

ST MANMANS NEWSLETTER

Twenty First Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday 21st August 2022

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PLEASE WEAR YOUR MASKS DURING MASS

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 8 pm Sunday 10 am

WEEKDAY MASSES

Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri 9 am

View a video broadcast of masses in Clonaslee daily at 9 am, Saturday 8 pm, Sunday 10 am on this direct link <https://churchmedia.tv/st-manmans-church>

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Baptisms available on Saturdays. To arrange a date contact Fr. O'Reilly on 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. Marriage & relationship counselling service Mon-Fri 9:30am-1:30 pm.

EUCHARIST: 27th/28th Aug: Team B

ANNIVERSARIES

Saturday 20th August – 8 pm

Sean Conroy, The Glebe & members of the

Conroy Family, Capanagraigue

Sean Clear, Cush

Saturday 27th August – 8 pm

Frank & Margaret Dunne, Cloonagh, their son

Joseph & grandson Michael Lynch

Lizzie & Tom Conroy, Ballinahemmy & deceased

members of the Conroy Family

Sunday 28th August – 10 am

Months Mind, Christy Lambe, Birmingham

Bernard & Bridget Multaney, Coolagh

Geraldine Delaney nee Dooley, Coolacree

EUCHARISTIC MINISTER LIST

New list for the Eucharistic Ministers for the coming year is on the Sacred Heart Altar.

PAROCHIAL HALL

If you wish to book the Parochial Hall, contact John on 083-471-2546.

SOCIAL SERVICES OUTING

The annual outing will take place Thurs Aug 25th. Bus leaving Clonaslee at 8 am sharp from the Post Office. Please have €35 ready as it will be collected before boarding. We will stop in Naas for tea and scones. Glasnevin tour at 12 noon. There is a café and gift shop for those who do not want to go on tour. Next will be the Botanic Gardens and on to Liffey Valley about 4 pm. Our evening meal is booked for 6 pm. Free raffle on the bus both coming and going. A good day assured for all. It has been several years since our last outing. Any queries contact Secretary Maura on 087-212-2766.

UKRAINIAN INDEPENDENCE DAY

Come celebrate with our friends from Ukraine. All welcome, wear blue and yellow whole experiencing their culture, food, fun and laughs for the Ukrainian Independence Day. At the Heritage Centre, Clonaslee on Wed Aug 24th from 6 – 8 pm.

THANK YOU

The Brickley family thank all who helped on the day, walking or donating, to 'The Warming Up Dialysis' walk last Saturday. With your help we are nearly there with raising the money for the Blanket Warmer. Thank you.

CLONASLEE SHOW SOCIETY

We are celebrating our 68th Annual Show on Sunday September 11th. Hundreds of classes to enter, go onto our online schedule and entry system on clonasleeshow.com. Closing date for entries is Friday September 2nd.

PAT COLGAN CHARITY CYCLE

Pat Colgan Charity Cycle will pass through Rosenallis, Clonaslee and Kinnitty on Sunday

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August 28th sometime between 10am and noon.

Be careful if you are out and about.

week? For more information contact Mags on 086-866-8820.

TFI LOCAL LINK BUS

This bus travels to Portlaoise every Tuesday and Friday and to Tullamore every Thursday leaving

CLOTHES COLLECTION

Clothes Collection will take place Wed Sept 14th. Drop off at Clonaslee Community Centre Shed Monday and Tuesday Sept 12th & 13th. If you have bags ready before this date call 087-414-093 to arrange collection.

from the village at 9:20 am. Travel pass is accepted. Cost is €3 return for adults and children over 5 years old. *You must book the evening before prior to 5 pm on 057-869-2168.*

COMMUNITY ALERT

Please be vigilant as there have been a few break in recently. Use your panic button and peephole. Do not entertain strangers of any kind or people posing to be someone else to your door. Use your peep hole and press the panic button if you are concerned. It is monitored 24 hours.

MEALS ON WHEELS

Meals on Wheels available. Contact 087-414-8093 for more details.

CLONASLEE TIDY TOWNS

Judging continues in all three competitions - National Competition, Tullamore Credit Union Pride of Place 2022 and Laois Federation Competition. Weeding and sweeping continues each Tuesday and Thursday evening meeting at 7pm at Clonaslee Heritage Centre. Please use bins provided to dispose of litter and face masks. No household rubbish is to be placed in any bins in the village or they will not be collected by Laois County Council and anyone caught will receive an on the spot fine of €150. A lot of rubbish was thrown into the river on Thursday evening by a number of youths, A full bag was collected. A word of thanks to our local CE workers for their help, thank you to all who are keeping the flowers watered in their areas and weeding and sweeping. A word of thanks to all local businesses and everyone for the help and support.

MOUNTMELICK LIBRARY

Mountmellick Heritage Group will curate an exhibition for the month of August including Heritage Week 2022 on the long and rich history of Mountmellick, its town and environs and will include documents, photographs, memorabilia and other artifacts in the Gallery. Well done to all who signed up for *Summer Stars*. Don't forget to bring in your completed reading cards to the library to get your rewards. Keep reading for Summer Stars 2022. Do you have a child starting primary school in September? Drop into your local library to collect your "My Little Library Book Bag" which contains three books on starting school, making friends and being comfortable to be yourself to help children to navigate starting school. *Lego Free Play* Saturdays 10:30 am to 12:30 pm. If interested in any of the above events, contact Mountmellick Library, call 057-864-4572 or email mountmellicklibrary@laoiscoco.ie

CONVERSATION CLASSES

Meeting on Tuesdays from 7- 8:30 pm in the Heritage Centre, Clonaslee, English classes for our Ukrainian community will be held each Tuesday. We are seeking volunteers to help with the running of these classes. The classes are conversation based; all you need to be able to do is chat. Can you help each week or every second

CLONASLEE PARISH LOTTO

Jackpot not won. Winning no: 5-20-3.
€30 winners: Billy Crossan, c/o N Dunne; Ann Rigney, Brocca; Eve Deane, c/o Jimmy Carroll; Pat Dunne, Ballymacrory; Marie McCabe, c/o Hogans Garage; Carmel Dunphy, c/o N Dunne. Promoter's prize: Fallons, S Finnamore, Mary Rose Corbet. Next week's Jackpot: €1,100. Lotto gift vouchers can be purchased from Dolores Murray on 087-414-8093 or Betty Finnerty, Chapel Street.

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CLONASLEE/ST MANMAN'S GAA LOTTO

Jackpot not won. Winning no: 1-3-4-22.

€40 winners: Eugene Conroy, Helena Dunne,

David McRedmond. Promoter's prize: D Conroy.

Next week's Jackpot: €11,950 in Hickeys Bar.