

*ST MANMANS NEWSLETTER*  
*The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica*  
*Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> November 2014*

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**WEEKEND MASSES**

**Sat                    8 pm                    Sun                    10 am**

**WEEKDAY MASSES**

**Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs                    9 am**

**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.

**ALTAR SERVERS**

**Sat Nov 15<sup>th</sup> – Team A:** Annie Digan, Mary Ellen Tynan, Aishling Dunne.

**Sun Nov 16<sup>th</sup> – Team B:** Luke Kelly Cusack, Rachel O'Meara.

**ANNIVERSARIES**

**Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> November – 8 pm**

James, Brigid, & Paddy Rosney, Larrigan

Joe & Eileen Daly, Main Street

Pak & Peg Dunne, Ballinalug

Mary & Timothy Ryan, Terenure

John & Brigid O'Gorman Graigueafulla

**Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> November – 10 am**

Larry Conroy, Brocca

James Cusack & Cusack Family, Brittas

Peter & Kathleen Dunne & deceased

members of the Dunne Family, Clonabeg

Kathleen Culleton, Hillside

Daniel & Mary Hickey & their son Joseph,

Bridge House

**Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> November – 9 am**

Matthew Dunne, Chapel Street

**Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> November – 8 pm**

Hugh O'Gorman, Lissane

**Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> November – 10 am**

Peter, Jack Anne Doolan, Coolagh

**CHOIR PRACTICE**

Choir practice on Tues Nov 11<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm in preparation for Advent and Christmas. Everyone welcome to participate.

**CCDA**

The monthly CCDA meeting is on Mon 10<sup>th</sup> Nov at 8:30 pm in the Community Centre.

**A TIME FOR PEACE AND HOPE**

Celebrating Advent 2014. A diocesan workshop for Liturgy groups and parish teams in Mount St Anne's, Killenard, Co. Laois, at 7:45 p.m. on Wednesday, November 12<sup>th</sup>. Please contact Fr O'Reilly if you are interested in going.

**RETIRED COMMUNITY TEA PARTY**

The Clonaslee Heritage Centre is hosting a tea party for the Retired Community on Fri Nov 14<sup>th</sup> from 11 am – 1 pm in aid of Age Action. Children from Scoil Bhríde and Castlecuffe NS will be Performing. Come and join us for a fun morning.

**KNIT AND CHAT**

The first session is on Mon 10<sup>th</sup> Nov in the Heritage Centre from 10:30 am – 12 noon. Bring a ball of wool and pair of knitting needles. Contact Dolores 087-414-8093 for info and booking.

**BINGO**

Bingo for all ages in the Parochial Hall on Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> November at 2:30 pm. All welcome!

**CLONASLEE COLLEGE PARENTS ASSOC**

The AGM of Clonaslee College Parents association will be held in the school on Tuesday Nov 11<sup>th</sup> at 8pm. All parents encouraged to attend.

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**CHIROPODIST**

The chiropodist will be in attendance in Clonaslee Pharmacy in the afternoons during November. To make appointment leave your name in the Pharmacy. Christmas Club now open.

**SOCIAL SERVICES**

A church gate collection on the weekend of Nov 15<sup>th</sup>/16<sup>th</sup>. Funds go towards providing a Christmas dinner for the elderly of our parish.

**SOCIAL SERVICES CHRISTMAS DINNER**

The annual Christmas dinner for the elderly is on Sun Dec 7 at 1 pm in the Community Centre. Invitations are on the way!

**THANKS**

Irish Cancer Society thank everyone who supported the 22<sup>nd</sup> annual Slieve Bloom Walk and everyone who helped in any way. Total raised €4,415.

**CLONASLEE BRANCH CCE**

Musical instruments; we have five beginner button accordions and one fiddle available to rent for the year. This gives the child a good chance to see if they like the instrument before they purchase their own. Classes are on Thursdays from 4:15pm, beginners from 6 pm in the Community Centre. For further information contact 085-285-1772.

**LAOIS COMMUNITY FORUM AWARDS**

Application forms now available for the Community Forum and Voluntary awards which are on Dec 2 in the Dunamais Arts Centre. A new section for the Young Person Award along with unsung hero, and awards for people/groups in any sport, culture, heritage, environmental, drama, etc. Contact Geraldine Delaney 0857-866-4107 or email [gdelaney@laoiscoco.ie](mailto:gdelaney@laoiscoco.ie) for forms and info. Closing date is Nov 14<sup>th</sup>

**CLONASLEE ST MANMANS GAA**

Nomination paper and motions paper have been delivered, they must be returned no later than Fri 21<sup>st</sup> Nov to Jody Conway, Coolagh, Clonaslee.

**DANCE LESSONS**

Lessons in social dancing, waltz, quickstep, foxtrot, jive and sloss commencing Tues Nov 18<sup>th</sup> and continuing each Tues from 8-9:30 pm at An Sean Chistin, Irey, Ballyfin. Further details from Maureen on 087-648-2038.

**PUBLIC CONSULTATION DAY**

Draft flood maps have been produced by Jacobs Engineering on behalf of the Office of Public Works for Clonaslee, Co Laois and a Public Consultation Day will be held on Tues 11<sup>th</sup> Nov in Clonaslee Heritage Centre between 12.00pm to 7.30pm. OPW wants to give local people the opportunity to comment on the draft flood maps before they are finalised. Please come along on the day, view the draft maps and provide any comments you may have on them.

**Clonaslee Community Employment Vacancy**

***Tidy Towns Worker*** (Ref no: ES-889996) 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 their local DSP Employment Services/Intreo Office, quoting the above reference number to check eligibility before applying for this position. Please post CV to: Supervisor, Community Employment Scheme, Community Centre, Bellaire, Clonaslee, Co. Laois

**CLONASLEE PARISH LOTTO**

Jackpot won! Congratulations to E Conroy, Graigue €500. Winning no: 20-12-7. €30 winners: Anne Flynn, Reary Valley; Emily Rose Kelly, Clonaslee; Carmel Dunphy c/o N Dunne; Paul Flynn, c/o Conroys; Joey & Emma, Garryheather, Peter Casey, Coolnabanch. Promoter's prize: Flynns PO, Mary Rose Corbet, Conroys-Swans. Next week's Jackpot: €500.

**CLONASLEE ST MANMANS GAA LOTTO**

Jackpot not won. Winning no: 13-18-24-26. €40 winners: Will & Bobby Murray, Paddy Hogan, Paddy Murray, Rory O'Connell, Fionnuala O'Connell. Promoter's prize: Mary Hickey. Next week's Jackpot: €2,050.