Parish of Newmarket on Fergus - Carrigerry - The Wells

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11th Dec 2016

Sacristans

Bridget O' Halloran : Newmarket
Mary Barron: The Wells
Bernadette Glynn: Carrigerry

Mass offered for Jimmy and

Christine O'Callaghan, Glencragga

Newmarket

Sat 10th 7.30pm Paddy & Ellen Lynch, Ballycar

Barry Ryan, Ballinooskny Patrick & Mary Fahy, Ing

Patrick & Mary Fany

Sun 11th 11.00am May Clune, Lislea

Michael Hastings, Ralahine Month's Mind & deceased family members

Mon 12th 10.00am Daily Mass

7.00pm James & Peggy O'Grady, Rathfoland –Blessing of Chalice in their memory

Tue 13th 10.00am Daily Mass

7.00pm Joseph Collins, Ballinooskny

Wed 14th 10.00am Daily Mass Thur 15th 10.00am Daily Mass Fri 16th 10.00am Daily Mass

Sat 17th 7.30pm Carmel & Turlough McMahon, Killula & deceased family members

Teresa Burke, Glenaifreann. Month's Mind

Sun 18th 11.00am Patrick, Bridget & Mary Flannery, Mause

The McMahon Family, Ballinacragga—

(Marie & Pat (the King), Gretta, Andrew, Michael, Donie & John, Kitty, Pronsias & Gerard)

Wells

Sat 10th 6.30pm Tom Ryan, Low Rd., Bunratty his brother Jim & brother in law John O'Connor

Sun 11th 10.00am Roseanne, Bernard, Frances and Jim Fitzpatrick, Carnakilla

Sat 17th 6.30pm Weekend Mass

Sun 18th 10.00am Paddy O'Donovan, Month's Mind.

Carrigerry

Sun 11th 9.00am Sunday Mass Sun 18th 9.00am Sunday Mass Last week's Church Collection €1815.59 Thank You

Recent Death

Pray for the happy repose of the soul of

Breda Collins, Urlanmore

May she rest in peace.



Tradaree Cluster Christmas Carol Service

The Christmas Carol Service this year will be held in Mary Immaculate Church, Shannon, this Wednesday at 7.30pm, with choirs and schools from the cluster participating in congregational singing of carols.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation.

We welcome the Friars from the Franciscan Community in Ennis who will lead our Reconciliation Service in Newmarket Church Tuesday evening Dec 20th at 7.00pm. With Christmas on our door step, we are invited to pause and reflect on our life journey. Most of us are aware of being less than perfect, of doing things we later regret. If we hang on to our regrets and guilt it may cripple us and make us unable to reach out in love to God, ourselves and others. The sacrament of Reconciliation is a means of renewal, putting the past behind us and starting afresh.

May Christ be our light as we approach this great season of grace and hope. May he be born again in our hearts cleansed of sin and may he find warmth and welcome when he comes.

'Bambinelli Sunday'

Over the past number of decades children and adults bring their Baby Jesus figures from their homes to St Peters Square where they are blessed by the Pope.

This year we will celebrate 'Bambinelli Sunday' in the Diocese of Killaloe at all Masses on the Fourth Sunday of Advent (December 18th).

All children and families are invited to bring the Baby Jesus figure from their homes to be blessed. Families can make their own 'Bambinelli' if they wish.

A suggestion is, following the blessing, take your 'bambinelli' home, wrap it and open it as a family on Christmas morning where the youngest member of the family would place it in the crib. A gift of the presence of Christ in your home this Christmas.

St. Vincent de Paul
Annual Church Gate Collection
this weekend.
Thank you for your support

Ború Sports was launched in November 2014 and is going from strength to strength. Founder and manager of Ború Sports, Shane Collins would like to thank everyone for their support to date.

Club Gear: What could be a better Christmas present for the Blue in your life other than CLG Cora Chaitlín gear. Shane Collins of Ború Sports has plenty of Newmarket-on-Fergus gear on offer this Christmas including jackets, tracksuits, jerseys, coats, hats, wetgear and much more. A selection of items available to purchase can be viewed on our social media channels, to order some gear contact Shane (086-4182744).

Living Crib

Save the Date – Living Crib at Carrigoran House continues this Sunday. 2 – 6 pm. Visit Santa, Christmas Fair with Music, Mulled Wine, Refreshments. Admission Free.



New Opening Times at the Parish Office

Mon/Tue/Thur & Fri 10am — 2.30pm Closed on Wednesdays 'SPLIT THE POT' Scoil na Maighdine Mhuire
Our pot this week was €488

Congratulations to our winner—Amy Mulqueen
Winning ticket sold via the school
Next Draw: Tuesday 13th December
Thank You all for your continued support

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Newmarket-on-Fergus Senior Citizens Committee would like to thank everyone who attended our Annual Christmas party last Sunday, it was a very enjoyable day with a huge attendance. We would like to thank all our sponsors for Spot Prizes, Frank Kinnear and his band, the Irish Dancers, John Crennan who provided the Bus and the Inn at Dromoland for a great day.

Found: Two Rings: Avondale area: One can be claimed from Lily @ 087 7636239 and one from Bernie on 476146

Killaloe Diocese JPIC group in conjunction with Mid West Simon Community are launching the Christmas 2 euro appeal. At this time of year we all have gifts at the forefront of our mind but imagine if you could give the gift of a home to a family for just 2 euro. That is what this project seeks to do. Keep an eye out for posters and collection points as they go up. Collection takes place from December 12th - 24th.

GAA Lotto: No one picked the winning numbers to collect either Jackpot. 10, 18, 24 & 28 were the numbers in our draw for €10,000 while in our smaller jackpot 6, 15, 24 & 31 were the required numbers. €40 Winners; Seanie McNamara, Nuala Fitzgerald, Deirdre Lyne, R O'Flanagan & PJ McNamara. Sunday's draw takes place at The Bellsfort Inn where €10,000 & €4550 will be up for grabs.

Underage Forum: A special forum will take place this Sunday in the Clubhouse at 7pm to discuss underage hurling within the club. Forums work by opening the floor to all attendees who will have their say and all feedback will be listened to attentively. Anyone interested in getting involved with underage teams in our club for 2017 is asked to contact Bord na nÓg Chairperson Diarmuid O'Leary (0879742454).

Turkey Trot: On St Stephens Day we'll be taking to the roads for a Turkey Trot. A family fun run/walk will begin outside the Clubhouse at 11am and a 4km or 6km route follows with the finish point at our Clubhouse where tea, coffee and hot chocolate will be served. Registration takes place at 10am with €20 the family fee, €10 for individuals and €5 for students. It's time to get the club moving in the right direction, make sure you're running or walking right beside us.