

ST MANMANS NEWSLETTER

Pentecost Sunday

Sunday 20th May 2018

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WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 8 pm Sunday 10 am

WEEKDAY MASSES

Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri 9 am

CONFESSIONS

Every 1st 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. Also on offer marriage & relationship counselling service Mon-Fri 9:30 am-1:30 pm.

WEBCAM – Live Mass feed on www.mcnmedia.tv under Clonaslee Parish

PARISH HALL

All bookings for the Parish Hall must be made, prior to use, by contacting John 083-471-2546.

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 26th May, 8 pm: Team A: Lily May Owens, Amy Thornton, Emily Lambe, Amelia Dunne

Sun 27th May, 10 am: Team A: Niamh Kelly, Daniel O'Meara, Michael Poole, Ciara Breen, Peter Foynes

ANNIVERSARIES

Saturday 19th May – 8 pm

Patrick Carroll, Ballykaneen
Edward & Margaret McCann, Ashbrook

Sunday 20th May – 10 am

Jim Mahon, Chapel Street & Australia
John & Kit Carroll, Shracullen
Dick & Sheila Underwood, Old Rectory & Cappanagraigue

Wednesday 23rd May – 9 am

Michael & Mary Lawlor, Cloonagh

Saturday 26th May – 8 pm

Months Mind, Eilish Maher, Main Street
Alan McEvoy, Bellair

Mary & Terence Hogan, Scaroon
Eamon & Sadie Kennedy, Cloonagh
Ellen Rigney, Garryheather

Sunday 27th May – 10 am

Patrick & Ann Conroy, Brittas

Pray for Mary Hogan, Broughla who died during the week. Funeral mass Sun 20th May at 12 noon.

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION – May

That the lay faithful may fulfil their specific mission, by responding with creativity to the challenges that face the world today.

1ST COMMUNION

1st Communion is on Sat 26th May at 12 noon.

COLLECTION

Collection for World Meeting of Families is next weekend. Please use your monthly envelopes.

CCDA

CCDA meeting is on Monday 21st May at 8:30 pm in the Community Centre.

CEMETERY MASSES – 8 PM

Clonaslee: June 1st, Corrigeen: June 8th,
Kilmanman: June 15th.

REARYMORE CEMETERY MASS

Annual cemetery mass in Rearymore is Thurs June 14th at 7:30 pm.

RELIC of Padre Pio & St Therese of Lisieux

Coming to Abbeyliex Church on Wed May 23rd from 2:30 – 5:30 pm. Mass at 3:30 pm.

K&L PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE

Bishop Nulty invites you to the Shrine of Our Lady of Knock on Sunday 3rd June. Diocesan Choir directed by Fr Liam Lawton. Ceremonies begin at 2:30 pm in the Basilica.

REFERENDUM – PROPOSED CHANGE

Please vote on Friday 25th May, it is your voice.

The Supreme Court held Article 43.3.3 is **the only constitutional right of an unborn child** in Ireland. We are being asked: *Do you wish to remove this right completely from the constitution and To allow the Oireachtas of the present and the future to make laws allowing abortion, without further consulting the people of Ireland.*

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PLEASE GIVE BLOOD

Blood clinic in St Patrick's NS Mountmellick, Thurs, 24th May from 5 – 8:30 pm.

KANDLE FAMILY FUN DAY

It's only a month away! Put the date in your diary - Sat June 16th, 2-6 pm in the grounds of Carlow College, St Patrick's. Invite the extended family, think about a picnic and start praying for good weather!! It's going to be a great day, even better if you're there! See Kandle.ie for details.

TIDY TOWNS

We will be out on Thurs May 24th starting at 6 pm from the Heritage Centre. All beds need to be weeded and pots planted up. All ages welcome.

CLOTHES COLLECTION

Castlecluffe N.S. is having a clothes collection on Fri June 8th. Your support is appreciated.

COMMUNITY ALERT

Church gate collection is on May 26th/27th. Your support is much appreciated. Sympathy to Teresa Maloney on the death of her mother. Teresa installs the alarms for the elderly and has always been most helpful to Clonaslee

HOLY CROSS

Bus will travel on Thurs June 7th leaving at 6 pm. Please give your names to 087-212-2766. Cost is €15 return and €5 if you require tea and sandwiches. Bus collects in Rosenallis and Mountmellick.

TIR na NOG PLAYSCHOOL CLOTHING COLLECTION

Tir na nog playschool are having a clothing collection to raise money to develop their outdoor area. Any re-wearable clothes, paired shoes, belts, handbags, curtains, towels, bed linen, soft toys are accepted. Please drop off items before 9:30 am Thurs May 24th.

FLY POSTING

Clonaslee Tidy Towns allow no fly posting in and around the village. All posters must go outside the 60 km signs. The village looks must cleaner without the posters. Thank you for your cooperation.

COMEDY PLAY

'Da'by Hugh Leonard is in the Dunamais Theatre on May 25th. Bus will leave at 7 pm. Cost is €10 return. Tickets are €14 per person and must be in by Tues May 22nd. A good night is promised.

SOCIAL SERVICES BINGO

Social Services Bingo is on every Wednesday at 2 pm in the Community Centre.

LAOIS OFFALY LOCAL LINK

Bus travels each Tues and Fri to Portlaoise leaving at 9:30 am, returns at 12:30 pm. Cost €3 return and travel pass accepted. Bus travels to Tullamore every Thurs leaving at 9:30 am, returns at 12:15 pm from the Bridge Centre. Cost €3 return. Bus travels to Bingo each Sun 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.

CLONASLEE PARISH LOTTO

Jackpot not won. 25th Anniversary results.

Winning no: 20-22-13. €30 winners: Anna May Dowling, Eve Dean's c/o J Carroll; John & Jennifer O'Gorman; Maura O'Gorman; Patricia Barrett; Pat Maher; A Egan c/o Kathleen Blake; Paddy Dunne; Mary & Hetty; Noel Carroll; Brian Rickards; John Barrett. Promoter's prize: Ann Rigney, Nuala Smith, Nuala Smith, Eddie Dunne, Dan O'Neill, Matt Barrett. Next week's Jackpot: €1,550. For birthdays or a special occasion, Lotto gift cards can be purchased at the Heritage Centre Mon-Thurs 11 am – 3 pm and Fri 9:30 am – 1 pm.

CLONASLEE ST MANMAN'S GAA LOTTO

Jackpot not won. Winning no: 9-15-19-28.

€40 winners: Niall Hogan, Jimmy McEvoy, Declan Callaghan. Promoter's prize: Neil Digan. Next week's Jackpot: €2,800.