

ST MANMANS NEWSLETTER

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday 11th August 2024

Fr. Thomas O'Reilly, P.P. Phone: 057-864-8030

Parish Website: www.clonasleeparish.com

Diocesan Website: www.kandle.ie

Charity Number: 07355

Local Safeguarding Representatives: Jackie Hyland, Caroline Mills

Director of Safeguarding Children: Ailish Higgins: 085-802-1633 Email: safeguarding@kandle.ie

Sean Ricketts, Brocca

Lizzie & Tom Conroy, Ballinahemmy &

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 8 pm Sunday 10 am

WEEKDAY MASSES

Mon, Tues, Wed, Friday 9 am

Wed -Vigil - Feast of the Assumption 8 pm

Thurs – Feast of the Assumption 10 am

View a video broadcast of masses in Clonaslee daily at 9 am, Saturday 8 pm, Sunday 10 am on this direct link <https://churchmedia.tv/st-manmans-church>

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptisms available on Saturdays. To arrange a date contact Fr. O'Reilly on 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 9:30am-1:30 pm.

EUCCHARIST: 14th/15th Aug: Team A
17th/18th Aug: Team B

ANNIVERSARIES

Saturday 10th August – 8 pm

Months Mind, Rita Flynn, Graigueafulla

Months Mind, Kevin Carroll, Fordress/
Castlecuffe

Sean Conroy, the Glebe, his parents Chris & Elizabeth & members of the Conroy Family, Cappanagraigue

deceased members of the Conroy family
Joseph & Elizabeth Dunne, The Lodge

Sunday 11th August – 10 am

Bridie Coughlan nee Conroy, Shraduff

Bernard & Bridget Multaney, Coolagh

Margaret & Joseph Digan, Coolagh

Paddy Tynan, Garryheather & deceased

members of the Tynan & Hayes Families

Monday 12th August – 9 am

Matt, Katie, John & Paddy Dunne, Chapel
Street

Thursday 15th August – 1 pm

Memorial Mass, Paddy Flynn, London &
Garryheather

Saturday 17th August – 8 pm

Months Mind, Liz Kennedy, Sliabh Bloom

Park & Martin Kennedy, Sliabh Bloom Pk
John & Catherine Costelloe & members of the
Costelloe Family, Coolnabanch

Sean Clear, Cush

James & Christina Kelly, Scaroon, their son

Seamus; nephews Paddy & Jack Conroy

formerly of Scaroon; members of the Kelly
& Dunne Families.

Pray for

Vincent Allen, Edenderry, Jackie Hyland's
father.

Donie (Daniel) McRedmond, Clonard Meath,
formerly of Main Street.

Maura Russell, Mackney, Ballinasloe,
formerly of Larrigan, all who died recently.

CLONASLEE TIDY TOWNS

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Thank you to the Clonaslee Cemetery Committee for recently getting the Cemetery wall power washed and painted. It looks great and is greatly appreciated.

Family workshop: Building with LEGO® Bricks with Professional Brick Artist Jessica Farrell on Wednesday August 21st from 10:30 am. Booking essential. In the Gallery for the month of August is *Life in the Mountmellick*

THANK YOU

Clonaslee Social Services thank Mountmellick Credit Union for their very generous sponsorship for our committee. It is very much appreciated.

THANKS

The CCDA sincerely thank Mountmellick Credit Union for granting us our application under their local community funding scheme 2024. We look forward to the Credit Union soon opening their newly built office on Tullamore Road, Clonaslee.

CREDIT UNION

The Credit Union is in the Community Centre kitchen every Friday from 4 pm – 5:45 pm.

TFI LOCAL LINK BUS

This bus travels to Portlaoise every Tuesday and Friday and to Tullamore every Thursday leaving from the village at 9 am. Travel pass is accepted. Cost is €3 return for adults and children over 5 years old. *You must book the evening before prior to 5 pm on 057-869-2168. Bus service* from Birr to Portlaoise Monday to Sunday. Pick up point is Londis Clonaslee. Weekday times: 6:28, 10:28, 14:13, 17:58, 21:53. Sunday: 8:43, 12:53, 16:58, 20:23. Cost €4 return and Free Travel Pass Accepted. Travels on Bank Holidays. More info call 057-869-2168

MOUNTMELICK LIBRARY

Our annual *Teddy Bear's Picnic* will take place on Tuesday August 20th at 3 pm. Booking advised. Bring your furry friend.

Malt Factory: A collection of documents, photographs and stories from the Mountmellick Malt Factory. Also, photos & documents from the life of Dr Werner Schwarz who fled Nazi Germany and found love in the Malt Factory. *Kite Workshop* on Tues Aug 13th at 11 am, booking essential. *Drop in quilt workshop* on Sat Aug 17th from 10 am – 1:30 pm with Laois Quilter Ethelda Ellis. *My First Little Library Bag* is available to every child starting Big school in September, drop in to receive yours. The *Summer stars reading programme* is underway. Sign up at your local library to start the summer reading adventure. *Lego Free Play* on Saturday mornings from 10:30 am to 12:30 pm. If interested in any of the above and you wish to register or find out more call 057-868-9382 or

email mountmellicklibrary@laoiscoco.ie

CLONASLEE PARISH LOTTO

Jackpot won congratulations to Liam Conroy, Afoley on winning €500. Winning no: 6-9-5. €30 winners: Ita & Tommy Delaney, Brocca; Deirdre Comerford, Brocca; Nan Hill, Killeigh; Tony Slevin, Coolagh; Jamie Langford, Clonaslee; Breda Delaney, Larrigan. Promoter's prize: Fallons, Hogans, Mary Rose Corbet. Next week's Jackpot: €500. Lotto gift vouchers can be purchased from Dolores Murray on 087-414-8093 or Betty Finnerty, Chapel Street.

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LOTTO

Jackpot not won. Winning no: 4-19-21-25.

€30 winners: Jackie Farrington, Fallon Girls,

Patrick & Robert Delaney, Tricia Bracken,

Sean Nolan. Promoter's prize: Fallons. Next

week's Jackpot: €9,100 in Downeys Bar.