

Parish of Newmarket on Fergus - Carrigerry - The Wells

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2nd Sunday in Ordinary
time 20th Jan 2013

Sacristans

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

Newmarket

Sat 19th 7.30pm Mary Cullinan, nee Tuohy, Barefield
Miko Fox, Knocksaggart
Frank O'Brien, Caherscooba

Sun 20th 11.00am Sunday Mass

Mon 21st 7.00pm Daily Mass

Tue 22nd 10.00am Daily Mass

Wed 23rd 10.00am Daily Mass

Thur 24th 10.00am Daily Mass

Fri 25th 10.00am Daily Mass

7.00pm John Joe Kenneally, 9 Ballycar Road

Sat 26th 7.30pm Patrick, Bridget & Michael Moynihan, Ballycar
Paddy Frawley, Ballysallagh. Month's Mind

Sun 27th 11.00am Liam McGuire,
Joe Varden, The Square. 1st anniversary



Wells

Sat 19th 6.30pm Weekend Mass

Sun 20th 10.00am Michael Walsh, Drumline 1st anniversary

Sat 26th 6.30pm Mary Hickey, Drumline
Anna O'Brien, Drumline

Sun 27th 10.00am Frank Boland, Clonmoney
Tom & Bridget Nagle, Low Rd., Bunratty

Carrigerry

Sun 20th 9.00am Sunday Mass

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Recent Deaths: Pray for the happy repose of the souls of

John O'Connor, father of Kevin, Avondale
Mary O'Mara, sister of Denis Foley, Carrigoran
Tom Gumley, brother of Lisa Kilmartin, Kilnasoolagh Park.

May they rest in peace

Congratulations to the children in Sixth class at Scoil na Maighdine Mhuire and their teachers Eamon Curley, Moira McMahon and SNA, Pauline O'Neill who received an award at the BT Young Scientist Competition in Dublin last weekend for their project on Organic Fertilizer. The judges were very impressed with the children's scientific knowledge and commended them highly for their work.

Scoil na Maighdine Mhuire would like to invite all grandparents of children in the school to a special mass to celebrate grandparents' Day as part of Catholic Schools Week on Wednesday, January 31st at 10am in the village church with refreshments and entertainment afterwards in the school hall.

Abundance
Prayer Meeting
each Monday
night @7.30pm
in the upstairs
meeting room
Newmarket



In preparation for First Holy Communion, the first in the series of 'Do This In Memory' masses will take place in the parish churches next weekend.

Mass will take place on Saturday January 26th at 7.30pm in Newmarket- on- Fergus church for the children of Ballycar and Scoil Na Maighdine Mhuire.

Mass will take place on Sunday January 27th at 10am in the Wells church for the children and families of Clonmoney school.

Mass will take place on Sunday January 27th at 9.00am in Carrigerry church for the children and families of Stonehall school.

The children and their families should sit as close to the altar as possible.

Mass offered for Elizabeth McNamara, Carnakilla, whose anniversary occurs at this time.

Meals on Wheels would like to thank all those who donated so generously to our recent Church Gate Collection which amounted to €1450 Euros.
We appreciate your support and that of our collectors.

Clonmoney School are currently accepting enrolment for new school year. Forms are available from the school or can be downloaded from school website www.clonmoneyschool.com

Going Strong Club: Activities will be on Wednesday afternoons from now on and new members are welcome.

Caring for Carers, Newmarket on Fergus

Hold their meetings the 2nd Tues of the month in the Obair office. Any carer wishing to join please contact 087 6311997. Our up and coming courses are Gardening, Cooking and Dressmaking. You must be a carer to avail of these courses.

Newsletter items to Parish Office @ 061 - 368127 or email info@newmarketonf.org. **Deadline is 11.00am on Thursday**

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

School Patronage Survey.

The Department of Education and Skills is currently conducting a survey in the Shannon area with regard to Patronage of the National schools. Since Scoil na Maighdine Mhuire, Clonmoney, and Stonehall are within a 5km radius of the Shannon town boundary, the parents of children in these schools are being surveyed too. If, as a result of this survey, there is sufficient support for a new kind of patronage in the Shannon area, one of the existing schools will be asked to divest patronage to a new body. The Patron bodies who have expressed an interest in operating a divested school are: The Redeemed Christian Church of God, An Foras Pátrúnachta, Educate Together and the Clare VEC. It is important to point out that our three schools have always been inclusive and have welcomed and accommodated families of other faiths and none. They have respected, valued and celebrated the traditions of these school communities. The schools are rooted in the community and each one has its own distinct identity. A change of patronage would have major implications for staff, Boards of management, parents and children. Faith formation would no longer be part of the child's educational experience. Preparation for the sacraments of First Confession, First Communion and Confirmation would no longer take place in school. Nativity plays would no longer be part of the school tradition. Our current Patron provides management expertise and advise to Boards and staff and a huge bank of experience has built up over the years in that regard.

