ST MANMANS NEWSLETTER Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday 16th June 2013

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WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 8 pm Sunday 10 am

WEEKDAY MASSES

Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri 9 am

ALTAR SERVERS

Sat June 22nd – Team B: Lorcan Callaghan, Annie Digan, Emma Conroy, Amy Farrington. Sun June 23rd – Team B: Roisin Scully, Rachel O'Meara, Emma Lawlor, Mary Hyland.

ANNIVERSARIES

Saturday 15th June

8 pm Mary Mills, Cush

8 pm Teresa Murray, Bellair

8 pm Margaret Tynan, Garryheather

Saturday 22nd June

8 pm Cathy Walsh, Brocca

8 pm Terry McRedmond, Glebe

8 pm Margaret & Bill Deegan, Cadamstown

8 pm Matthew & Daniel Hogan, Scaroon

CEREMONY OF PRAYER

In the footsteps of our ancestors, an ecumenical walk of prayer between Church of Ireland and the Barrow Rise pastoral group on Sunday June 23rd assembling in the village green Killeigh at 7 pm. This evening involves an introduction to historical religious sites in the four parishes Rosenallis, Mountmellick, Clonaslee and Killeigh, with prayer and reflection.

COFFEE MORNING

Clonaslee ICA is hosting a coffee morning on Friday June 21^{ST} from 10 am - 12 noon in aid of Garrett Culliton/Laois Sports Partnership

Fundraiser at A.J.'s (Clonaslee Inn). Please support this worthy cause. Everyone welcome.

SLIEVE BLOOM WALK

21st Annual Slieve Bloom Walk in aid of cancer is on Saturday June 29th starting from Clonaslee Community Centre at 11 am. Refreshments en route with complimentary meal at finish. Contact Donal Conroy 057-864-8034 or Joe Fitzpatrick 057-934-3638.

PLAYGROUP

Tir na n'Og playgroup are now enrolling for September 2013, we are currently participating in the ECCE scheme (free year). For further details or to enrol your child contact Mary on 057 864-8988 or 086-361-8905.

OPEN EVENING

Laois/Offaly Friesian Breeders are hosting an open evening on Kevin Flynn's Clonaslee farm on Thursday June 20 at 7:30pm. Stock judging will take place with Padraig Murphy as the judge and will be followed by light refreshments. All are very welcome.

PARISH COUNCIL

Meeting on Mon 24th June at 8:30 pm in Fr Shortall room. All members please attend.

CEMETERY MASSES

Corrigeen Cemetery - Friday June 28 at 8 pm Kilmanman Cemetery - Friday July 5 at 8 pm.

CLODIAGH PLAYERS

Members were given scripts to read over and we will be having a reading on Sunday June 16th at

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7:30 pm in the Parochial Hall. A workshop will be held on July 7 after which the cast will be chosen for our new production.

TELEVISED MASS

RTE will be recording a live mass on Sunday July 21st at 11 am from St Manman's Church. Fr O'Reilly is hoping for a large turnout to celebrate mass and our bicentenary year.

CHOIR

Practice every Sunday at 6:30 pm in the church. We need a large group to sing for the televised mass on Sunday July 21st and are especially looking for male singers.

CLONASLEE PHARMACY

Clonaslee Pharmacy opening on Mon June 24th please call in for a cup of tea and a look around.

TIDY TOWNS

Work evening Tuesday and Thursday at 6pm from Heritage Centre. Committee would welcome more help. Judging for Inter-community litter challenge continues, cigarette butts are causing a problem for the committee. Please put butts in bins as they are outside all premises in the village. Thanks to all those who sweep each morning.

DIOCESAN CHOIR DVD

A DVD of the recent pilgrimage to Paris by the Diocesan Choir, where they sang at Mass in Notre Dame on the feast of St. Patrick, is now available. There is a donation of €10 per DVD. Anyone interested in purchasing these, please contact Christine at 059-9164084 or email fds@kandle.ie

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FAMILY BINGO

Family bingo on Sunday June 23 from 2:30 - 4 pm in the Parochial hall. Cost €2. All welcome.

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Clonaslee Community Employment Vacancy

Ref No. ES-767026. Tidy Towns Worker

required for C.E.Scheme. Duties include general maintenance and development of green areas in the village and surrounds. Applicants must supply suitable character references and be prepared to complete a Garda vetting application form. Applicants should contact FAS Employment Services (quoting the above reference number) to check eligibility before applying for this position. Please post CV to: Supervisor, Community Employment Scheme, Community Centre, Bellair, Clonaslee, Co Laois.

CLONASLEE PARISH LOTTO

Jackpot not won Winning no: 16-18-9.

€30 winners: PJ Comerford, Clonaslee; Billy
Multany, Clonaslee; Enda Comerford, Brocca;
David and Noeleen Smith; C Breen Clonaslee;
Ann Hooke c/o Maura. Promoter's prize: Maura
O'Gorman, Nuala Smith, Rigneys.

Next week's Jackpot: €650.

CLONASLEE ST MANMANS GAA LOTTO

Jackpot not won. Winning no: 6-5-12-27. €40 winners: Scully Family, Ber Sutherland, Eamonn Conroy, Lauren Fallon, Tom Hutchinson. Promoter's prize: Podriag Conroy.

Next week's Jackpot: €4000.