ST MANMANS NEWSLETTER Twenty Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time Sunday 17th October 2010

Fr. Thomas O'Reilly, P.P.

Parish Website:www.clonasleeparish.com

WEEKEND MASSES

Sat 8 pm Sun 10 am

WEEKDAY MASSES

Mon, Tues, Wed 9 am

Thurs – Communion Service 9 am

Friday 7:30 pm

ALTAR SERVERS

Sat Oct 23rd – Team C: Marguerite Hogan,

Aoife Hyland, Joseph McRedmond, Ellen

Conroy, Gary Kelly. Sun Oct 24th – Team C:

Grace Foynes, Orla Fitzgerald, Rebecca

Rigney, Patrick Blake, Ciara Lee.

ANNIVERSARIES

Saturday 16th October

8 pm Joseph Daly, Main Street

8 pm John Hogan, Hillside

Sunday 17th October

10 am Donie Gaffney, Clarahill

10 am Michael Fitzgerald,

Garryheather

10 am Joseph Egan, Coolnamoney

Saturday 23rd October

8 pm Months Mind, Sean Rowney,

Shracullen

8 pm Rose & Timothy Murray, Nan &

Richard Connor, Miss O'Dwyer,

Michael Conroy, Coolaboughlan

8 pm Josephine McEvoy, Bellair

Sunday 24th October

10 am Philomena Conway, Coolagh & William Coady, Kilcormac

WORLD MISSION DAY

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Sunday October 24 is World Mission Day. The mission month of October invites the Christian community to reflect upon its responsibility to commit itself for mission through prayer, sacrifice and financial support.

Phone: 864-8030

COMMUNITY ALERT

Meeting on Mon 18th at 8:45 pm in Community Centre. All members please attend, new members welcome. Be vigilant these dark evenings as many strangers were around last week. Elderly people please carry your panic button & use your peephole before answering the door. Community Alert Safety month will take place throughout the month of Oct. The aim is to raise the awareness of the Community Alert programme within communities and its positive impact on rural communities.

CHURCH GATE COLLECTION

Collection next weekend at both masses in aid of the Irish Red Cross. Your support would be appreciated.

SVP CHRISTMAS CARDS

Saint Vincent de Paul Christmas cards are available at the back of the church this weekend.

COMMUNITY GAMES

Urgent – Clonaslee/Rosenallis Community

Games due to lack of parental/adult support

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will be disbanded on Mon Oct 18th. Last year over 90 children in the parishes participated with 72 medals being won. If you're interested in ensuring the survival of our local Community Games, please come to a meeting in Clonaslee Community Centre on Mon 18th Oct at 8 pm and offer your support

CONGRATULATIONS

Clonaslee Tidy Towns were overall winners in category B at Laois Federation of Tidy Towns Environment Awards last Thursday night. Congratulations to all on the Green who won best housing and environment award, a credit to them. Clonaslee Tidy Towns also received merit certificate in the Inter Community Litter Challenge. Well done to all involved in receiving those awards for Clonaslee.

CHRISTMAS SHOE BOX APPEAL

Children in Castlecuffe NS, Scoil Bhríde and Voc School will be receiving leaflets during the week. A shoebox gift can turn another ordinary day in a needy child's life into something very special. Anyone can participate. Contact Annette Doolan for leaflet and information on 087-988-1046.

A NIGHT OF HOPE & PRAYER

With Medjugorje visionary Ivanka on Sun 17th Oct in the Cathedral of the Assumption, Carlow. You are most welcome to join us in prayer for this special occasion. 6pm –

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Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Rosary. 7pm Sunday evening mass. Music by Michael English.

FASHION SHOW

A Fashion Show in aid of the Laois Branch of the Irish Wheelchair Association on Wed Oct 27 in Heritage Golf & Spa Hotel, Killenard. Special guest is RTE's Donnacha O'Dulaing. Tickets available from Ballybrittas Post Office and the Heritage Golf & Spa Hotel.

HALLOWEEN FANCY DRESS BALL

In aid of Laois Offaly Families for Autism on Sat 30th Oct in Heritage Hotel, Portlaoise from 7:30pm to late. Tickets €0 including drinks reception, 4 course meal and dancing. Advance booking required, contact Edel 087-233-9572 or Jackie 086-106-2770.

CLONASLEE PARISH LOTTO

Jackpot won! €2,900 for Josie Fitzgerald,
Jimmy Carroll, Yvonne Duffy, J Carroll.
Winning no: 5-12-19.
€30 winners: Mgt Digan, Cadamstown; Edel
Dunne, Clonaslee; S.J. & C.Murphy, c/o
Matt; K & J Rigney, c/o K Blake; Jos & A
Digan, Coolagh; Agnes Hogan, c/o Peavoys.
Promoters Prize: Matt Barrett, B Conroy,
Mary O'Keeffe.
Next week's Jackpot: €500.

CLONASLEE ST MANMANS GAA LOTTO

Jackpot not won. Winning no: 23-27-2-25. €40 winners: John Brearton, Rory & Eileen Conroy, Margaret Mullins, Mrs Bracken, Lorna Bourke.

Promoters Prize: JJ & Liz Carroll. Next week's Jackpot: €6,250.