



**Weekend Mass Schedule**

Fr. Gerry Powell P.P. 4 Holmstown Road Laurencetown Craigavon B163 6AJ Tel: 096 24236 Fax: 096 25440	<table border="1"> <tr> <th>Mass</th> <th>Saturday</th> <th>Sunday</th> </tr> <tr> <td>Laurencetown</td> <td>6.00pm</td> <td>10.00am</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Gifford</td> <td></td> <td>11.30am</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Clare</td> <td>7.30pm</td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	Mass	Saturday	Sunday	Laurencetown	6.00pm	10.00am	Gifford		11.30am	Clare	7.30pm		Fr. Martin Mc Donagh C.S.Sp. 2 Hunter's Hill Road Gifford Craigavon B163 6AJ Tel: 0938 831256
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**Weekday Mass Schedule**

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9.00am	No Mass	No Mass	No Mass	No Mass	No Mass
10.00am	10.00am	10.00am	10.00am	10.00am	10.00am

**ANNIVERSARIES**

**Laurencetown**

Sat 18th 6.00pm	John Joe & Maureen Menaghan
Sun 19th 10.00am	---
Sat 25th 6.00pm	Eamon Magee
Sun 26th 10.00am	Margaret Murphy, Newry (M.M)

**Gifford**

Sun 19th 11.30am	---
Sun 26th 11.30am	Pauline Brean Phakmana Kennedy May Kennedy

**Clare**

Sat 18th 7.30pm	---
Sat 25th 7.30pm	Alice Greene (M.M)

**PARISH OFFICE HOURS FOR JULY AND AUGUST**

Monday and Tuesday 10.00am - 2.00pm  
Wednesday and Thursday 4.30pm - 8.30pm

**Confessions**

Laurencetown	Saturday 5.15 - 5.45 pm
Gifford	Sunday 10.15 - 11.15 am

**MINISTERS OF THE WORD**

	L'town	Gifford	Clare
Sat 18th	E Murphy		R MORGAN
Sun 19th	U Farrell	K McParland	
Sat 25th	P Campbell		E Lavery
Sun 26th	M Heaney	T Devine	

**LAURENCETOWN CHAPEL RENOVATIONS**

Renovation work is ongoing in Laurencetown Chapel and during this time the church will remain closed.  
Weekend masses will be celebrated in St Columa's Bann Primary School at the usual weekend times.  
Parking will be available at the Tullylish G.A.A car park.  
**PLEASE DO NOT PARK IN THE SCHOOL GROUNDS** and we would be grateful if you could leave the area directly in front of the school free for those who are disabled.  
Thank you for your co-operation.

**HOLIDAY TIME!**

No holiday spot is that remote that you cannot find a Catholic Church to attend Mass on Sunday. There is no reason to neglect God or your spiritual life during your holiday. Perhaps it might be the best time in the world to take stock of your religious development and how you stand with Almighty God. We wish all our parishioners a holy and happy Summer.  
For a list of all mass times in Ireland you can check out [www.catholicireland.com](http://www.catholicireland.com).  
We extend a warm Tullylish welcome to all visitors to the parish this summer.

Collection: 2427 000  
L'town: 257 70 Clare: 273 70  
Gifford: 443 440  
Tel: 4133844

**DIocese of DROMORE**

**THE PERMANENT DIACONATE**

IS GOD CALLING YOU TO SERVE AS A DEACON IN THE DIOCESE OF DROMORE?

ARE YOU A MAN AGED OVER 25 AND UNDER 65 MARRIED/SINGLE OR WIDOWED?

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT FR. POWELL, FR. MCGONAGHAN OR FR. JOHN BYRNE, DIOCESAN DIRECTOR

65 NORTH STREET, LURGAN, CO. ANAMAH, BT26 7AH.  
EMAIL: [johnbyrne2426@btmail.com](mailto:johnbyrne2426@btmail.com)

**TULLYLISH G.A.A.**  
LOTTO Members: £10, £18, £24 (in reference to) B Mackin, E Morgan, E McCorville, C McManus  
No Jackpot Winner Next week: £3100.00

**T.J.C. GROUP**  
The Group will be meeting on Tuesday 24th July 2009  
In the Den 10.30pm - 12.30pm

**Laurencetown 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, sadly, 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: 2x £2000, 3x £1000, 2x £500, 1x £250 and £200, 1x £100, 18x £100.00, 1x £50

Thank you.  
Fr. Gerry Powell  
Parish Priest

**www.tullylish.com**

You will probably have noticed some changes to the website over the past few weeks. It should now be easier to locate what you are looking for - and see how many 'hits' there are for each item. The background music is still causing us a bit of a problem, but we'll get it sorted out. We are still averaging 2000 hits per week. Please, send us in your graduation photos and your holiday snaps.

Whoever said 'seek and ye shall find' was NOT a genealogist!

Since the launch of our website very back in 2000, requests for family searches have increased dramatically. Usually we are able to find out the relevant information - but not always. Our parish records, (as in all Catholic parishes) go back to 1853 as it was only from then that parishes were allowed to keep their own registers. (Before that they were kept in the Public Record Office in Dublin, based in the Four Courts. During the Civil War, the building was seized, burned and the records destroyed.)

Through the website, we also receive queries from other parishes and this can prove more difficult so, we normally pass on the contact details of the relevant churches. It is very frustrating to realise that what started out as a small website for our own little patch, has reached all corners of the globe and united everyone with Tullylish in their hearts. From the many compliments received about tullylish.com, it is obvious that members of the other churches in the Tullylish area log on frequently. So, we have added a new section to our website: Family Searches. Hopefully, through this section, we can help each other in our family searches. Thank you.

**LAURENCETOWN SUMMERScheme**

**2009**

The JUNIOR SCHEME will be based primarily in the Laurencetown Community Centre and will run for 1 week from Monday 20th July to Friday 24th July from 10am to 1pm each day for children who are in Primary 4 to Primary 7 inclusive. Activities include sports, art, craft, pottery, drama, hip-hop, competitions and trips. A hot, healthy eating option is available. Children who are in Primary 6 and Primary 7 may join the Senior Scheme if they wish. Cost for the week is £2 with an additional fee for trips.

The MINI SCHEME will be based in the Laurencetown Community Centre and will run for one week from Monday 27th July until Friday 31st July, 10am to 1pm each day for children who are in Primary 1 to Primary 3 inclusive. Activities will include sport, art, craft, music and trips. A healthy eating break is provided. Cost for the week is £2. There will be an additional fee for trips.

The SENIOR SCHEME will be based in the Tullylish Gaelic Club and will run for 2 weeks from Monday 3rd August to Friday 14th August, 10am to 1pm each day for young people who are 11 years +. A hot, healthy eating option is available. Activities will include sports, art, craft, string, creative dancing, pottery, drama, film production, swimming and trips. Cost for each week is £2. There will be an additional fee for trips.

Application Forms are available at the Community Centre Laurencetown.  
Further information is available from Castle 07809602529, Anne 07809666068, Teresa 07759425763 and Ryan 0797007968

**SUPPORT YOUR PARISH**

New Parishioner? Started working?

If you have (a) recently moved to our parish, (b) have recently started on work, or (c) changed address, please complete the form below and drop into either the collection basket or the Parish Office.

Do you pay income tax? Do you get GIR Aid?

If you haven't done so already, why not sign the GIR Aid Form.

Name (s): \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
I am a new parishioner  
I am a new parishioner & require envelopes  
I have recently started working & require envelopes  
I wish to 'GIR Aid' my donations  
I no longer require envelopes  
I have changed my address to: \_\_\_\_\_