations to the girls and boys from St. Columba's Ryan Primary School who received their 5th Holy Communion on Saturday.*

Collection 26.04.2009  
T'own £26.20 Gifford £29.92  
Clare £39.75 Total £95.87

**Laureactown Church Appeal**

I would like to thank those parishioners who have contacted me with promises of financial help. A passionate appeal is made to the many, many, some of whom are young workers who, perhaps, could not contribute to assist their fellow parishioners by giving a little to the weekly collections and therefore making the burden that little bit lighter for all. We also appeal to former parishioners living in other parishes or abroad. The following donations have been gratefully received, £2000, 4x £1000, £500 and 8x £100.00 Thank you.

The work will begin in the first week of June and will take ten weeks to complete. During that time the church will be closed. The weekend masses will be celebrated in St. Columba's Ryan Primary School and the weekday masses in the Den, Pomeroy and Raptians will be celebrated in the Clare and Gifford.

Fr. Gerry Powell  
Parish Priest

Anyone wishing to leave a donation can do so by contacting Fr. O'Powell or the Parish Office.

**T.L.C.** The T.L.C. Group meet every Tuesday evening in the Den, Laureactown from 10.30am - 12.30pm. The group are holding another table quiz on Sunday 24th May at 7.30pm in the Den. All proceeds to Parish Funds.

**St Patrick's High School Class of 1989 Reunion**  
The Coach Inn Banbridge on Friday 15th of May 2009, admission £10 proceeds in aid of The Darren Weir Trust for further information contact Paul Beattie 0772442424 Paul Lyness 07931858274 or Seana McDermott 07739108484.

**Troaire Total To Date** £5680.41  
**Please return your box A.S.A.P**

**St. Patrick's College, Banbridge 50th Anniversary Magazine**  
Will be published in May 2009. Limited copies will be available. Reserve your copy to, Walsh's Newsagents, The Parish Centre or the College Office.

Do you enjoy any of the following, singing, poetry, playing an instrument, story telling or maybe dancing.  
If your willing to participate in any of the above and over 25 years of age you are invited to join Artists United for a fun and social evening on a weekly basis in the Reading Room in the Community Club Hall, Castle Hill, Gifford on a Wednesday evening from 7.30pm - 9.00pm, commencing on 6th May.  
**EVERYONE WELCOME**

**TULLYILSH G.A.C**  
LOTTO Numbers: 6, 4, 4, 16, 21  
3 No winners; 2 Scullion, M McKeown, M Cairns, N McCartan, L McHenry, G O'Rourke, & Greene, & Rooney  
No Jackpot Winner meet week 42850  
**Football Training (now at Tullyish Club Hall)**  
Monday 1.00 to 6.00PM  
Tuesday 1.00 to 6.00PM  
Wednesday 1.00 to 6.00PM  
Thursday 1.00 to 6.00PM  
Friday 1.00 to 6.00PM

**CHILD PROTECTION ID CHECK**  
The Deans Representative will be available between 7-8pm on Tuesday 5 May 2009 in the Den to check ID's for volunteers who require vetting. Please bring your completed Access NI and ID forms, completed in black ink and your ID as stipulated in the letter.

**125 Years of the GAA Tullyish**  
As part of its celebrations for 125 Years of the GAA, Tullyish GAC is holding an exhibition of club history on Sunday 10th May 2009, from 12.00 - 2.00pm.  
Celebrations Committee are currently researching and gathering information for the exhibition and it would be appreciated if anyone who has any information which could be relevant to the exhibition in Pictures, Videos, Photographs, Reports, Journals, Trophies, Programmes, weeklies, etc. could contact Paul or David (0776532654), any member of the 125 Years Celebrations Committee. Please note all items will be returned after the exhibition.

All past players and members are invited to attend our 125 Celebrations in Tullyish GAC on Sunday 10th May. It will be an open day from 1pm to late with the days events listed below:

Professor Richard R. Gallardetz - holder of the Margaret and Thomas Murray and James J. Beck Endowed Chair in Catholic Studies at the University of Toledo in Ohio, United States will deliver a public lecture entitled "Finding God in Daily Life" in St Mary's University College, Belfast, on Monday 11th May, 2009 at 7.30pm. All Welcome

**We would like to wish Greg McCartan a Happy 81th Birthday on Saturday 2nd May 2009.**

**Chalice in the Home Programme**  
Thanks to those who are actively taking part in the Chalice in the Home Programme. Sign up cards are available at the back of the church and place in the collection basket at any of the Masses which will be forwarded to Miss Pat Sorrell who is co-ordinating the programme in our parish and she will then contact you. Alternatively you can telephone Pat on 02838 831024.