

ST MANMANS NEWSLETTER

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday 12th February 2017

Fr. Thomas O'Reilly, P.P.

Phone: 057-864-8030

Parish Website: www.clonasleeparish.com

Diocesan Website: www.kandle.ie

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 8 pm Sunday 10 am

WEEKDAY MASSES

Mon, Tues, Thurs, Friday 9 am

Wednesday 12 noon

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. They also offer marriage & relationship counselling service Mon-Fri 9:30 am-1:30 pm.

WEBCAM – Live Mass feed on www.mcmmedia.com under Clonaslee Parish

ALTAR SERVERS

Sat 18th Feb: Team C: Catherine Hyland, Eimear Kelly

Sun 19th Feb: Team C: Darragh Mullhall, Paul Mullhall, Corrinne Green, Martina Connolly, Daly, Peter Foynes

ANNIVERSARIES

Saturday 11th February – 8 pm

Margaret Dunne, Cloonagh & Dunne & Doolan Families, Clonaghmore

Wednesday 15th February – 12 noon

Marie Mahy nee Conroy, Guernsey formerly of Ballykaneen

Saturday 18th February – 8 pm

Jim Delaney, Larrigan
Catherine & Richard O'Keeffe, The Green
Seamus & Margaret Donnelly, Ballinalug
Mary, James & Kathleen Donnelly,
Sliabh Bloom Park

Nancy O'Neill, Hillside & deceased members of the Thompson Family, Bordwin, Camross

Sunday 19th February – 10 am

Bernard O'Toole, The Green
Peter & Margaret Maher & deceased members of the Maher Family, Ballinalug

Pray for Marie Mahy nee Conroy, Guernsey & formerly of Ballykaneen. Rosary at 9 pm on Tues Feb 14th in family home Ballykaneen. Funeral Mass Wed Feb 15th at 12 noon.

FUNERAL MINISTRY

We are starting a Funeral ministry in our parish to assist families during the initial stages of bereavement with the rosary and funeral practices. We need volunteers to make this possible. If you are interested or want more information, please contact Fr O'Reilly in the sacristy or Parochial house.

CEMETERY

Please have respect for others; take your rubbish, dead flowers and pots home.

CEMETERY MASSES

Cemetery Masses all at 8 pm:

June 2nd – Clonaslee; June 9th – Corrigeen;

June 23rd – Kilmanman

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Confirmation – March 16th

First Communion – May 6th

CLONASLEE COMMUNITY ALERT

Meeting on Mon Feb 20th at 8:30 pm in the Community Centre with the agenda of community CCTV cameras.. All clubs, businesses, and interested people are asked to attend this meeting. CCTV cameras have reduced crime and robberies in other villages. Members of An Garda Siochana will be present.

SET DANCING

Set dancing classes every Wednesday in the Parochial Hall Clonaslee from 8 – 9:30 pm. Classes are suitable for adults and children, beginners welcome. For more information contact Elaine on 087-236-2723 or John on 085-285-1772.

CASTLECUFFE NS ENROLMENT

Please contact Castlecuffe National School on 057-864-8238 if you wish to enrol your child for the school term starting in September 2017. Enrolment forms and information will be given to parents.

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SCOIL BHRÍDE ENROLMENT

The village primary school is currently endeavouring to determine numbers for the school year 2017/2018. It is imperative that the parents of all new Junior infants for September 2017 contact the school in writing over the next few weeks. In your correspondence please give details of your child's name, address, date of birth and P.P.S. no. (if known) and your own contact number. Actual Enrolment forms shall be provided by the Board of Management later in the school year for all those who make contact with us now. Telephone 057-864-8334 (between 2pm and 4pm each day) for further details.

LADIES GAA

If you are interested in joining a ladies and underage GAA group please contact Mary Rose on 864-8173. Minimum group of 10 required. Registration costs, ladies €5 and underage €3.

DR BULGER'S RETIREMENT

Mass in the Church of the Assumption, Tullamore at 6 pm on Wed Feb 15th. All are welcome.

TIR na nOG PLAYSCHOOL

Tir na nOg playschool are now enrolling for Sept 2017, we are currently participating in the ECCE scheme. We have limited spaces available from now until June 30, 2017. We are open Monday – Friday 9:30 am-12:30 pm. The cost is €12.90 per day. For further details or to enrol your child contact Victoria on 057-864-8988.

THANK YOU

Irish Heart Foundation thank all who supported their collection and to the collectors. Total amount collected €350.

DOGS

People are asked to keep their dogs on a leash and please clean up after your dog.

KNOCK PILGRIMAGE

A special pilgrimage to New York from Knock is from 8th – 14th May. Flying directly from Knock to JFK, the pilgrimage offers the chance to be a part of a memorable and historic trip. Itinerary includes a Requiem Mass on Sat 13th at Old St Patrick's Cathedral for the re-internment of the remains of John Curry, the youngest of the Knock witnesses, celebrated by His Eminence

Cardinal Dolan. Enquiries to Joe Walsh Tours on 01-241-0800.

DIOCESAN LOURDES PILGRIMAGE

Led by Bishop Denis Nulty from 16-21 July, cost €719 includes flights, full board, insurance. Booking through Joe Walsh Tours on 01-241-0800.

LAOIS TRIP

Laois Trip bus travels on Tuesdays and Fridays to Portlaoise. Bus leaves the Post Office at 9:30 am, the bus leaves Portlaoise on Tuesdays at 12:15 pm and on Fridays at 12:30 pm. Cost is €3 return for anyone without free travel pass. Laois Trip also travels to Bingo in Mountmellick every Sunday night. Bus collects in Clonaslee at 7:30 pm. People travelling on Laois Trip must phone in to 087-743-7444 or 057-869-2168 and leave their number the evening before 6 pm or in the morning to book your seat. This is the only way to book your place with Laois Trip.

MONITOR ALARMS

Teresa Maloney installs the alarms and is always at hand if anything goes wrong by contacting her on 087-970-5651. There is a monitoring charge of €66 per year with Task Community Care. To get an alarm, sensor lights, indoor emergency lights, peep holes or door chains installed please contact the Community Alert committee.

Yoga in the Heritage Centre on Mondays starting at 6:15 pm. New members welcome to join.

CLONASLEE PARISH LOTTO

Jackpot not won. Winning no: 3-2-7. €30 winners: Ann Maher, Bellair; Adam Mulligan, c/o Ann rigney; Brian Blake, Glenkeen; Emma O'Brien, Mountmellick; Bridie Conroy, Ballyfarrell; John Flynn, The Green. Promoter's prize: John Callaghan, Kathleen Blake, Shirley Langford. Next week's Jackpot: €1,850.

CLONASLEE ST MANMAN'S GAA LOTTO

Jackpot not won. Winning no: 15-16-25-26. €40 winners: Bridie Conroy, Rosenallis; Áine Dunne, Chapel Street; K & K Walsh, Declan Ryan, Tullamore Road; Olivia Molloy. Promoter's prize: Fallons. Next week's Jackpot: €6,100.