

ST MANMANS NEWSLETTER

Fourteen Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday 8th July 2018

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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 for marriage preparation courses on 057-934-1831 or accordtull@eircom.net. Also on offer marriage & relationship counselling service Mon-Fri 9:30 am-1:30 pm.

WEBCAM – Live Mass feed on www.mcnmedia.tv under Clonaslee Parish

PARISH HALL

All bookings for the Parish Hall must be made, prior to use, by contacting John 083-471-2546.

NOTE

All groups, organisations, clubs please advise the parish office on 864-8030 two weeks in advance if you holding a church gate collection

ALTAR SERVERS

Sat 14th July, 8 pm: Team B: Sineád Holohan Garry, Corrine Greene, Aaron Lawlor

Sun 15th July, 10 am: Team B: Darragh Mulhall, Paul Mullhall, Eimear Kelly, Martina Connolly Daly, Cadlagh McCann

Saturday 7th July – 8 pm

Nicky Dunne Jnr, Ballymacrory & Mountmellick Anne & Jimmy Fitzgerald, Garryheather Michael Fitzgerald, Garryheather & Coventry

Sunday 8th July – 10 am

Baby John Paul McCann, Brocca Margaret Conroy, Brocca

Monday 9th July

Katie Dunne, Chapel Street

Saturday 14th July

Months Mind Hugo Conroy, Tullamore & Chapel St

James & Mary Barrett, Tullamore Rd Agnes & Daniel Carroll, Tullamore Rd Pauline Reynolds nee White who died recently

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION – July

That priests, who experience fatigue and loneliness in their pastoral work, may find help and comfort in their intimacy with the Lord and in their friendship with their brother priests.

MONTHLY BINGO

The monthly Bingo is on Sun July 8th at 3 pm in the Clonaslee Community Centre. Over €1,800 in prize money. Books €3/€6/€11. Jackpot sheets €2.

COLLECTION

Church gate collection in aid of Youth Rounders this weekend .

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Church gate collection in aid of Tidy Towns on 14th15th July. Your support is much appreciated.

NEW ALTAR SERVERS

New altar servers are now being trained. If you would like to become an Altar Server and are going into 5th or 6th Class you can collect a form after mass or contact Dolores on 087-414-8093.

CUT LOOSE COUNTY MUSIC FESTIVAL

On Sun July 15th in Holy Cross GAA grounds Thurles from 1-7 pm. Bus leaving Clonaslee at 10:30 am, cost €15 return. Tickets for the event can be purchased for €20 on arrival. Music by Nathan Carter, Michael English, Louise Morrissey, Derek Ryan, Jimmy Buckley, Conquerors. Gates open at 12 noon. Names to 087-212-2766 or 087-255-0260.

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DAY TRIP TO DUNGARVAN

Bus to Dungarvan on Sat July 21st leaving Clonaslee 8:30 am, Rosenallis 8:40, Mountmellick 8:50, Ballyfin 9 am. Departs Dungarvan at 5 pm sharp. Seats must be booked before July 18th by calling 057-869-2168. Adults/ Free travel pass €5 return, children under 16 €3 return. All children must be accompanied by an adult

LAOIS OFFALY LOCAL LINK

Bus travels each Tues and Fri to Portlaoise leaving at 9:30 am, returns at 12:30 pm. Cost €3 return and travel pass accepted. All under the age of 19 are free for month of July. Bus travels to Tullamore every Thurs leaving at 9:30 am, returns at 12:15 pm from the Bridge Centre. Cost €3 return. Bus travels to Bingo each Sun leaving Clonaslee at 7:30 pm. It is a door to door pick up. The bus will also drop you at hospitals or train stations. Any queries or to book your seat you must phone or text to 057-869-2168 or 087-743-7444. All passengers must prebook your seat on or before the day you travel.

Senior Citizens Outing

Aug 9th, More details later

Knock

Trip will be on Aug 30th, More details later

Our Lady's' Island

Bus will travel on Aug. 15th.

MOUNTMELICK LIBRARY & GALLERY

Baby Book Club meet at 10:30 am on Tuesdays. Adult colouring group meets every Thursday morning from 10.30 a.m. The adult chess club is on Sat mornings at 12 noon. The Junior Chess Club is on every Sat morning at 10.30 am for ages 7 – 13 years. Basic knowledge required.

ART & MUSIC WORKSHOPS

Laois County Council Arts Office and Music Generation Laois Summer Arts Programme 2018 are hosting an array of arts and music workshops are available for young people, ages 7-12 years to enjoy over the month of July. Booking forms are available at all local libraries, schools or from the Arts Office. T: 057-8664033/13 or email: artsoff@laoiscoco.ie. Download from www.laois.ie. Music Generation Laois hosts their annual Summer School of Rock and Pop. For further details see musicgenerationlaois.ie or call 057-866-4176.

Collection at annual Rearymore Cemetery Mass

€221.60 was raised. Thanks to all who attended and helped out with the preparation of the cemetery

Collection at annual Kilmanman Cemetery Mass

€520 was collected and we thank all who contributed.

Follow up Computer Course

If you wish to avail of follow up computer course please contact Betty Finnerty 057-7730734

Auction in Aid of Crumlin Children's Hospital

Takes place Sun afternoon 15th July. All support welcome.

CLONASLEE PARISH LOTTO

Jackpot not won.. no: 8-4-2. €30 winners: Hetty Dunne, Matt & Kevin Barrett, Deirdre Comerford, Clodiagh Kennedy, Will, Tim, Bobby, Phoebe, c/o Dolores, Mary Rose Corbet, Promoter's prize: Maura O'Gorman, Hogans Filling Station, Ger Kelly

Next week's Jackpot: €650. For birthdays or a special occasion, Lotto gift cards can be purchased at the Heritage Centre Mon-Thurs 10 am – 2 pm and Fri 9:30 am – 1 pm.