

ST MANMANS NEWSLETTER

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

23rd January 2011

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WEEKEND MASSES

Sat 8 pm Sun 10 am

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday 9 am

Thursday – Communion Service 9 am

Friday 7:30 pm

ALTAR SERVERS

Sat Jan 22nd - Team C: Marguerite Hogan, Aoife Hyland, Joseph McRedmond, Aislinn McRedmond, Padraig Hickey. Sun Jan 23rd – Team C: Orla Fitzgerald, Rebecca Rigney, Patrick Blake, Ciara Lee, Aine McCann

ANNIVERSARIES

Saturday 22nd January

8 pm Elizabeth Heaney, Hillside

8 pm William Dooley, Hillside

8 pm Gerry Conroy, Ashbrook

8 pm Paddy Corbet, Ballykaneen

8 pm Tom & Annie Carroll, Ballykaneen

8 pm Richard & Mary Carroll, Coolaboughlan

& deceased members of the Carroll

Family

Sunday 23rd January

10 am Patrick Stack, Coolagh

Saturday 29th January

8 pm Patrick Fitzpatrick, Brittas Ave

Pray for Mary Multaney, Castlecuffe.

Remains arrive for 12 o'clock Mass Sunday.

Burial afterwards in the New Cemetery.

COLLECTION

The Candlemas collection takes place next weekend. Please use envelope from your monthly box.

BASKET COLLECTORS

Would you be willing to help by collecting the baskets at Mass? Both male and female collectors are needed for Saturday and Sunday masses. A rota will be set up. Please leave your name in the sacristy.

NOTE

Would people who are not able to leave their seats for communion please sit next to centre aisle and let Eucharistic Minister know or leave word in the sacristy and they will be facilitated.

CLONASLEE COMHALTAS

A Comhaltas meeting takes place on Mon 24th Jan at 8:30 pm in the Fr Shortall Room

HOSPICE WALK FOLLOW-UP

A follow-up meeting for the St Stephen's Day Hospice Walk takes place on Wed 26th Jan in Community Centre at 8 pm. All who helped and were involved please attend.

JUVENILE GAA CLUB

Clonaslee St Manmans Juvenile GAA Club will have their presentation night on Sun 23rd Jan. Parents and juvenile members please be in Community Centre at 6:40 pm. All Star Kilkenny Hurler Tommy Walsh will be in attendance.

CHURCH GATE COLLECTION

Irish Heart Foundation annual collection is next weekend 29th & 30th Jan. Please give generously.

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THANKS

Sincere thanks from Clonaslee Social Services to all who contributed to our collection and to all the collectors. Total amount collected €500.

PARISH COUNCIL SUMMARY

At the last meeting the following items were discussed: renovations to the Parish Hall, Stations of the Cross, Cemetery Masses, insulation and heating of the church, new prayer books for all children in parish.

SUICIDE SUPPORT

If you have had the experience of losing a loved one to suicide and would like to connect with others who have gone through the same experience, a new programme designed by Midlands Living Links is being established in Mountmellick. This support group will offer the opportunity to share experiences and support each other and will follow the steps of a Healing Programme. An introduction night regarding the programme will be held in Laois Partnership Offices, MDA Mountmellick on Mon Jan 24th at 7:30 pm. Any queries please contact Bernie Carroll on 086-160-0641. All are welcome.

CONGRATULATIONS Castlecuffe NS

Congrats to Aoibh Foyne Castlecuffe NS winner in the Health and Safety Authority, Farm Safety Awareness Poster competition. Aoibh's poster features in the 2011 calendar

published by Health & Safety Authority/Laois & Kilkenny Education Centres. Congrats also to our Credit Union winners Emily Corbet, Elaine Conway, Aoife Ryan, Dylan Lowry, Aisling Dunne, Kathleen Blake, Olivia Rigney, Aoibh Foyne, Emma Carroll and Aoibhinn Lawlor. We also had success in the ICA/Laois Co Council 'Art from Waste' competition with our snowmen made entirely from waste materials. Each classroom was awarded a voucher from All Books and News, Portlaoise. Reduce, Re-use, Re-cycle and remember to save energy – don't leave electrical items on standby!

CLONASLEE PARISH LOTTO

Jackpot not won. Winning no: 22-13-6
€30 winners: Amanda Brennan, c/o N Dunne; Jimmy Carroll, Hillside; Matt Conroy, Clarahill; Betty Mahon, c/o L Costello; Conor McCann, Hillside; Edel & Co, c/o Matt.
Promoters prize: Maura O'Gorman, Geraldine Fitzpatrick, Maura O'Gorman.
Next week's Jackpot: €1,100.

CLONASLEE ST MANMANS GAA

LOTTO

Jackpot not won. Winning no: 7-8-4-22.
€40 winners: Mary Clear (Cush), Margaret Murphy, Oonagh Scully, Frank Browne, Joe Conroy (Brocca).
Promoters prize: Hogans' Shop
Next week's Jackpot: €8,200.