

ST MANMANS NEWSLETTER
Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday 18th September 2011

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WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 8 pm Sunday 10 am

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday, Thursday 9 am

Tuesday 8:30 am

Wed – Communion Service 9 am

Friday 7:30 pm

ALTAR SERVERS

Sat Sept 24th - Team A: Conor Sheeran, Sharon Conroy, Pdraig Hickey, Patrick Hyland, Lauren Fitzpatrick, Jack Owens

Sun Sept 25th – Team A: Áine McCann, Aoibh Foynes, Ciara Lee, Ryan Kilroe, Celine Fitzpatrick.

ANNIVERSARIES

Saturday 17th September

8 pm The McRedmond Family, Scaroon

8 pm William & Mary Culliton, Shracullen

8 pm Matt & Eileen Fitzpatrick, Ballinalug

Sunday 18th September

10 am Michael & Patricia Culliton, Brittas
& deceased members of the Culliton
& Delaney Families

10 am Joseph Sutherland, Brittas

Sunday 24th September

8 pm Bernard Dunne, Glenkeen

8 pm Elizabeth & James McRedmond, Brocca

8 pm Sean Rowney, Shracullen

Sunday 25th September

10 am Michael, Mary, Mollie, Tommy & Rose
Conroy, Ballyfarrell

Pray for Rose Cully, Ballyfarrell who died during
the week.

1ST COMMUNION PROGRAMME

Enrolment for the 1st Communion programme is
next Sunday 25th Sept at 10 am Mass. All parents
and children are encouraged to come.

COLLECTION

Church gate collection next weekend 24th/25th
Sept is in aid of Gorta. Gorta are working in the
drought areas of Somalia & Kenya.

COMMUNITY ALERT

Meeting on Mon 19th Sept at 8:30 pm in
Community Centre. All members please attend as
this is Garda Bart Doherty's last one as liaison
officer with the group. We appeal to everyone to
be extra vigilant as more robberies have taken
place. Elderly people please wear your panic
button & use your peephole. Don't entertain
strangers without ID.

CLONASLEE TIDY TOWNS

We will be doing another clean-up on Oct
10th/11th. This will cover all roads & estates into
village. We ask other committees & groups to join
in this clean up. All are most welcome. Time will
be published later.

IRISH DANCING CLASSES

Sioban Dorman, Commission Registered Irish
dancing teacher is commencing Irish dancing
classes in Clonaslee Parish Hall in the next few
weeks. All ages, standards, beginners & advanced
are all welcome. Registration is on Tuesday 27th
Sept from 3:45 pm to 5 pm in the hall or you can
phone Siobhan on 086-856-8029.

DANCING CLASSES

Come learn how to dance waltzes, jive, quick step
and many more. Maureen Culliton will show you
how it's done! On Tuesdays at 8 pm in the
Clonaslee Community Centre. Come for some
great exercise and a lot of craic!

CLONASLEE SHOW

Thanks to all who helped in any way to make it
another successful year. Winners of the Monster
Draw: Top prize €1500: Winnie Scully, Coolagh;
2nd €500: Mary Slevin, Birr; 3rd €200: Mattie
Conroy, Clarahill; 4th – 10th €75 each: Pat Kearns,
Guy Clothing, Tullamore; Jim Rigney, Clonaslee;
Simon Hogan, Brittas; Aoife Sheridan,

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Tyrellspass; P.S.A. Rigney, Coolagh; Joe Casey, Broughla; John L O'Sullivan, Coolrain; 11th – 20th €50 each: Pauline Doherty, Bridge Centre; Catherine Ryan, Killoughey; Patrick Tyrell, Cloonagh; Owen Conroy c/o M O'Keeffe; Chloe Harte, c/o Nixon; Ann Keenan, Castletown; Daniel Murray, Moate; Fluff Fallon, Fallons Bar; John Holland, Naas; Mary Delaney, Upper Coolagh.

CLONASLEE BASKETBALL CLUB

Training times in the Community Centre are as follows **Tues:** U16 girls 5 pm; U14 boys 6 pm.

Wed: U18 boys 4 pm; U14 girls 5 pm. **Thurs:** U11 girls 4 pm; U9 mixed 5 pm; Ladies social 7 pm. **Fri:** U12 girls, 5 pm; U11 boys, 6 pm; U14 girls 7 pm.

CLONASLEE AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

Clonaslee After School Club is open. All children from 1st class up to and including 6th class can attend. The club is run Monday to Thursday from 3pm to 5pm. Homework is done with the children, they are then given a snack and drink and then they get to play sports, do crafts, bake, etc. For further details contact Mary on 086-361-8905.

STEP AEROBICS

Step aerobics starting back on Thurs 6th Oct in Rosenallis Community Centre from 8 – 9 pm for 10 weeks, just in time for the run up to Christmas. To book your step contact Marie Guilfoyle on 087-791-7356.

GLEE CLUB IRELAND

Coming to Clonaslee Community Centre starting on 24th Sept Saturdays 2:30 - 4 pm. Clubs are for children age 4 -12 yrs. Newcomers and more experienced singers, dancers and little actors are welcome. For more information ring Lisa 087-761-9605.

FONN ANIAR ; TUNE FROM THE WEST

There will be a concert in Clonaslee Heritage Centre on Sat, Sept 24th featuring three of the finest Irish traditional musicians in Ireland:

Brendan Begley from Kerry (button accordion & voice), Laoise Kelly from Mayo (harp) and the great fiddler Tommy Peoples from Donegal. This is a nationwide tour promoted by Music Network and they are coming to Clonaslee because of the strong traditional music tradition in the Slieve Blooms. Tickets are €14 & €10 (students/OAPs) and are available from the Dunamais Arts Centre (057) 8663355 or online at www.dunamais.ie. Tickets will also be available at the door. This is a concert not to be missed and will be a great night of music in Clonaslee.

MARTLEYS BUS SERVICE

Carlow IT – Pick up in Clonaslee, Rosenallis, Mountmellick, Portlaoise. **Athlone IT** – Pick up in Portlaoise, Clonaslee, Rosenallis, Mountmellick, Tullamore. Return at 5 pm from Athlone. Weekly ticket €40 for all services.

Tickets can be purchased on bus. **Dublin colleges** – daily return from Portlaoise to UCD, Trinity & other colleges. Bus leaves Clonaslee at 6 am every morning. Phone 057-862-0888 for further info or info@martleys.com

CLONASLEE PARISH LOTTO

Jackpot not won. Winning no: 22-3-18.

€30 winners: Damien McEvoy, 27 Hillside; Finian Finlay, Bay Road; Annie Hooke, c/o M. O'G: Ronan Dunne, Chapel St; Emma O'Brien, Mountmellick; Nadine & Ellie May O'Keeffe. Promoter's prize:

Peavoys, B Conroy, Edel Dunne.

Next week's Jackpot: €1,850

CLONASLEE ST MANMANS GAA LOTTO

Jackpot not won. Winning no: 5-22-8-10.

€40 winners: Michael Culleton, Kathleen & Shane Rigney, Paddy Dunne Slieve Bloom, Mary Curtin Delaney, Marie Seare

Promoter's prize: Owen Conroy

Next week's Jackpot: €5,350