Parish of Newmarket on Fergus - Carrigerry - The Wells

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22nd Sun in Ord Time 28th August 2016

Newmarket

Sat 27th 6.00pm Jack Hogan, Cúirt na hEaglaise

John and Bridget McInerney, and their sons John Jnr & Martin. Knockane

Sean and Josephine McNamara, Ballycar Road Sun 28th 11.00am

Mon 29th 10.00am Daily Mass

Tue 30th 10.00am Bobby Hanley and his parents

Wed 31st 10.00am Daily Mass Thur 1st Daily Mass 10.00am Fri 2nd 10.00am First Friday

First Friday followed by Exposition of Blessed Sacrament. 7.00pm

Mary, John and Rita McCormack, Glencragga Sat 3rd 7.30pm

Paddy McSherry, Ennis Road and deceased family members

Breda Kennedy, Ennis Road

Sun 4th 11.00am **Sunday Mass**

Wells

Sat 27th 6.30pm Joe, Teresa and Paddy Hickey, Deerpark

Peter May

Sun 28th 10.00am **Sunday Mass** Sat 3rd 6.30pm Weekend Mass Sun 4th 10.00am **Sunday Mass**

Carrigerry

Sun 28th 9.00am Sunday Mass Sun 4th 9.00am Sunday Mass





Village Carnival—100 Years of Heritage:

Today's relaxed Heritage Day takes place at 2pm in the wonderful Mooghaun Hillfort as part of Heritage Week 2016 with the theme this year being 100 years of our heritage!!

The 1916 Commemoration features prominently at the Village Carnival with a look back at traditional skills of the time such as butter churning. There's a chance for the

little ones to become Heritage Detectives by taking part in a Mooghaun Gold treasure hunt as well as a simulated Outdoor Archaeology School for the young people interested in getting their hands dirty!

Bring the children along for a fairy walk in the woods or listen to the Seanchaí Eddie Lenihan tell tales in the Ring Fort. Bring the children along for a Biodiversity Walk through this beautiful woodland or discover the wild in Mooghaun with a Foraging Kitchen demonstration.

All are welcome.

Last week's Church Collection €1630.09. Thank You

Senior Citizens Committee 2016/2017

At our recent AGM best wishes were extended to our outgoing chairperson Michael and secretary Ursula, who after a long and dedicated service to the committee and "the community are retiring. We thank them both for all their hard work during their time spent on the committee.

Our new officers are as follows Chairperson: Michelle Quigley "Secretary : Maria Hogan Treasurer : Hilary O'Neill : Geraldine Cullinan P.R.O. Ass. P.R.O: Kathleen McNamara

We look forward to another successful year. New members would be most welcome to the committee. Please contact Maria Hogan on 086 2622905

First Friday: 2nd Sept: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after evening mass

Fatima Hour: 3rd Sept: The Rosary will be recited continually from 2 to 3pm.

Newsletter items to Parish Office @ 061 - 368127 or email office@newmarketonfergusparish.ie Deadline is 11.00am on Thursday

SPLIT THE POT' Scoil na Maighdine Mhuire Our pot this week was €410

Congratulations to our winner Michael Coffee

Winning Ticket sold in Euro Spar

Next Draw will take place in Euro Spar Tuesday 30th August 2016

Scoil na Maighdine Mhuire will reopen next Wednesday 31st August.

Is Anyone Sick Among You? Family Prayers in Times of Illness

The illness of a loved one often brings with it fear and anxiety for the rest of the family, especially those who have to care for the sick person. They hardly know what to do when it comes to the spiritual needs of the person. If the family has lost touch with the Church, they may find it hard to know what to do or how to pray. People who are seriously ill may want to be put in touch with the Lord, and they need to be helped to do this. This book is intended to assist those in ministering to the spiritual needs of their loved ones...- Fr Kevin J. Scallon CM

10th Annual National Grandparents Pilgrimage

Knock Shrine . Chief Celebrant – Archbishop Michael Neary Sunday 11th September

2.30pm Anointing of the Sick / 3pm Pilgrimage Mass If you require any further information . Please phone 098 24877

The Mary Immaculate College Alumni Reunion 2016 takes place on Saturday 1 October 2016 from 1.30pm-5pm. This is the perfect opportunity to meet up with old friends, and reacquaint yourself with the College. Should you wish to attend, please advise us in advance, via Email: alumni@mic.ul.ie or T: 061-774786.

GAA Lotto:

There was no winner of either Lotto Jackpot which were worth €10,000 and €2150. Numbers drawn were 17, 22, 31 &33 in the big jackpot while 5, 10, 12 & 21 were pulled out for the second jackpot. Padraig O'Neill, Dónal Fleming, Tim Tierney, Agnes Halpin & Pakie McCormack were this week's €40 winners. The Sports Bar hosts Monday's draw where the prizes will be worth €10,000 and €2,300

Junior Glory:

Congratulations to our Junior B Hurlers who were crowned League Champions on Sunday with a fantastic 3-14 2-14 victory over Wolfe Tones. The lads put in a battling display and one that we can be very proud of. They're in championship action next weekend when they play Clarecastle in the Junior B quarter-final, make sure to come and support them.