The most important thing that parents can do is participate in the survey and make their voices heard. The survey is now on the Department of Education and Skill's website. All parents who have children between 0 - 12 are entitled to vote. Voting continues until 8th February 2013. Schools will make facilities available to parents who may not have access to the internet. Make your voice heard in support of our schools.

Bingo : Every Wed night 8.30pm sharp
Jackpot now stands at 3600 euro in 49 numbers.
Supporting bingo is helping your community..

Maranatha Prayer Ministry invites you to a healing retreat and family tree mass with Fr. Eugene Barrett and healer Seamus Byrne, enriched with Rosary, Mass Eucharistic Adoration, Confession and music Maranatha Gospel Choir on this Sunday 20th January at 2.30pm at St. Paul's Church, Dooradoyle, Limerick (beside Limerick Regional Hospital) Tea and sandwiches afterwards in the hall. Everyone welcome.

St. Caimin's Community School, Shannon; proudly present's a Talk by **David Coleman: Renowned Clinical Psychologist, Broadcaster & Author** "*Helping your child navigate the teenage years*". Thursday 24th January at 7pm, Admission €10.00. All are Welcome.

Healing Mass and Candle Ceremony to celebrate World Cancer Day in Kilnamona Church at 1pm Saturday the 2nd of February. Professor Frank Sullivan (Radiation Oncologist) will attend Clare Cancer Support Centre, Kilnamona at 11am before the mass. Contact 087 691 2396 for more details.

The last remaining copies of the GAA Club's Souvenir 2013 calendar are for sale in Mace, Eurospar and J&J garage. Or contact 086-8035319

Clergy and Religious Orders donate almost €1m to Trócaire

Donations from individual members of the clergy and the Religious Orders to Trócaire amounted to almost €1m in 2012. Members of the clergy donated €765,866 of their own personal income to Trócaire last year, while the Religious Orders made donations amounting to €150,977.

"What these figures show is that members of the clergy lead by example when it comes to supporting vital work overseas," said Justin Kilcullen, Executive Director of Trócaire. "As well as facilitating collections at churches all over Ireland, priests also donate a significant proportion of their own money to help support communities across Africa, Asia and Latin America. This support is absolutely vital in our quest for a just world. As we begin a new year, I would like to thank parishes across the country for their ongoing support, which is changing the lives of the people we work with."

UNDERAGE COACHING HELP NEEDED

Many of you out here have something that we need in our underage club. We are looking for people who have down through the years gained fantastic hurling skills and knowledge. After such a successful year we know now more than ever that our underage structure is so important. If you have some free time we would love if you could invest this in our Club. Both You and our Club will gain.

If interested can you please contact one of the following:

Eddie Griffin 086 0889746

Diarmuid O'Leary 087 9742454

Paudge Delaney 086 8517085

CLUB LOTTO RESULTS :-5-9-27-29 No Jackpot Winner

€30 Winners:-Bernie Brotherson/Louise Connolly/

Owen Mc Carthy/Robbie Healy/Brigid Begley

Next Draw:-The Weavers: 21st Jan: Jackpot:- €560000

Table Quiz in Hunter's Lodge: The O'Regan Park Development Committee kicks the year off with an all popular Table Quiz: Hunter's Lodge, 1st of February at 9pm . Team of 4 for €20.

Everybody welcome for a night of fun !!

Funds raised will go towards the building work of the recreational areas in the newly designed O'Regan Park. "Weather permitting building work will start end of January!" a spokesperson said.

More information on O'Regan Park Development:

http://www.idonate.ie/585_o--regan-park-development-c-o-obair-newmarket-on-fergus-limited.html

<http://www.facebook.com/NewmarketOnFergusPlayground>

Acorn Women's Group

Each Monday @ 8pm in the Obair Office. New members welcome

Thank You: District Day Care Centre, Clarecastle which to thank everyone for supporting their church gate collection: €739.34