ST MANMANS NEWSLETTER Twenty Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time Mission Sunday Sunday 21st October 2012

Fr. Thomas O'Reilly, P.P.

Parish Website:www.clonasleeparish.com

BOOK SALE

In aid of the Parent/Toddler Group there is a book sale taking place on Friday October 26 between 1:30 pm and 3:30 pm in Scoil Bhríde hall. People are welcome to drop off books to the school that morning or contact Maureen O'Rourke on 087-691-9056. Great bargains to be had with 3 novels, good as new, for €5. Children's books from 50 cent. Hundreds of books to choose from with a wide variety of genre.

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CAKE SALE

Cake sale in the Fr Shortall Room on Sun Oct 28 after 10 am mass in aid of the Clonaslee St Manman's Ladies Rounders team. All welcome to sample master chef cooking!

CLONASLEE SHOW

Clonaslee Show meeting on Tuesday October 23rd at 8:30 pm in the Community Centre. This is an important meeting as we will be discussing change of date for the Show.

COMMUNITY ALERT

If any elderly person requires help with the Saoirview switch over, you may contact the committee. Please be vigilant with callers to your door as no one from Saoirview visits. Be sure to use your peephole or monitor alarm button if you are concerned.

LAOIS COMMUNITY AND VOLUNTARY AWARDS 2012

To celebrate major contributions made by Community/Voluntary organisation in County Laois, nomination forms now available. Nominations in the following catagories: Arts and

WEEKEND MASSES

Saturday 8 pm Sunday 10 am

WEEKDAY MASSES

Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri 9 am

Thursday – Communion Service 9 am ALTAR SERVERS

Sat Oct 27th - Team A: Cecelia Flynn, Aaron Lambe, Sharon Conroy, Padraig Hickey, Jack Owens, Roisin O'Donovan.

Sun Oct 28th – Team A: Evelyn Horan, Aoibh Foynes, Ciara Lee, Eimear Lee, Celine Fitzpatrick, Shauna Mulhall.

ANNIVERSARIES

Saturday 27th October

8 pm Rose Anne Daly, Castlecuffe

8 pm Margaret McCann, Clonabeg

8 pm Josie McEvoy, Bellair

Sunday 28th October

10 am Nuala Dunne, Clonabeg

1ST COMMUNION PROGRAMME

First Communion programme begins on next Sunday 28th Oct at 10 am Mass.

RED CROSS COLLECTION

Clonaslee Red Cross Church gate collection this weekend, your support is much appreciated.

TIDY TOWNS

Meeting on Mon 22nd Oct at 8:30 pm in the Community Centre. Plans will be made for next year's projects. We would like to see more people getting involved, all are welcome.

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Culture, Children and Young People, Heritage and Environment, Sports and Leisure, Community Services and Support. Also for the Unsung Hero Award in your community. Nominations must be made and in by Wednesday October 24 by 5 pm to Honor Deevy, Community and Enterprise Section, Laois County Council, Portlaoise. Forms available by contacting Laois Forum Office on 057-867-4337 or 867-4338. You may email Laois Community Forum@LaoiseCoCo.ie Laois Person Award nominations can be got there also.

SEASONAL INFLUENZA (FLU) VACCINATION

The influenza vaccine is recommended for those who are aged 65 years and older and to younger people in particular 'at-risk' groups. People age 18 years and older may attend their GP or pharmacist for vaccination. People under 18 years should attend their GP. While vaccines are free to all who are aged 65 years and older and to younger people in the at-risk group, people who do not have a Medical Card or GP Visit Card will be charged a consultation fee. Further information is available from www.immunisation.ie

POPE JOHN PAUL II AWARD

There will be an information evening about the Pope John Paul II Award on Monday 22nd October in the Cathedral Parish Centre Carlow 7.30pm-8.30pm. This evening will be an opportunity to explore what the award is, how it works and specifically how to engage young people in parish activities. There will be a resource pack distributed which includes new ideas to involve young people in parish and local community for the 'Year of Faith'. If your parish is involved in the award already or wants to explore getting involved please consider sending a contact person to this meeting. Please RSVP by 18th Oct to fds@kandle.ie

CLONASLEE COMMUNITY EMPLOYMENT VACANCY

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Information/Research Assistant: Required to maintain, update and provide information to visitors in the area plus some general maintenance and security at premises. (Ref no: ES-715121). Playgroup Assistant: Required to assist the Playgroup Manager in the effective running of the Playschool. (Ref no: ES-715971). Caretaker: Required to assist in the general maintenance and security of Community Centre. (Ref no: ES-715118). Administrator: Required for general administration duties and basic bookkeeping skills. A knowledge of Excel and Word would be an advantage. (Ref no: ES-716168). For all the above positions applicants must supply suitable character references and be prepared to complete a Garda vetting application form. Applicants should contact FAS Employment Services (quoting the above reference number) to check eligibility before applying for the position. Please post CV to Supervisor, Community Employment Scheme, Community Centre, Bellair, Clonaslee, Co Laois.

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CLONASLEE PARISH LOTTO

Jackpot not won. Winning no: 24-11-4. €30 winners: Sean Hyland, Cush; Phylis Collins, Rhode; Enda Comerford, Brocca; Pauline and Danny Conroy, Rosenallis; Paddy Farrell, Clonaslee; Thomas Casey, c/o N Dunne. Promoter's prize: Conroys, N Smith, Fallons. Next week's Jackpot: €1,250.

CLONASLEE ST MANMANS GAA LOTTO

Jackpot not won. Winning no: 21-26-27-17. €40 winners: Jarleth Carroll, Ashling Dunne, Seamus Murphy, Paddy Dunne, McEvoy Family. Promoter's prize: P.O.

Next week's Jackpot: €13,700.