

# Parish of Newmarket on Fergus - Carrigerry - The Wells

Parish Office: Monday to Friday 10.00am - 1.00pm.  
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## Parish Team

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*5th Sunday of Easter*

*May 18th 2014*

## Sacristans

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

## Newmarket

Sat 17th	7.30pm	Sean O'Grady, Carnakilla Kitty O'Donoghue, Urlanmore
Sun 18th	11.00am	Sunday Mass
Mon 19th	10.00am	Daily Mass
Tue 20th	10.00am	Daily Mass
Wed 21th	10.00am	Daily Mass
	8.00pm	Clonlohan Cemetery Mass
Thur 22th	10.00am	Daily Mass
Fri 23th	10.00am	Daily Mass
	7.00pm	Rose Gallagher (Donegal) sister of Bridie Casey, Lisduff
Sat 24th	7.30pm	Paddy Reynolds, Moghaun Mary Greene, Glenaifreann
Sun 25th	11.00am	John Clancy, Ennis Road John & Mary O'Brien, Lisduff, & deceased family members

## Recent Death:

Pray for the happy repose of the soul of Rose Gallagher, Donegal, sister of Bridie Casey, Lisduff

## Mass in Clonlohan Cemetry

On Wednesday next at 8pm  
Weather permitting.

**Congratulations** to the children of Scoil na Maighdine Mhuire, Newmarket-on-Fergus who received First Communion this weekend .

## Abundance Prayer Group

Meet each Monday except Bank Holidays at 7.30pm in the upstairs meeting room in Newmarket Church.

## Wells

Sat 17th	6.30pm	Nora and Tommy Boland, Deerpark
Sun 18th	10.00am	Jimmy and Madge Melody, Clonmoney, Bunratty.
Sat 24th	6.30pm	Jimmy Garvey, Ralahine. 1st Anniversary.
Sun 25th	10.00am	Sunday Mass

## Carrigerry

Sun 18th	9.00am	Dominica and Jackie Collins, Clenagh and Noel McCoy John and Margaret Coffey, Caherbane. Pat O'Donnell, Caherbane
Fri 23rd	8.00pm	Frank Mahony, Rineanna. (Month's Mind)
Sun 25th	9.00am	John Kelly, Carrigerry and deceased family members

## Lourdes Sick Pilgrim Appeal.

The Annual collection to help support and finance sick and seriously ill pilgrims on this year's Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes will be held next weekend at all Masses. Your generosity to this appeal will enable sick people to experience peace and blessings at the Grotto of Lourdes. The Diocesan Pilgrimage, with direct flights from Shannon Airport, will take place from June 26th-July 1st and October 7th - October 12th. Details are on the poster in the church porch. Please use envelope you will find in your box.

## Safeguarding Audit Report

On Monday the 12<sup>th</sup> May, the Diocese of Killaloe published the audit report from the National Board for Safeguarding Children in the Catholic Church in Ireland. The audit of safeguarding practices in the diocese took place in November 2013.

Bishop O'Reilly stated that "the Board conducted a comprehensive audit of safeguarding practice in the diocese and have made four recommendations". On behalf of the diocese, Bishop O'Reilly accepted these recommendations and thanked the Board for their work.

On behalf of the Diocese of Killaloe he extended heartfelt apologies to all those who suffered abuse at the hands of a small number of priests of the diocese and stated: "I would like to assure parents and children that the diocese is committed to ensuring that best practices are in place and operational at all times to safeguard children now and in the future."

Should you have any concerns in this area please contact:

**\*\* Diocesan Designated Persons:** **\*\* Ms. Cleo Yates (086) 809 60 27**

**\*\* Fr. Pat Malone (086) 809 60 74**

For further information including the review please see:

<http://www.killaloediocese.ie/safeguarding>

**Support/Counselling - Towards Healing** is an organisation which provides telephone counselling and a counselling and psychotherapy referral service for survivors of Institutional, Clerical and Religious abuse.

Towards Healing can be contacted on Freephone 1800 303416 (Rep. of Ireland) Freephone 0800 0963315 (Northern Ireland and UK)

**Newsletter items** to Parish Office @ 061 - 368127 or email [office@newmarketonfergusparish.ie](mailto:office@newmarketonfergusparish.ie)  
**Deadline is 11.00am on Thursday**

# Fáilte-Bienvenue-Willkommen-Benvenuto-Bienvenido-Witajcie-Bemvindo- Welkom-Velkomin-Vitejte-Karibu-Croeso-Valkommen-Tervetuloa-Welcome



## **'Meals on Wheels' AGM**

Tue 20th May @ 7pm in the Obair Offices. Nominations forms available from Obair.

