

A Prayer to Be Freed from Tizzies - Joyce Rupp

Dear God,
you who did not invent tizzies,
be with me when I get caught
in the wild worrying of my mind,
and the needless scurrying around
in my fearful heart.

Trip me up when I fret and stew
so I can see the trap of tizzies,
with their schemes to keep me
bunched up in stress and strain.

Let me fall headfirst into the truth
of your never-ending presence,
wrap your kind arms around me
and calm my doubts and fears.

Shout loudly in my spiritual ear
when my nerves get knotted,
my mind feels cramped,
and my stomach screams.

It may be difficult,
but do try to get my full attention,
because tizzies are not healthy,
and they definitely chase peace
out the front door of my heart.

Dear God, you did not invent tizzies,
I did,
and only I can send them on their way,
and I will,
if you strengthen me
to let go of my anxious hold
on what is nonessential.

**Thanks to our Deacon Liam Dunne for providing this lovely Prayer
for our Newsletter.**

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RATHVILLY KILTEGAN PARISH

NEWSLETTER

**St. Brigid's
Talbotstown**

6th & 7th February, 2021

**St. Patrick's
Rathvilly**

5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

**The Assumption
Tynock**

Recent Deaths: Peg Henson, nee Kearns, Maynooth and late of Rathvilly
David Pearson, Graigue, Kiltegan
Kate Keogh, nee Corcoran, Rustyduff, Donard and late of Rathmore

Months Mind Mass for Mary Saruwatari, Alberta, Canada this Saturday, 6th February

Months Mind Mass for Alice Kelly, Ballyhackett this Saturday, 6th February

ANNIVERSARY MASSES

Sat/Sun, 6th & 7th February 2021

Adrian Byrne, Fr Cullen Tce – 1st Anniversary

Thomas Cassells, Ricketstown

William, Kieran, Thomas and Michael Byrne, 16 Kevin Barry Road

Canice Donnelly, Broughillstown

Sat/Sun, 13th & 14th February 2021

Kathleen & George Faulkner, St. Patrick's Park

Martin Molloy, Rathvilly

Vena Doyle, The Foxcover

Andy Smith, Coole & London

Christy Gahan, Collins Park

Thomas & Helen Foley, Rathmore and deceased family members

Ellen Gahan, 15 Kevin Barry Road

Mary Hanlon, Ricketstown

Paddy Hanlon, Bough

Kate Hanlon, Borris

Laurence & Mary Dowling, Rathmore

MASSES THIS WEEK – will be celebrated behind Closed Doors

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday – Mass at 9.30 a.m.

Rosary before Mass each day.

FEAST DAY OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES

Eucharistic Hour for Healing on Thursday, 11th February 10.00 – 11.00 a.m.

On this day in 1858, Our Lady first appeared to the fourteen year old Bernadette Soubirous. Later Bernadette was to learn that the mysterious lady was the Blessed Virgin and to hear from her lips, 'I am the Immaculate Conception'. In 1992 Pope John Paul II instituted the World Day of the Sick to be held on the commemoration of Our Lady of Lourdes.

VIEW ALL MASSES AND PRAYERS ON THE WEBSITE AND RADIO

www.rathvillykilteganparish.ie/our-parish/webcam

[Radio 104.3 fm](http://www.rathvillykilteganparish.ie/our-parish/webcam)

IRISH CATHOLIC – available in the Church each week. Cost €2.50

Please put the money in the Candle Shrine.

RATHVILLY PARISH OFFICE

You can contact the Parish Office Mon-Fri 10 am – 1 pm **by phone:** 059 9161114 or **email:** office@rathvillykilteganparish.ie To book Anniversary Masses, get Mass Cards or leave in donations, etc. you can phone the office. A post box is available outside the office or leave items in the letter box at the Parochial house.

GOSPEL READINGS – 7th – 14th February, 2021

Sunday: Mk 1: 29-39 Mon: Mk 6: 53-56 Tues: Mk 7: 1-13
Wed: Mk 7: 14-23 Thurs: Mk 7: 24-30 Fri: Mk 7: 31-37
Sat: Mk 8: 1-10 Sunday: Mk 1: 40-45

All the Sunday and Daily Mass Readings can be accessed from our website.

