

# Parish of Newmarket on Fergus - Carrigerry - The Wells

Parish Office open on Mon, Tue, Thur & Friday 10.00am - 2.30pm. Closed on Wednesdays.

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## Parish Team

Fr. Tom Fitzpatrick: Tel: 700883 / 087 2720187  
Mary Power: Parish Secretary



**Baptism of the Lord**  
11th / 12th Jan 2020

## Sacristans

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

## Newmarket

Sat 11th 6pm Joe and Mary McNamara, Ballycar Road  
Mary and Gerry Burke, Ballycar Road  
Michael and Teresa Considine and their son Michael, Urlanmore  
Julia McNulty, Kilnasoolagh Park  
Alice Gleeson, Ballycar

Mon 13th 10am Daily Mass  
Tue 14th 10am Daily Mass  
Wed 15th 10am Daily Mass  
Thur 16th 10am Hannah Wallace nee Reynolds. 6th anniversary  
Fri 17th 10am Daily Mass  
7pm Brenda Cullinan, Kilnasoolagh Park  
Sat 18th 6pm Paddy Coughlin, Ballycar Road  
Michael Fox, Knocksaggart, 22nd anniversary  
Maureen Meehan, Ralahine Farm  
Stephen O'Halloran, 109 Kilnasoolagh Park. Month's Mind  
Mai, Paddy and Marie Daly, Glenaifreann  
Sean Murphy, Kilnasoolagh Park  
Maxine Halpin, Limerick Road.



## Wells

Sun 12th 11am Sunday Mass  
Sun 19th 11am Nora & Joe McInerney, and son Niall, Hurlers Cross  
Seamus Kerr, Dundalk who died recently  
Kevin O'Callaghan, Bunratty Villa  
Michael Walsh, Drumline



## Carrigerry

Sun 12th 9am Mick and Mary Casey, Stonehall  
Sun 19th 9am Sunday Mass

## Recent Death:

Pray for the happy repose of the soul of



**Nuala Hogan**, Cuirt na hEaglaise,

*May she rest in the loving embrace of the Father.*

## Feast of the Baptism of Christ - Day Nineteen

Today we celebrate the baptism of Christ in the Jordan. This is the second epiphany, or manifestation, of the Lord. The past, the present, and the future are made manifest in this epiphany.

The most holy one placed Himself among us, the unclean and sinners. The Son of God freely humbled Himself at the hand of the Baptist. By His baptism in the Jordan, Christ manifests His humility and dedicates Himself to the redemption of man. He takes upon Himself the sins of the whole world and buries them in the waters of the Jordan. — *The Light of the World* by Benedict Baur, O.S.B.

**The Apostolic Work** will hold their Annual Display on March 08 in the Community Centre from 2:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Viewing will also take place on Saturday before and after 6:00 p.m. Mass. Further details to follow.

**Handball News:** The Div. 3 League Final was held at O'Callaghan Mills, Monday Jan.6th between Newmarket and Clooney. The Newmarket side could count on experienced players like Colm O'Halloran, Pat Callinan & Barry O'Driscoll (Capt.) that won County titles in 2017 & 2018. The team was blended with young and talented players like Cian Faul, Seadhna Liddy and Liam Gleeson. With Newmarket leading midway, the match was called off most unusual by County Chairman due to underfoot conditions. The match restarted at Clooney where the home side got on top of a gruelling and tough final. Clooney eventually won by 11 aces. Great credit due to both sides for an entertaining final where Clooney were deservingly winners.

**Community Parish Council:** There is a Newmarket on Fergus Community Parish Council meeting on Wednesday 15th of Jan at 7.00 pm upstairs in the after school room in Obair for anyone interested in being on the community council. The setting up of the community council will be facilitated by Clare PPN. Any further enquiries contact Siobhan at Obair on [info@obair.org](mailto:info@obair.org) /061 368030

**Lourdes 2020 :** The 64th Diocesan pilgrimage to Lourdes will take place from Friday 26th June to Wednesday 1st July; €725 full board with €20 discount for online booking to: [joewalshstours.ie](http://joewalshstours.ie) The gift of a Pilgrimage to Lourdes for a family member this Christmas is often the solution for family members wondering what might be a suitable gift for their parents, family member or friend.

