

ST MANMANS NEWSLETTER
Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday 11th Aug 2019

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WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 8 pm Sunday 10 am

WEEKDAY MASSES

Mon, Tues, Fri 9am

Assumption of the Virgin Mary –

Wed – Vigil Mass 8 pm

Thursday – Holy Day 10 am

CONFESSIONS

Every 1st Friday before 7:30 pm Mass.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptisms available on Saturdays. To arrange a date contact 057-864-8030.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

It is advisable to give 6 months' notice of your intention to marry to the Church and the Registrar. Contact 057-864-8030 to book the church. All couples getting married must attend a pre-marriage course. Contact ACCORD for marriage preparation courses on 057-934-1831 or accordtull@eircom.net. Marriage & relationship counselling service Mon-Fri 9:30 am-1:30 pm.

WEBCAM – Live Mass feed on

www.mcmedia.tv under Clonaslee Parish

WHEELCHAIR available in sacristy if needed.

ALTAR SERVERS

Sat 17th Aug – Team B: Sally Morgan, Lily May Owens, Amelia Dunne, Bronagh Carroll

Sun 18th Aug – Team B: Ciara Breen, Cadhla McCann, Jack Kelly, Matthew Conroy

ANNIVERSARIES

Saturday 10th August - 8pm

William & Alice McRedmond, Clarahill. Their son Pat McRedmond & daughter Cathy Walsh
Sean Ricketts, Brocca

Joseph & Elizabeth Dunne, The Lodge
Julia May & Thomas Horan, Shracullen

Monday 12th August – 9 am

John Dunne, Chapel Street

Wednesday 14th August – 8 pm

Margaret & Joseph Digan, Coolagh

Saturday 17th August – 8 pm

John & Catherine Costello, Coonabanch & deceased members of Costello Family
Ben Hilliard, Shraduff

Sunday 18th August – 10 am

Geraldine Delaney, Coolacree, Cadamstown

Pray for Sarah Simcock, The Green and Pat Flynn, Coolnabanch, both who died during the week and Pat Byrne, Cloneygowan, Tullamore who died tragically in Cork.

TRIP TO OUR LADY'S ISLAND

Bus leaving from the Post Office on Thursday August 15 at 9 am. Cost is €20 return. Names must be in by Tuesday August 13 to 087-212-2766.

SOCIAL SERVICES OUTING

Our yearly outing is going to Hook Head, Wexford and John F Kennedy Arboretum Park on Thurs Aug 22nd leaving Post Office at 8 am. Cost for bus €15, evening meal in the Talbot Hotel is €20. We will stop for tea and scones on the way down. Free raffle on bus, a good day assured. Names to secretary Maura O'Gorman 087-212-2766 or chairman John Callaghan 083-471-2546.

CLONASLEE ST MANMANS LADIES 50/50

DRAW 3 RESULTS

Winner of €330: Mary Conroy, Boyle. Winner of €140: Eimear Kelly. Sellers prize €20: Kate Conroy. Next draw in Fallons on Wed 21st Aug. thanks to all who support our draw.

HERITAGE WALK

Barrowline Waterway Laois Heritage Society invites everyone to a family walk and talk on Sat Aug 31st from 2-5 pm at the canal in Vicarstown. There will be refreshments and a picnic along the way.

TIDY TOWNS

We would welcome more help on Thursdays at 7 pm. National judging is continuing so please keep

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your area neat and tidy; water the flowers to keep them alive during the warm weather.

BOTTLE BANK

The bottle and can banks are at the side of the shed at the end of the Community Centre. They haven't been put back to the original place since the tarmac was done.

SLIEVE BLOOM ASSOCIATION TOUR

Our annual tour is on Sat Aug 17th. We will tour Kilbeggan Distillery cost €7.50 and a day out at Lough Key Forest & Activity Park in Boyle cost €7. Meals/tour/park entry not included in bus price. Bus cost €15 per person, €5 children. Booking essential. Call 085-184-7390 or Matt 087-672-6290. Bus departs Clonaslee Post Office at 8:05 am. Open to everyone.

COMMUNITY ALERT

Do not entertain young people calling to your door selling lines with no ID. Unless people have proper ID do not entertain them. A lot of older people and others are worried about these callers.

CLONASLEE ST MANMANS GAA

The club has timber for sale in the field. A 12 x 6 trailer load delivered locally for only €150.

BINGO

Monthly bingo in Clonaslee Community Centre on Sunday Aug 25 at 3 pm. Doors open at 2:15 pm. Over €1,800 in prizes Please note we have changed to the 4th Sunday of every month except December it will be the 3rd Sunday.

MORNING YOGA

Yoga classes on Friday mornings in the Heritage Centre at 10 am. For more information contact Audrey on 085-863-3192. New members are very welcome, suitable for all levels.

MOUNTMELICK LIBRARY & GALLERY

Our main telephone line is out of order, if you wish to contact the library please ring 057-864-4588 to book any of the following events. Apologies for any inconvenience. It's not too late to register for the Summer Stars reading programme at your local library. It's for children up to 12 years of age and it's absolutely free. All you have to do is read 8 library books before August 31st. Get rewards as you go along. Tatiana

Feeney will be here on Fri Aug 16th at 10 am to read from her book "Eva and the Perfect Rain". Suitable for 4-8 year olds. Join us for Teddy Bear's Picnic story time and a picnic. Don't forget to bring your teddy. On Tues Aug 20th at 11 am. Booking essential on 057-864-4588. Straw craft workshop with Melanie Lauren on Fri Aug 23rd at 11 am. Suitable for all ages. Limited spaces. Wildlife workshop with author and illustrator Aga and Juanita on Fri Aug 23rd at 2 pm. Limited spaces so ring to book a place. Michael Moylan is here Sat Aug 24th at 11 am with his amazing live history show. Ring to book your place. Mountmellick Heritage Society exhibition is on display in The Gallery from Thurs Aug 15th until the end of August.

LAOIS OFFALY LOCAL LINK

Bus travels each Tuesday and Friday to Portlaoise leaving at 9:30 am, returns at 12:30 pm. Cost €3 return and travel pass accepted. Bus travels to Tullamore every Thursday leaving at 9:30 am, returns at 12:15 pm from the Bridge Centre. Cost €3 return. Bus travels to Bingo each Sunday leaving Clonaslee at 7:30 pm. It is a door to door pick up. The bus will also drop you at hospitals or train stations. Any queries or to book your seat you must phone or text the evening before to 057-869-2168 or 087-743-7444

CLONASLEE PARISH LOTTO

Jackpot not won. Winning no: 1-6-2. €30 winners: The Grandchildren, c/o Maura O'Gorman; Liam Conroy, Hillside View; Patricia Barrett, Bellair; Dylan, Ava & Leah O'Gorman, c/o Maura O'Gorman; Masie, Charlie & Hunter c/o J Cusack; Ann Marie Visochi, Clonaslee. Promoters prize: S Finnamore, Ger Kelly, Eileen Digan. Next week's Jackpot: €1,700. Give a gift card for birthdays or a special occasion. Lotto gift vouchers can be purchased at the Heritage Centre or from Dolores Murray on 087-414-8093.

CLONASLEE ST MANMAN'S GAA LOTTO

Jackpot not won. Winning no: 5-17-26-28. €40 winners: Brid Higgins, MRHP, Sharon & Boys, Paddy Farrell. Promoter's prize: Hickeys. Next week's Jackpot: €5,650.