

# ST MANMANS NEWSLETTER

## The Ascension of the Lord

Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2019

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### WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 8 pm Sunday 10 am

### WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thurs 9 am

Friday – Clonaslee Cemetery Mass 8 pm

### CONFESSIONS

Every 1<sup>st</sup> 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](mailto:accordtull@eircom.net). Also on offer marriage & relationship counselling service Mon-Fri 9:30 am-1:30 pm.

### WEBCAM – Live Mass feed on

[www.mcnmedia.tv](http://www.mcnmedia.tv) under Clonaslee Parish

### WHEELCHAIR available in sacristy if needed.

### NOTE

All groups, organisations, clubs please advise the parish office on 864-8030 two weeks in advance if you holding a church gate collection

### ALTAR SERVERS

Sat 8<sup>th</sup> June – Team B: Sally Morgan, Lily May Owens, Amelia Dunne, Bronagh Carroll

Sun 9<sup>th</sup> June – Team B: Ciara Breen, Cadhla McCann, Jack Kelly, Matthew Conroy

### ANNIVERSARIES

#### Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> June – 8 pm

Ben Egan, Rathcoffey

Brother Philbert Egan, Rathcoffey & DeLaSalle, Castletown

#### Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> June – 10 am

Patrick & Anne Conroy, Brittas and members of the Conroy Family

#### Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> June – 8 pm

Joe Dunne, Garryheather

### Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June – 10 am

Helena Conroy, Ashbrook

### VISITATION OF THE SICK

The sick and invalids of the parish will be visited on Thurs 6<sup>th</sup> & Fri 7<sup>th</sup> June in the morning.

### ADORATION

Eucharistic adoration is in the Fr Shortall Room on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June from 10 am – 7 pm.

### CEMETERY MASSES – 8 PM

Clonaslee: June 7<sup>th</sup>, Corrigeen: June 14<sup>th</sup>, Kilmanman: July 5<sup>th</sup>.

### K&L DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE LOURDES

On 1<sup>st</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> Aug. Cost €759. Clonaslee Parish are still looking for one person from our parish who would benefit from a pilgrimage to Lourdes. The parish will pay for this person; their carer will pay their own fare. If you know of anyone wishing to travel, please contact Fr O'Reilly.

### TRÓCAIRE

Thank you to all who support the Trócaire campaign. To date our parish collected €3,655.

### 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.

### TIDY TOWNS

The bins at the Post Office, Slieve Bloom Park and Hillside Estate are being filled with household rubbish. The bins are currently being looked at to remove them for good. €150 on the spot fine will be issued by Laois County Council.

### HOLY CROSS

Bus will travel on Thurs June 6<sup>th</sup> leaving at 6 pm sharp. Please give your names to 087-212-2766 before Tues 4<sup>th</sup> June. Cost is €15 return and €5 for tea and sandwiches. Only 3 seats left.

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### **CLINIC**

Carol Nolan Clinic is on Friday June 7<sup>th</sup> from 6 – 7 pm in the Parochial Hall, if you have any issues to discuss with her.

### **REARY CEMETERY**

Cemetery mass is on Thurs June 13<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm.

### **CLONASLEE ST MANMANS GAA**

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

Contact any committee member.

### **COMMUNITY ALERT**

Laois County Council is holding a meeting on Wed June 5<sup>th</sup> at 6 pm in the Chamber, Aras an Chontae, Portlaoise regarding community CCTV schemes in Laois. Contact Emma on 057-866-4150 if you are attending.

### **BINGO**

Bingo in Clonaslee Community Centre, please note we have changed to the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of every month except December it will be the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday.

### **2019 LAOIS COMMUNITY & VOLUNTARY**

### **AWARDS**

The awards acknowledge groups and individuals who, through their commitment to voluntary and community activities, have played a significant role in enhancing the quality of life in their communities. Laois County Council in partnership with Laois Public Participation Network will celebrate the 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary at a Gala Event in the Midlands Park Hotel on Fri, Oct 18<sup>th</sup>.

Nomination forms are available on-line or in paper format via Laois County Council, Laois PPN. For further details call 057-8664150 or email [awards@laoiscoco.ie](mailto:awards@laoiscoco.ie) Closing date for nominations is Fri July 5<sup>th</sup>.

### **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.

### **MOUNTMELICK LIBRARY & GALLERY**

'Colours of my Mind', a textile art exhibition featuring work by Joke Buursma and Ethelda Ellis will run for June during library hours. Yoga and mindfulness from Wednesday June 19 for four weeks from 11:30 am to 12:30 pm. Participants can use a chair or a yoga mat. Places are limited so booking is essential. Call 057-864-4588 to book your place. Baby Book Club on every Tuesday at 10:30 am. For babies and children aged 0 – 3 years and their carers. Come along to this free session to talk, sing, read, write and play with your little one. A great introduction to books in a fun and friendly environment.

### **CLONASLEE PARISH LOTTO**

Jackpot not won. Winning no: 23-2-9.  
€30 winners: S Fitzpatrick, Brittas; Deirdre & Susie, c/o Nuala Smith; Emma O'Brien, Mountmellick; Mick Kelly, c/o Whist; Hogans Shop; Val Hogan, Clonaslee. Promoter's prize: Flynn's PO, Peavoy's, Ann Rigney. 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: 3-10-13-23.  
€40 winners: Emma Hogan, Hillview, Liz Daly, Tinnahinch, Noel Maher, Gracefield. Promoter's prize: CSM Ladies. Next week's Jackpot: €4,150.