*The 'Meals on Wheels' Organisation offers a valuable service to our community delivering hot meals to the elderly, infirm or those recovering from illness. If you or a family member require this service call Obair 368030 or Parish Office 368127*

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## **Thank You.**

We would like to extend a sincere thank you to all who offered prayers, sent cards and supported us during Mary's recent illness and surgery. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your intentions in thanksgiving. Mary & Gerry Barrington

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**Carrigoran Day Centre** welcomes new referrals to its 3 day service. This service is tailored around the individual with a focus on those living in our community aged 65 year+. You can expect to meet people from your area for social engagement, indoor and outdoor activities, health monitoring, horticulture, art, crafts, IT and exercise. Please visit our Day Centre Blog on [www.carrigoranhouse.ie](http://www.carrigoranhouse.ie) to see the range of activities that are being enjoyed to date. Transport is available where necessary for the Newmarket-on-Fergus area on Thursday (door to door). Please telephone Valerie on 476434 or 368100 for further details.

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**Clare Haven Services Ltd** will hold its Annual Church Gate Collection in Newmarket on Fergus/Carrigerry/The Wells on the 31<sup>st</sup> May & 1<sup>st</sup> June 2014. All the money raised will go towards continuing to provide refuge Accommodation and support to women and children experiencing domestic abuse in the community.

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**Youth Ministry:** Are you interested in working with Young People in a Parish, Diocese or School Setting? If so this course may be for you! A Youth Ministry Studies Certificate Programme fully accredited Sept 2014 - Sept 2016 (8 weekends over 2 years). Registration €50 and partly subsidised. Contact FrDonagh O'Meara 087-2322140 if you require any further information or an application form.

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**The Ger Loughnane Cancer Challenge, 23rd & 24th May 2014:** Brian Cody, Liam Sheedy, Anthony Daly and Davy Fitzgerald will engage in a Hurling Championship Match Preview with Marty Morrissey at the West County Hotel in Ennis on Friday 23rd May and a full-strength Clare v Dublin Senior Hurling Challenge will be held at Cusack Park on Saturday the 24th. All funds will directly go to specific revamping of ward facilities at the Haematology/Oncology Unit, Limerick University Hospital & the Denis Burkitt Unit of St. James' Hospital Dublin with support provided for the Kilnamona-based Sláinte an Chláir / Clare Cancer Support. Match Preview with dinner & entertainment €1000 per table of 10. Individual tickets €100 or donations welcome. Clare v Dublin €10 per ticket at style. U16s free. Contact: Leonard McNamara 086-2204819.

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**Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock:** The annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock this year will take place on Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> July, sharing with Ferns as we have in previous years. Details later.

## **NEWMARKET-ON-FERGUS GAA**

### **CLUB LOTTO RESULTS:-7-14-26-28**

NO Jackpot Winner

30 EURO:Matt Deere/Stephanie & Shauna Halpin/

Noel O Halloran/Tommy Liddy/Mary & John O Leary

NEXT DRAW:- Sportsbar 18th May Jackpot 3500.00Euro

Please note Draw now on a Sunday Evening at 21.00

Starting 18<sup>th</sup> May.

Thanks for your support.

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## **Community Centre and Handball Courts urgent funds appeal**

There has great progress in the last month in relation to the Community Centre. White Horse Insurance recently funded the cost of the paint and provided free labour on Thursday April 24th to paint the Main Sports Hall.

This brings the value of the refurbishment on the centre in the past 18 months to € 40,000. Three major tasks remain to be completed to put the Handball Courts and the Community Centre in a reasonable state of repair.

The current Board will mark the 2nd anniversary of their appointment on August 16th and they are keen to have the following completed before then.

1. The replacement of the rainwater gutters on the handball courts.

2. The repair of the flat roof between the Temperance Hall and the Main Sports Hall.

The dry-lining of the main corridor.

The Bingo on Wednesday July 2nd will be a special bingo. We are hoping every house in the parish will be represented at that bingo so that we have enough money to complete the refurbishment. As soon as the May elections are over the next knock on your door will be the someone asking you to support the Bingo on July 2nd. The tickets cost €10 for a great night out and €3 more on the night will give you a chance of winning the Jackpot which currently stands as € 2,550. Bingo takes place every Wednesday night at 8.30pm, so if you cannot make it on July 2nd please come any Wednesday night and help us restore the Community Centre and Handball courts to their former glory.

The Community Centre is a vital resource for the whole community and Newmarket-on-Fergus and Ballycar schools have recently held very successful fundraising bingo's in the Community Centre. The Bingo on Wed May 7th in aid of the Slainte an Chlar Cancer support centre was also very successful.

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## **Weekly GAA Lotto**

Lotto draw will now take place on Sunday Nights at 9pm. Please note that all tickets should be in by 5pm on the Saturday to be sure that your tickets are included in the draw.

Huge thanks to all our dedicated sellers and of course to each one of you who purchase tickets.

Next draw will be this coming Sunday night May 18th - Best of luck to all

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## **Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes.**

Bishop Kieran O'Reilly SMA will lead the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes on 26<sup>th</sup> June for 5 days, returning on 1<sup>st</sup> July. €677 is the cost including travel, hotel and all meals. Book online and avail of €10 discount at [www.joewalshstours.ie](http://www.joewalshstours.ie). Pilgrims who are sick or need assistance are most welcome and are cared for in the hospitality section. Details from Fr. Tom Ryan, Pilgrimage Director at 061- 364133.

Thank you.From the Handball Club to all collectors and contributors at the church gate collection. Amount raised was €853