ST MANMANS NEWSLETTER Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday 16th February 2014

Fr. Thomas O'Reilly, P.P.

Parish Website:www.clonasleeparish.com

COMMUNITY ALERT

The AGM of Clonaslee Community Alert is on Monday February 17th at 8:30 pm in the Community Centre. Everyone welcome to attend.

Phone: 057-864-8030

CLONASLEE ST MANMANS GAA

Diocesan Website:www.kandle.ie

Registration is on Friday February 21st at 7:30 pm in the Community Centre.

Membership is now due for all members, players, adults, juveniles and juvenile rounders. All new members welcome. No pay, no play as per Croke Park rules and guidelines.

CLONASLEE CHOIR

Our choir will be travelling to Waterford on February 23rd to sing at mass. The bus is now full. This is a great opportunity to perform the Brittas mass outside our area.

MISSION

There will be a mission in St Manman's church from Monday May 19th to Friday May 23rd. Mark your calendars for this enlightening talk. More information later.

SOLO CONCERT

Local Tom Conroy will feature in 2 solo concerts, singing and playing piano. He will be in the Heritage Hotel, Portlaoise on this Wednesday February 19th at 9:30 pm and on Friday March 28th at 8 pm in Tullamore Court Hotel. Tickets cost €10 and available at the door.

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 8 pm Sunday 10 am

WEEKDAY MASSES

Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri 9 am

ALTAR SERVERS

Sat Feb 22nd – Team B: Jessica Baker, Amy

Farrington, John Blake.

Sun Feb 23rd – Team B: Luke Dunne, Eimear

Lee, Sean Lee.

ANNIVERSARIES

Saturday 15th February

8 pm Richard & Catherine O'Keeffe, The Green 8 pm Tom Higgins, Brocca

Sunday 16th February

10 am Peter & Margaret Maher & all the deceased members of the Maher Family, Ballinalug

Saturday 22nd February

8 pm Tom & Winnie Delaney, Brocca

Sunday 23rd February

10 am **Months Mind,** Kit Carroll, Shracullen 10 am Noreen Foynes, Ballykaneen

1st COMMUNION PROGRAMME

The First Communion programme continues this Sunday at the 10 am Mass.

MISSION COLLECTION

Our pre Lent Mission collection for Sr Bridie Hogan in Zambia and Fr PJ Clear in Brazil will take place next weekend Feb 22nd/23rd in the boxes inside the church doors. Fr Clear has returned safelyu to Brazil and he thanks everyone for their concern and generosity while he was home. Thank you all for your faithful support.

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CCDA REPORT

The AGM was held on Monday February 10th in the Community Centre. Reports were given by the secretary, treasurer and chairperson. Reports were also read from Tidy Towns, Social Services and Community Alert. Other things mentioned was Scoil Bhríde clothes drive, family bingo, Tom Conroy solo concert, enrolment in both national schools, handball court, disco's. A vote of sympathy for all who lost loved ones in the past year. Officers were elected as follows: President, Fr O'Reilly; Chairperson, Dolores Murray; Vice Chairperson, Pat Corbet; Secretary, Maura O'Gorman; Vice Secretary, Blathnaid Delaney; Treasurer, Mary Rose Corbet; Assistant Treasurer, Matt Barrett; PRO, Annette Doolan. The next meeting will be on March 10th at 8:30 pm in the Community Centre.

CHILDMINDER

Qualified and experience child-minder, offering a home away from home. References available, Clonaslee area. Aoife Rosney 087-135-6007.

SCOIL BHRÍDE ENROLMENT

The village primary school is currently endeavouring to determine numbers for the school year 2014 –2015. It is imperative that parents of all Junior infants for September 2014 contact the school in writing over the next few weeks. Please give details of child's name, address, date of birth

and PPS number and your own contact number.

Actual forms will be given later in year for all those who make contact with us now. Telephone 057-864-8334 between 2pm and 4pm each day for

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CASTLECUFFE NS ENROLMENT

Diocesan Website:www.kandle.ie

Please contact Castlecuffe National School on 057-864-8238 if you wish to enrol your child for the school term starting in September 2014. Enrolment forms and information will be given to parents.

WANTED

further details.

Experienced, reliable lady to look after 2 children, Monday – Friday. Phone 087-414-4299.

MOUNTMELLICK DRAMA FESTIVAL

From Fri 7th March – Fri 14th March at 8 pm nightly. Ticket €10 per night or season ticket €50.

CLONASLEE PARISH LOTTO

Jackpot not won. Winning no: 22-23-24.

€30 winners: Declan Farrell, Rosenallis; Niamh
O'Donovan, Clonaslee; Conor Devane, Portumna;
John Cusack, Clonaslee; Edel Dunne, Chapel
Street; Jim Costello, Clonaslee. Promoter's prize:
Mary Rose Corbet, Shirley Langford, Clonaslee
Pharmacy. Next week's Jackpot: €2,000.

CLONASLEE ST MANMANS GAA LOTTO

Jackpot not won Winning no: 24-4-2-14. €40 winners: Edmund Dunne, Eamonn Conroy, Peter Costello, Mary Whelan, Jimmy Conroy. Promoter's prize: Pat Carroll.

Next week's Jackpot: €3,250.