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The Baptism of the Lord 12th Jan. 2025.

May the waters of baptism, O Lord, bring us the new life of your love.

Next Pastoral Council Tues 14th Jan

- o We hope to finalise a Novena/Mission @ this meeting.
- o We will review how Christmas went and the distribution of parish envelopes.
- o We will arrange to invite volunteers for a local historical society.

Anointing of Sick and Healing Service

- o Weekend of Feb 1st and 2nd in all three parishes at all Masses.
- o It is also family Mass weekend
 The dates for first Reconciliation in our three parishes are as follows:
 - ❖ Thur. 13th Feb. 7pm Redwood
 - ❖ Thur. 27th Feb. 7pm Terryglass
 - ❖ Fri. 28th Feb. 7pm Borrisokane

Eucharistic Adoration: has now returned on Fridays

- 11am to 2.30pm. All welcome

Thanks for 5th Jan. Envelope Coll. € 1155 .00
 Offertory Coll: € 175.00

Remembered in our Masses this week

Sat. 11th Jan. 7pm James and Christine Comerford
 David Comerford
 Harry Murphy – 4th Anniversary

Rest in peace: Elizabeth Donnllan Enniscorthy.
 Mother-in-law of Joe Conway
 Christina King, Dunkerrin – sister-in-law of Gabriel King.
 Fr Sean Murphy, Milltown Malbay

Jubilee Year Prayer 2025



Father in heaven, may the faith you have given us in your Son, Jesus Christ, our brother, and the flame of charity enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit, reawaken in us the blessed hope for the coming of your Kingdom.

May your grace transform us into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel.

By Pope Francis – copies of full prayer available in porch

Get ready for “A sit down walk about Borrisokane, up and down the street from early 19th Century”

- o A Talk by local historian Eamon Slevin
- o **Friday 31st Jan. @8pm in Borrisokane** Community Centre on the Birr Road, next to Clarke Hall
- o Our second talk will be by Lisa Mc Geeney on “Women in 19th Cent. in Borrisokane Workhouse” **Friday 28th Feb 8pm**
- o For information and to help 087746044

Continuing Yoga in Borrisokane

- Monday nights 6:45- 8:15pm Tel 087- 7460444
- Beginners and those with stiffness welcome!

Would you like someone to talk to? Senior Line open all year 10am-10pm, Freephone 1800 80 45 91

Ministers of Word Readings 18/19th Jan. 2025
 7pm Maureen Darcy Is 62:1-5. Ps 95.
 10.30am Marie Darcy 1 Cor 12:4-11.
 Jn 2:1-11.

Ministers of Eucharist
 7pm M. Harding 10.30am V. Molloy

Welcome into our faith family Anna Loughnane baptised recently.

Confirmation 2025 the theme this year is Prayer and Hope. Please see the link below on prayer and hope.
[https://youtu.be/ S6Fbys3uLw?si=7NxiBCEn-B7C2VBO](https://youtu.be/S6Fbys3uLw?si=7NxiBCEn-B7C2VBO)

Weekly Reflection

What does Jesus say about prayer?
 The first thing he says is: - ‘When you pray, go into your inner room’



God is the centre of my soul.
 Interiority is the first element of Jesus’ teaching on prayer.

Edited “Sources of Wisdom” by Laurence Freeman OSB