

ST MANMANS NEWSLETTER

Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday 5th June 2016

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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, Wed, Thurs, Fri 9 am

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 on 057-934-1831 or www.accord.ie

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

ALTAR SERVERS

Sat 11th June: Team B: Catherine Hyland, Eimear Kelly, Patrick Purcell

Sun 12th June: Team B: Ciara Hyland, Aoibhe Mulhall, Darragh Mulhall, Philip Dunne

ANNIVERSARIES

Saturday 4th June – 8 pm

Ann & Jimmy Fitzgerald, Garryheather
Michael Fitzgerald, Garryheather

Sunday 5th June – 10 am

Fr Tom Foynes, Bermingham & Clonaslee

Molly Foynes, Clonaslee

James Foynes & Mary Foynes, Brocca

John Foynes, Brocca

Peter & Christine Dunne, Brocca

Saturday 11th June – 8 pm

Eamon & Sadie Kennedy, Cloonagh

Ben Egan, Rathcoffey

Teresa Murray, Bellair

Mary Mills, Cush

Helena Conroy, Ashbrook

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Cemetery Masses all at 8 pm:

June 24th- Corrigeen; July 1st – Kilmanman.

THANK YOU

Thank you for your generous support for Trócaire. We have collected €3170.

MESSENGER DAY OF JOY

We invite you to join us for a “Day of Joy” in Mount St Anne’s Retreat Centre on Saturday 18th June with keynote speakers Bishop Denis Nulty and Fr Peter McVerry SJ. This is a special day for promoters, readers and friends. For more information contact Brid on 01-775-8522 or Caitríona on 01-775-8523.

FLEADH CHEOIL

The schedule for the up-coming Fleadh Cheoil events in Clonaslee on the June Bank Holiday weekend are as follows: Sun June 5th; solo under age competitions & marching bands at 1:30 pm.

There will be a Ceili with Davey Joe and carousel from 3-6 pm. Bank Holiday Monday, June 6; Ceili with Johnny Reidy Ceili Band in the Community Centre from 3 – 6 pm.

Admission is €10 with refreshments served.

SWEEPER

The road sweeper will be in the village on Wednesday June 8th. If you see it, please move your car/cars so he can sweep the road. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter

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BLOOD DONATIONS

The IBTS will be in St Patrick's National School, Mountmellick on Thursday 9th June from 5 – 8:30 pm. Your blood is urgently needed.

TIDY TOWNS

Work evenings are Tuesday and Thursday each week starting at 6 pm from the Heritage Centre. Huge amount of work needs to be done for this year's competition. We would appreciate more help as the few are trying to do the best they can. Please use the bins provided to dispose of your litter and butts.

COUNTRY MARKET

Our local Country Market in the Heritage Centre on next Saturday June 11th from 10 am – 1 pm with fresh vegetables, home baking, knitwear, arts, crafts, wood crafts, soaps, Aloe Vera, goats cheese and milk, flowers, plants and much more. Free tea and coffee available.

CHURCH GATE COLLECTION

Castlecluffe NS Parents Association is holding a church gate collection on Saturday 11th June and Sunday 12th June at both masses. Your support is greatly appreciated.

PILGRIMAGE

Year of Mercy San Giovanni and Assisi Pilgrimage Offaly/Kildare group led by Fr. Sean Crowley on 30th September for 6 nights ex Dublin. Celebrating the feast day of Saint Francis of Assisi on the 4th October in Assisi. Price €919 pps. Payment can be made in instalments. Contact James Treacy for details on 061-921-470 or 086-057-2216.

MUSIC CLASSES

Music classes continue each week, beginners welcome. For more information please contact 085-285-1772.

LAOIS TRIP

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.

BABY PARENT AND TODDLER GROUP

We meet every Tuesday morning from 9:30 am to 11:30 am during the school term in the Community Centre. All welcome. For more information contact Elaine on 087-236-2723.

BINGO

Social Services Bingo will be in the Community Centre kitchen on Wednesdays from 2 – 4 pm. All are welcome to come along.

LAOIS AGE FRIENDLY STRATEGY

The Laois Age Friendly Strategy will be launched on Tues 14th June at 2:00 pm in the Abbeyleix Manor Hotel, Abbeyleix. The Retired TD Mary O'Rourke and Cathaoirleach Catherine Fitzgerald will launch the Strategy and this will be followed by a Tea Dance. Notification will be sent out to all Active Retirement Groups and ICA Groups etc but for anyone not affiliated to a group – all over 55's will be very welcome. Please contact Geraldine Delaney at Laois County Council if you are interested in attending or for more information 057-866-4107 or gdelaney@laoiscoco.ie

CLONASLEE PARISH LOTTO

Jackpot not won. Winning no: 7-3-14.

€30 winners: John Barrett, Tullamore Road; Liam Dunne, Broughla; Mary Dunne, Cloonaghmore; Emma O'Brien, Mountmellick; Bridie Flynn, Garryheather; Neil and Annie Digan, Coolagh. Promoter's prize: Nuala Smith, Kathleen Blake, Shirley Langford.

Next week's Jackpot: €650.

CLONASLEE ST MANMAN'S GAA LOTTO

Jackpot not won. Winning no: 12-13-14-24.

€40 winners: Niamh and Eoin, Mary Callaghan, Jimmy Digan, Aaron Wisely, Jimmy Conroy. Promoter's prize: Martin Fallon.

Next week's Jackpot: €12,450.