

# NEWMARKET ON FERGUS PARISH

## PARÓISTE CORA CHAITLÍN

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#### **Newmarket**

Sun	31st	10.30	Sunday Mass
Tue	2nd	09.30	Weekday Mass
Wed	3rd	09.30	Weekday Mass
Thur	4th	09.30	Weekday Mass
Fri	5th	09.30	Weekday Mass
Sun	7th	10.30	Mary, Rita and John McCormack, Glencragga Bernie McNamara, Carnakilla Seán and Josephine McNamara, Ballycar Road.

#### **Wells**

Sat	30th	18.00	Seán Cleary, Woodpark. Month's Mind Gerard Howard, Drumline. 1st anniversary John, Bridget, John Jnr and Martin McInerney, Knockane
Sat	6th	18.00	Pat Moloney, Month's Mind and his wife Bridie, Bunratty Margaret Meehan, Marian House, Drumline

#### **Carrigerry**

Sun	31st	09.00	Sunday Mass
Sun	7th	09.00	Ita Marie Moroney, Carrigerry. Month's Mind

### Recent Deaths



Your kind prayers are asked for the repose of the souls of

Conor Kennedy, Ennis Road  
Noel Normoyle, brother of Mary Smith, Drumline  
Monica Duggan, mother of Colette Gilbert, Ennis Road  
John Grogan, brother of Ray, Carnakilla

May their souls and the souls of the faithfully departed rest in peace.

Many thanks to all who contribute so generously each weekend to church collections. Last weekend the basket collection amounted to €1436.61.



#### ***Pilgrimage to Lourdes***

Bishop Fintan will lead the Autumn Pilgrimage to Lourdes from Shannon Airport on Monday 29th September to Saturday 4th October. The remaining seats can be booked on [joewalshtours.ie](http://joewalshtours.ie) or tel : 01 2410800

#### **Fatima Hour**



Saturday September 6th from 1.30pm to 2.30pm. The Rosary will be recited continually. You are welcome to join in at any time during that hour.

## On Mission With Mary



### Young Adult Catholic Conference 30 August 2025 Legion of Mary

'On Mission With Mary' is a conference on faith and culture for young adults (18-40) with talks, prayer, Mass, confession, workshops, food and social in the historic Legion of Mary headquarters at De Montfort House, North Brunswick Street, Dublin 7. It will be a chance to build faith in friendship with young adults from across the country. The one-day conference takes place on Saturday 30 August from 9.30am to 5.30am with a social afterward. Tickets cost €20 and can be booked on the eventbrite website by looking up 'On Mission With Mary'. Any queries can be directed towards [deusetpatria@gmail.com](mailto:deusetpatria@gmail.com).

Join us for an engaging Information Afternoon hosted by the Clare Older People's Council, with support from the Clare Age Friendly Programme on Tuesday 9th September 2:00pm to 4:00pm in Ogonnelloe Community Centre. Enjoy informative talks and uplifting moments with guest speakers from: Select Hotels, Clare Older People's Council, Healthy Clare and Poetry reading by Siobhán Mungovan. Whether you're looking for helpful resources, community updates or simply a warm afternoon of connection, this event is for you!

## Why Sunday Matters

As we journey together through this Jubilee Year of Hope, we, the Irish Bishops, warmly invite all Catholics to reflect on the profound gift of Sunday Mass. This special year offers a unique opportunity to rediscover the heart of our faith and, for those who have been away, to return with renewed joy to the celebration of the Eucharist. Sunday – the day of the Lord – has always held a central place in the life of the Church. It is the day of resurrection, rest, and Eucharist. It is the day when we gather as a community, united in our love for Christ, to encounter the risen Lord and be nourished in body and soul. In this document, we reflect on the immense significance of Sunday Mass – not simply as a ritual, but as the source and summit of our faith. Here, we meet Christ in His living presence and are strengthened to live as His disciples. Attending Sunday Mass, or its vigil on Saturday evening, is more than a duty; it is a sacred privilege and a chance to be renewed by God's love.

We invite you to explore this message with an open heart, and to embrace the precious gift of Christ's presence among us in the Eucharist.

For more information or to download a copy of this document please visit

[Why Sunday Matters – an invitation to reflect on Sunday Mass | Irish Catholic Bishops' Conference](#)

A small number of "Why Sunday Matters" leaflets have been received from the bishops conference and these have been placed in Our Lady of the Rosary church porch.



### St. Mary's Abbey Glencairn

Do you feel called to seek God in prayer & contemplation, Monastic Work & community Life? The Cistercian community at St Mary's Abbey, Glencairn invites single women aged 19–40 to our upcoming MONASTIC VOCATIONS WEEKEND 24th-27th October 2025. Please contact our Vocation Director, Sr Mairéad, at [vocations@glencairnabbey.org](mailto:vocations@glencairnabbey.org) or Visit [www.glencairnabbey.org](http://www.glencairnabbey.org) for more details.

**Newmarket-on-Fergus Senior Citizens** Annual Church Gate collection will take place on this weekend 30th/31st. Proceeds from collection will go towards Christmas Party.



### Crois Dhearg na hÉireann Irish Red Cross

Fundraiser in aid of  
Irish Red Cross Clare  
Community Services –

Supporting the People of Co. Clare for medical appointments Traveling to every corner of Co. Clare across the Island of Ireland seven days a week when required Supported by our great volunteers. Our Parachute Jump is taking place on Sun 7<sup>th</sup> September Our Area Committee has agreed to take all three vehicles to the Irish Parachute Club, Clonad, Clonbullogue, Co. Offaly for our members and any supporters providing we have room on the day. Our Irish Red Cross Clare Parachute Team :- Helen Nagle – James Lafferty – Jennifer Haugh – Denis Murphy. We are well on our way to meet our target from this Parachute Jump of €20,000.00 to keep the wheels rolling across Co. Clare and the Island of Ireland. Thank you to all who have donated so far.

You can donate as follows:-

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