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<u>Second Sunday of Lent</u> The vision of Christ transfigured in glory is given to the three apostles, who will see him suffering in the Garden. This vision is also for our encouragement at the beginning of Lent. Through suffering and the cross we come to the crown of glory in heaven. A Lent well spent will bring us to a joyful celebration of Easter.

Mass intentions this week

Castleconnell 6:30pm 15th Mar

Edward Phayer (Month's Mind), Joan Phayer, John, Kathleen, Tom & Norah Agnes Moloney (Garden Hill) (Ann), Breda Bourke (Ann),

John & Helena Byrnes & deceased family members (Ann), Michael Scully (Ann)

Peggy & Peadar Keane (Ann), Damien Carmody (Ann).

<u>Castleconnell</u> <u>11:30am</u> <u>16th Mar</u>

Josephine McCabe & Peggy Duffy (Ann), Peggie O Regan (Ann),

Anne Skehan (Ann).

Ahane 10:00am 16th Mar

Private Intention

Mass intentions next week

<u>Castleconnell</u> <u>6:30pm</u> <u>22nd Mar</u>

Brendan Keane (Ann).

<u>Castleconnell</u> <u>11:30am</u> <u>23rd Mar</u>

John & Margaret Morrissey & their daughter Eileen (Ann),

Michael & Teresa Meehan, Lacka (Ann).

Ahane 10:00am 23rd Mar

Eileen & William Connolly (Ann).

<u>Lay Led Liturgy</u> Every Monday, led by the Pastoral Council. All are welcome. **Eucharistic Adoration** Every Thursday from 10am to 1pm. You are welcome to

visit the Blessed Sacrament during these hours.

<u>Pray for the repose of the soul</u> of Delia Donnelly (nee Mulqueen), and Sean Ryan, Lacka, who were laid to rest during the week. May they rest in peace.

Masses from St. Joseph's Church Castleconnell are being streamed for live viewing on our Webcam @ www.castleconnellparish.ie. Mass can also be heard on Radio 106.3fm

<u>Money Matters</u> Offertory collection €1,600. Many thanks for your on-going generous support and also many thanks to those who donate on line.

<u>Montpelier Community Centre</u> This weekend we are delighted to welcome the grant of €100,000 from the Dept of Community Affairs towards the restoration of the facilities. We are so thankful to Paul Slattery and the members of the Centre Committee for their hard work and huge efforts in getting the facilities restored. This grant is most welcome and will ensure the centre will continue to be a focal point in Montpelier.

<u>Ahane N. S. Confirmation</u> – We warmly welcome Bishop Fintan Monahan to our Parish to celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation on Sat, 22nd March at 11.00 am in St. Patrick's Church. We extend our prayers and blessings to each of the 16 children on this very special day in their lives. We also extend an invitation to members of our faith community to come and participate in this wonderful celebration and take the opportunity to meet the Bishop.

<u>Lenten Video series for Jubilee of Hope 2025</u> During the season of Lent, Holy Week and Easter Octave, Bishop Fintan will share short daily messages centred around the theme of Hope each day. This will be available on the main social media platforms, Facebook, X, Instagram, Linked-in, Bluesky, Tiktok and YouTube. The handle for most platforms is @BishopFintan. Welcome to view and share and happy Jubilee of Hope!



St Patrick's Day - Mass Times

St Partick's Ahane – 10.00 am

St Joseph's Castleconnell - 10.00 am

St Vincent's, Lisnagry – 11.30 am



Beannachtaí na Féile Pádraig oraibh!



Fancy a Chat & a Cuppa after Mass? Tea and coffee will be available after 10.00 Mass in Ahane this Sunday, 16th March, All welcome.

Mass Times

St Josephs, Castleconnell Mon – Fri 09.30, Saturday 18.30, Sunday 11.30 St Patricks, Ahane Sunday 10.00

St Vincents, Lisnagry Saturday 16.00