**The Limerick Navigation - Wednesday 15th January 2020 @ 7:30pm** in the Lakeside Hotel, Ballina/Killaloe. Brian J. Goggin is going to tell us all about the Limerick Navigation which, despite its name, was mainly in Co Clare. Built from 1750 onwards to link Lough Derg, and the rest of the Shannon, to Limerick, it remained in use until the Shannon Scheme came into effect in the 1920s. Brian will give us a photographic tour of what remains of the navigation, showing the wealth of historic features that are still to be seen and he will also highlight some of the problems with the design. Entry to this lecture is FREE as usual, and everyone of all ages and levels of interest is welcome. For further details check [www.killaloeballinalhs.wordpress.com](http://www.killaloeballinalhs.wordpress.com) or find us on Facebook (KillaloeBallinaLHS). The Lakeside Hotel are providing our Society with this venue for free, and we thank them for this sponsorship.

**Ballycar N.S** are now accepting enrolment applications for September 2020. Please contact the school on 061-368852 or at [ballycars@gmail.com](mailto:ballycars@gmail.com) for application forms.

### Enriching your Marriage

A Marriage Enrichment Weekend offers married couples of all ages, time away from the busyness of life to refresh their love for one another. The next (residential) Weekends (Fri 8 pm to Sun 4 pm) will be held at the Dromantine Conference Centre, Newry from 31 Jan to 2 Feb 2020 and at **The International Hotel Cork from 3rd to 5 April 2020**. For info. and to book, visit [www.marriageencounter.ie](http://www.marriageencounter.ie) or Ph: 087-216 2436[IRL] or 0770 281 2321

**Medjugorje:** Departs Shannon 20th to 27th May, price €675 and 16th to 23rd Sept for €695. Deposit of €100 secures these prices. Price includes €50 discount. Bookings after 1st Feb will be €725 and €745. Ring Kathleen 061 362657 or 086 3271657

**The Kilnasoolagh Quiz** is completed, all returns in and winners drawn at a supervised draw on Thursday 9th. The winners are :  
1st. Edel Considine Cree,  
2nd. Kieran Woods Ralahine,  
3rd. Robert Mullins Crossagh.  
Thanks to all who participated.

Answers are as follows.....

- 1) 16.
- 2) Nepal
- 3) Jenny
- 4) Puck
- 5) French
- 6) 5 Gold Rings
- 7) Figgy Pudding
- 8) Heaven
- 9) All I want for Christmas is you
- 10) Winter Wonderland
- 11) The Voice
- 12) Angela's Ashes
- 13) Jim Sheridan
- 14) Dana
- 15) Sunday Independent
- 16) Lough Corrib
- 17) Co. Laois
- 18) 11
- 19) 158
- 20) Kilkenny

### Polish Chaplaincy

The Polish Chaplaincy was formed in August 2007 in Diocese Killaloe. The main purpose of chaplaincy is to take pastoral care to Poles who live in Diocese Killaloe and to help them to integrate into the church community. The Polish Chaplaincy is housed at the Cathedral Presbytery in Ennis and current chaplain is Fr Dariusz Plasek.

Pastoral services include;

1. Masses in Polish in the Diocese Killaloe: 1st Sunday of month in Ennis Cathedral at 1.00 pm.
2. Preparation of documents for wedding in Poland – couple should contact the chaplaincy office four months before their wedding date.

The Polish Chaplaincy is responsible for preparing all documents needed for marriage in Poland

More information contact: Polish Chaplaincy in Diocese Killaloe, Cathedral Presbytery, O'Connell St., Ennis, Co. Clare  
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