



# The Parish of Ardahan - Kilchreest - Peterswell

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12.00 noon on Friday  
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## Mass Times for the Parishes

**Ardahan -Saturday 6.00pm**

## Alternative Weekends

**Kilchreest-Castledaly**  
Saturday 7.30pm

**Peterswell - Sunday - 9.30am**

**Ardahan - Sunday 11.00am**  
Mass can be viewed on line

**Weekday Mass Ardahan**  
9.00am Mon-Tue - Thur - Fri

## Office Hours

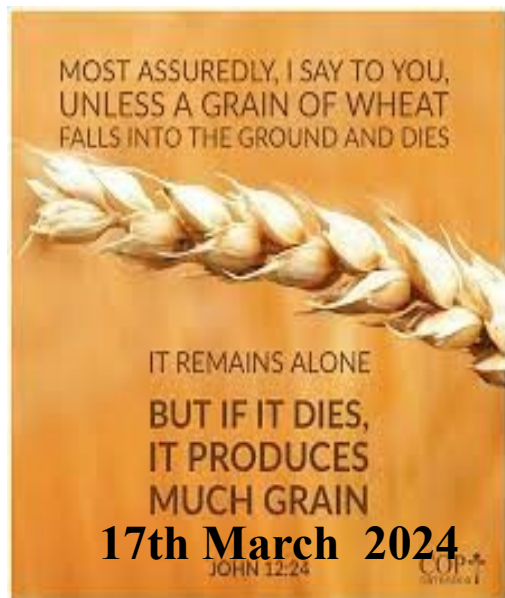
Monday 10am - 3pm  
Tuesday 10am - 1pm  
Thursday 10am - 1pm  
Friday 10am - 3pm

## Baptisms

**Ardahan 1 & 3rd Weekend**  
**Kilchreest-Castledaly**  
2nd Weekend  
**Peterswell 4th Weekend**

**No Mass may be offered after 4.30pm**  
**on Saturday other than the Saturday**  
**Vigil at 6pm/7.30pm.**

5th of Lent



## Anniversaries



### Ardahan Sat 16th March 06.00pm

Paddy Joe & Kathleen Murphy  
Maureen & Bartley Hall  
Tom Burke. Tom Mannion  
**Castledaly Sat 16th March 07.30pm**  
Thomas Linnane & DFM  
Thomas & Bridget McHugh DFM  
Thomas & Margaret Fahy

### Peterswell Sun 17th March 09.30am

Mary Curley & DFM

### Ardahan Sun 17th March 11.00am

Annie Quinn  
Brian Coyne

### Ardahan Sat 23rd March 06.00pm

John & Maura Fahy  
Mary & Tom Morrissey  
Margaret & Johnny Whelan  
**Kilchreest Sat 23rd March 07.30pm**  
Robbie Stewart  
Mai, John, Pakie & Christy Kelly  
Michael & Catherine Clarke

### Peterswell Sun 24th March 09.30am

John & Mary Fahey  
Peter & Kathleen Howley and DFM  
**Ardahan Sun 24th March 11.00am**  
Mick Sylver  
Michael & Carmel Stankard  
Claire Kilkenny



### Ardahan Sat Readers for March

16th Gerard Harney,  
23rd Annabelle O'Flynn,  
30th Raymond Connolly

### Sun Readers for March

10th Aoife Murphy, 17th Aishling  
O'Mahoney, 24th Clodagh King, 31st  
Majella Horriggan

### Ardahan Ministers for March

9th Martha Dunne, Danny McConnell  
10th Annette Nelly, Martina Glynn

### Servers

9th St Kevin, 10th St Nicholas 16th St  
Brendan, 17th St Bridget, 23rd St  
Ciaran 24th St Enda, 30th St Attracta  
31st St Clare

### Kilchreest Ministers for March

Regina Finn

### Readers for March

Collette Kelly

### Servers

24th St Brendan, 9th St Anne

### Castledaly Readers for March

Dympna Fahy & Shane Nash

### Castledaly Ministers for March

Sheila Nash & Evelyn Shevlin

### Castledaly Altar Society for March

Lourda Devine & Patricia Gallagher

### Servers

2nd St Ita 16th St Colman

### Peterswell Readers March

10th/17th Maressa Burke

24th/31st Josephine Hynes

### Eucharist Ministers March

10th/17th Maressa Burke  
24th/31st Josephine Hynes

### Servers

25th St Nicholas,  
3rd St Colman, 10th St Enda,  
17th St Ita,

## Holy Thursday

The Mass of the Lords Supper

**Ardahan 06.00pm**

**Kilchreest 07.30pm**

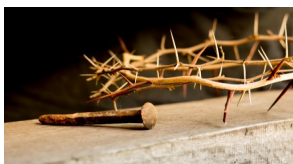
## Good Friday

Passion of the Lord

**Castledaly 12.00noon**

## Stations

**Ardahan 06.00pm**



## Holy Saturday

Easter Vigil

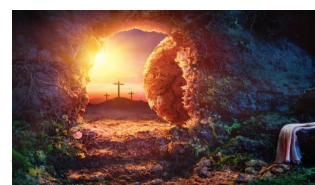
**Peterswell 07.30pm**

## Easter Sunday

Dawn Mass the Mausoleum Ardahan  
**06.30am**

**Kilchreest 09.30am**

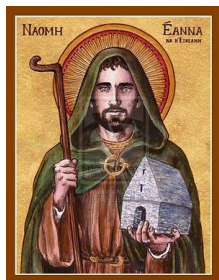
**Ardahan 11.00am**



## Saints of the week

### St. Patrick 17th March

**St. Cyril of Jerusalem, 315-86** Bishop of Jerusalem. He excelled as a catechist and administrator, and suffered exile in his fight against