WEEKEND COLLECTIONS – 30th & 31st January 2021

Sincere thanks to our parishioners who left in Weekly Envelopes of €836.30 during the week. Any financial contribution you can make will be very much appreciated. You can also make your donation to the parish by electronic banking. You can contact the Parish Office for details or log on to the Diocesan Website.

Donation Buttons on KandLe Website: There are now two electronic 'Donate Buttons' on the front page of the diocesan website www.kandle.ie

RATHVILLY KILTEGAN ST. VINCENT DE PAUL PHONE: 083 1494412

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH IS OPEN DAILY FOR QUIET PRAYER

Monday to Saturday – 10 a.m. – 5p.m. **Sunday** – 12 Noon – 5 p.m.

- Please use hand sanitiser when entering and leaving the Church.
- Please use one way system and follow the signs.
- Please adhere to social distance and wear a face covering.
- Please do not sit in the restricted areas.
- **Seats at the front of the Church is an unrestricted area.**

BAPTISM - Individual Baptisms can take place with a maximum of six people attending. Contact the Parish Office for details.

COVID-19 SUPPORT LINE FOR OLDER PEOPLE

ALONE manage a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to the outbreak of COVID-19. The support line is open seven days - 8am - 8pm, by calling 0818 222 024.

RATHVILLY G.A.A. CLUB

Lotto Results: No Jackpot winner. Numbers drawn 9-10-12-15

Match 3 win or share €150

Nicola Murphy Phelan St 10-12-15-21 On Line winner

Eoghan Cooney Baltinglass 9-10-12-17 On Line winner

Promoters Prize €20 Mary B. Kelly

Next draw 9 Feb. 2021

Jackpot €10,000 Thank you for your continued support.

SLANEY ROVERS A.F.C.

LOTTO - No jackpot winner

Numbers were 1 - 2 - 3 - 21

Match Three: win or share €150

Teresa Byrne c/o Martin Curran 1-3-19-21 On Line Winner [216]

Ned Deering, Patrickswell, Rathvilly 1-2-8-21 On Line Winner [281]

Promoter prize Michael Kehoe.

Next draw 8 Feb. 2021 **Jackpot €12,900** Thank you for all your support.

THE PRIORY INSTITUTE, TALLAGHT

Study Theology online - over 50 people attended the first online Open Day recently. Registration for the spring semester closes on Tuesday 9th February. The following link will give you a good indication about what it's like to study at the Priory Institute <https://youtu.be/RITTrHeeqp8> www.prioryinstitute.com

A CORONAVIRUS PRAYER

Almighty and eternal God,
our refuge in every danger,
to whom we turn in our distress, in faith we pray:
look with compassion on the afflicted,
grant eternal rest to the dead, comfort to mourners,
healing to the sick, peace to the dying,
strength to healthcare workers, wisdom to our leaders
and the courage to reach out to all in love,
so that together we may give glory to your holy name. Amen.

TRÓCAIRE

"Here are my hands, hold them. Please don't leave South Sudan alone. We need your prayers. We need your support. We need your love."

Fr. James Oyet Latansio, South Sudan Council of Churches.

This Lent, we learn more about the suffering of people who have lost their homes and loved ones to war, and how they are rebuilding their lives through love, friendship and solidarity. Lent 2021 Awut and Ajak lost their homes and loved ones to the conflict in South Sudan. They fled their villages with nothing but the clothes on their back, trekking through miles of dangerous bushland with no food or water for themselves or their children. Awut arrived in the community of Malek frightened, but was welcomed with loving arms by her new neighbours. Some time later, Ajak returned to Malek after having been away with her husband who was a soldier. Here, in this remarkable community, people whose lives were brought together by pain and suffering are starting new lives based on love, friendship and kindness. Every day remains a struggle for Awut and Ajak and their families. They struggle to earn money, grow food and attend school. Life continues to be full of challenges and obstacles for these amazing women, but they face these challenges together, with dignity and solidarity.