

# ST MANMANS NEWSLETTER

*Fifth Sunday of Easter*

*Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2010*

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## **Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> May:**

10.00am: John Murphy, Kilmanman & Murphy family, Kinnitty.

10.00am: John Kelly, Glenkeen

## **WEEKEND MASSES**

**Saturday 8 pm Sunday 10 am**  
12 noon

## **WEEKDAY MASSES**

**Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, 9 am**  
**Friday 7:30 pm**  
**Wednesday – Communion Service 9 am**

## **ALTAR SERVERS**

**Sat 8<sup>th</sup> May – Team C:** Marguerite Hogan, Aoife Hyland, Joseph McRedmond, Ellen Conroy.

**Sun 9<sup>th</sup> May – Team C:** Grace Foynes, Orla Fitzgerald, Rebecca Rigney, Patrick Blake, Ciara Lee.

## **ANNIVERSARIES**

### **Saturday May 1<sup>st</sup>**

8pm: Paddy Dunne, Chapel St.

### **Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> May**

10am: Jane and John Dunne, deceased members of Dunne & Westman family, Glenkeen

10am: Martin Ryan & Ryan Family, Hawkfield, Newbridge

10am Josephine & Seamus Murray, Clonsilla, Dublin.

12am: 1<sup>st</sup> Communion Mass

**Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> 9am:** Michael Maher, Main St.

### **Sat. 8<sup>th</sup> May**

8.00pm: Months Mind Andy Dunne, Corbally & Bermingham.

8.00pm: Micheal Conroy & deceased members of the Conroy family, Clarahill

## **Adoration**

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament takes place Friday May 7<sup>th</sup> from 10am to 7pm.

## **Visitation of the Sick**

The sick and invalids of the parish will be visited on Thurs. 6<sup>th</sup> May and Friday 7<sup>th</sup> May in the mornings.

## **Collection**

Next week collection for Education of Students for the Priesthood at all Masses. Your pink envelope can be used for this purpose.

## **Discussions on the Pope's Recent Letter**

An invitation to all members of the Parish Pastoral and Finance Councils, to all Ministers of the Eucharist and Readers, to all members of school's B.O.M. and to all Parishioners... to continue the dialogue begun after the Pope's recent letter to Irish Catholics and to be part of the process of moving forward together to deepen the mission of the Church in Kildare and Leighlin.

Meeting in Killeigh National School for all Parish's in this area on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> May beginning at 8.00pm.

## **Parish Administrator**

Msgr. Brendan Byrne of Tullow has been appointed as administrator of the diocese until a new Bishop is appointed.

## **Pilgrimage to Knock**

The Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock will take place on Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> June. More information later.

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## **Community Alert**

Gardai are appealing to everyone to be extra vigilant as there has been quite a few break ins recently plus other incidents.

Elderly people please use peep hole and wear your panic button. One press of this button and you have help. Any problems with your alarm contact Teresa Maloney 087-4134679. Write down any strange numbers and report them to Gardai.

Be Alert – Be Alive.

## **Tidy Towns**

Clonaslee Tidy Towns did a recent clean up, several bags of litter was collected by Environmental Staff of Laois County Council. All roads and Brittas Wood was covered. Streets have been swept and weeded leaving the village spotless. We hope this will continue as judging for Litter Challenge has started. Please use litter bins and don't throw butts on the ground. One piece of litter or cigarette butt loses points. We thank all who helped out recently especially Fas. Remember it is your village.

**Work Evenings** each Tues at 6.30pm starting at Heritage Centre.

## **Killinaparson Wind Park Project**

Brochures about wind farm available at the Heritage Centre.

## **Irish Cancer Society**

Irish Cancer Society hold their annual Church Gate Collection Sat. 22<sup>nd</sup> and Sun. 23<sup>rd</sup> May. Please support.

## **ASSIST WORKSHOP**

Applied Suicide Intervention Skills Training (ASSIST) workshop is rescheduled for **21<sup>st</sup> / 22<sup>nd</sup> May** and will be held in Clonaslee Community Centre. Those registered will receive information by post. If you wish to be put on a waiting list contact Loretta Dunne 057-864-8033.

## **GROW**

GROW Community Mental Health Movement meets every Wed at 7:30 pm in the Community Mental Health Centre, Portlaoise  
Contact 057 9351124

## **Clonaslee Vintage Run**

Run takes place on Sun. May 9<sup>th</sup>  
Breakfast at 10am Community Centre  
On the road at 11am

## **Unislim**

New Classes began 30<sup>th</sup> April in Heritage Centre from 10.30-11.30pm.  
Contact Nicola 087 6234291

## **Show Society**

A.G.M. on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> May in Community Centre at 9pm sharp. All Welcome.

## **Organic Vegetable Course.**

Venue: Organic Farms Carlow, Sat 15<sup>th</sup> May for 5 Saturdays. Contact Cindy Mahon Teagasc Athy, 059 8631719, 087 2811698

## **CLONASLEE PARISH LOTTO**

Jackpot not won. Winning no: 10-17-13.  
€30 winners: Paddy Farrell, Chapel St. John O'Keefe, Brocca, Bridget Conway, Coolagh, Maureen Butterfield, Castlecuffe, E. Conroy, Graigue, Brian Callaghan c/o Swan.  
Promoters Prizes:  
P.V. Dunne, K. Blake, K. Blake  
Next weeks Jackpot: €1,700.

## **CLONASLEE/ST MANMANS GAA LOTTO**

Jackpot not won. Winning no: 25-16-12-19  
€40 winners: Eamon Kennedy, Donie Foyne, Jane Norris, Edel Young, T.J. Barnett  
Promoters Prize: S. Conroy

Next weeks Jackpot: €2650

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