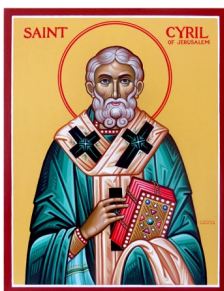


### 21st March St. Enda

Is considered to be one of the three great late vocations of Ireland. His sister Faenche, a nun, set his thoughts on a religious vacation. On

Faenche's urging he went to Aran. Where he established a monastery which became

one of the most important in Ireland. He died probably in 520 and is considered as one of the early models of ascetic monasticism in Ireland. Arianism.



1, 21, 31, 12

Jackpot: €6,200

Jackpot Winner:

Tracy Murray

Match 3's: Clodagh

O' Donnell, James

Reilly

Promoter: Mary

Cooney

Next Week's Jackpot:

€2,000



9, 11, 16, 22

Match 3; James

Fahey.

Sellers Prize; P.J.

Murphy.

Jackpot Winner;

None.

Next Week's

Jackpot €2,800.



## Weekly Offering's

Ardrahan € 885 Trocaire 125

Kilchreest €400

Peterswell €410 Trocaire 160

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## Why a shamrock? Patrick used the

shamrock to explain the Trinity, and has been associated with him and the Irish since that time. In His Footsteps:

Patrick was a humble, pious, gentle man, whose love and total devotion to and trust in God should be a shining

example to each of us. He feared nothing, not even

death, so complete was his trust in God, and of the

importance of his

mission.



## Saint Patrick was a fifth-century

Romano British Christian missionary and bishop in Ireland.

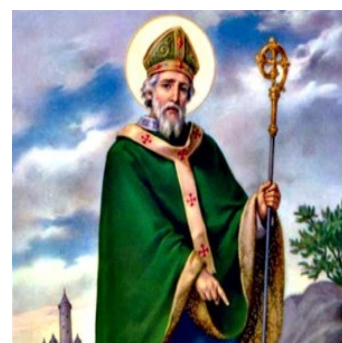
Known as the "Apostle of Ireland", he is the primary patron saint of Ireland.

Patrick was never formally canonised,<sup>[2]</sup> having lived prior to the current laws of the Catholic Church in these matters. Nevertheless, he is venerated as a Saint in the Catholic Church and in the Eastern Orthodox Church, where he is regarded as equal-to-the-apostles and Enlightener of Ireland. He is also regarded as a Saint within the framework of their respective doctrine by the Anglican Communion and the Lutheran Churches.

The dates of Patrick's life cannot be fixed with certainty, but there is general agreement that he was active as a missionary in Ireland during the fifth century. A recent biography on Patrick shows a late fourth-century date for the saint is not impossible. Early

medieval tradition credits him with being the first bishop of Armagh and Primate of Ireland, and regards him as the founder of Christianity in Ireland, converting a society practising a form of Celtic polytheism. He has been generally so regarded ever since, despite evidence of some earlier Christian presence in Ireland. He was about sixteen, when he was captured by Irish pirates from his home in Britain and taken as a slave to Ireland, looking after animals; he lived there for six years before escaping and returning to his family. After becoming a cleric, he returned to northern and western Ireland. In later life, he served as a

bishop, but little is known about the places where he worked. By the seventh century, he had already come to be revered as the patron saint of Ireland.



HAPPY  
**St. Patrick's**  
DAY

• **Easter Creative Writing** for Children 8-12 yrs - Mon & Tues, 25th & 26th March; Either 10-1pm or 2-5pm both days. Venue: The Ardilaun Hotel, Galway; Small groups; €60; Relaxed & Fun! Contact Niamh 086 3623971

### • Easter Floral Demonstration

Gort Cancer Support is delighted to welcome back Mary Cannon of Florabunda Florist, Loughrea, to the Studio at Hollyblue House, Garrabeg on Thursday 21st March at 7pm for an Easter Floral Demonstration. There will be a raffle on the night of the arrangements that Mary makes. This is a free event, which is open to everyone. However, places are limited so please call us on 086 1724500 if you wish to attend.

• **The Seumas O'Kelly Players** present their Spring comedy play- Feuding Families by Seamus Broderick, opening Thursday March 21st with more shows Saturday 23rd and Sunday 24th of March in the Temperance Hall, Loughrea at 8 pm. Tickets are €12 in advance from T.L. O'Brien's Main Street Loughrea, €14 on the door. For further information please contact 083-8633796.