Disappointment For Hurlers:

Hard luck to our Senior & Intermediate Hurlers as they both lost out last weekend. Our Seniors were defeated by five points vs Ballyea, their performance does not reflect the time and effort they have put in all year. They now fight relegation and play Whitegate next Saturday in Broadford, this is a fight that we didn't want to be in but one in which we need all Blues out in force. Tubber proved too difficult for our Intermediates and that defeat means they're unable to make the knockout stages.

Camogie Comeback:

Our Senior Camogie team got the defence of their title off to a winning start with a one point victory over Truagh/Clonlara.

Memorable Outing For U12s:

Our U12 Hurlers graced The Field of Legends on Monday as they took part in a special blitz at Semple Stadium, Thurles. They played four matches, lost their first encounter but regroup to win two games on the bounce before a defeat in their final game. The lads recorded a win over Mount Sion from Waterford. A big effort has been put in by the players and management this year and we're very thankful for their efforts. Hopefully this will be the first of many times for our lads to line out in Semple Stadium!

SHANNON FESTIVAL - Friday 9th to Sunday 11th Septem-

ber: A full weekend of events: market stalls, music, dance, vintage cars & coffee, entertainment & fun for all the family. The 10am Sunday Mass will be moved to the festival tent at Skycourt Sunday Sept 11th. Check out the many events on Shannon Festival Facebook and Instagram or call 061-362000

National Learning Network - Training Opportunities

Do you know students who finished school this summer that may require additional learning supports or have an illness or disability? National Learning Network's full-time QQI Level 3 Employability Skills Programme in Ennis will give them the confidence to open up new opportunities for further training. To get more details on this 18 month Course based in Francis Street, Ennis, contact Elaine or Geraldine on 065 6864560. We may be able to help towards the cost of transport.

Anam Cara: the national organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding its next monthly Parent Evening on Wednesday 7th of September from 19:30 to 21:00 in the Ballybane Enterprise Centre, Co. Galway. This event is open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether the death was recent or not.

Anam Cara has recently produced some important new resources - all developed by bereaved parents themselves. Our short Anam Cara videos can be viewed here. If you would like a free copy of our Information Pack for Bereaved Parents, please reply with your address and we'll happily post it out to

LIAM LAWTON IN CONCERT—will be in concert in Knockerra Church, West Clare, on 18th September. This will be an ideal opportunity for everyone to hear Liam perform some of his classic song's plus his new material. Knockerra Choir will also perform on the night. To book ticket's please call Kathleen on 087 6525354.

Few months remain of this Jubilee Year of Mercy and one of Ireland's oldest places of pilgrimage, Lough Derg, offers One Day Retreats on 4th, 6th, 7th, 10th, 12th, 13th, 17th, 18th & 24th September.

Take time out in the nurturing peace of the Island and cross the threshold of the Holy Door in St Patrick's Basilica.

Places are still available on two alternative Special Retreat Days -

'A Day of Friendship & Prayer' on Wednesday 14th September. This ecumenical day is an opportunity to gather as a Christian pilgrim family. Guest Speaker: Most Reverend Patricia Storey, Church of Ireland Bishop of Meath & Kildare

'Living With Suicide' on Wednesday 21st September.

This day offers those who have been affected by suicide in any way an opportunity for deeper understanding and support to 'make sense of it all'. Guest Speakers: Conor Mc Cafferty, ZEST - Healing the Hurt - & Geraldine Kennedy, a personal experience.

Advance booking is essential for all Retreats. For further information contact Maureen or Lorraine on 071 9861518.

Email: info@loughderg.org www.loughderg.org

Croghan Greene Acadamy of Irish Dance, Newmarket on Fergus Community Centre. Classes Start Tuesday September 13th... At 6.30 — 7.30 pm. For enquiries Please contact Helan Greene 0876231106.....

Clarecare Annual Church gate collection will take place on Sept 10th & 11th.

The Dinan School of Ballet: classes resume on Monday 5th September. Ballet, tap, jazz and lyrical dance for age 3 and a half upwards. Contact Niamh on 086 2200097 or dinanballet@gmail.com for details.

The Bible Exposed-10 Week Introductory Crash Course in the Bible

UNCOVER THE HIDDEN TREASURES OF THE BIBLE! Join us for a CRASH COURSE IN THE BIBLE and see the bible brought to life: Can ancient writings like the Old Testament help us in everyday life? Become aware of God's love for you and get to know him Mass - is Jesus really present? Who is the Holy Spirit? Can Mass be meaningful? Why do we have readings from the Old Testament, New Testament and Psalms? Are the sacraments in the bible? For answers to these questions and more, come to our bible course...

VENUE Limerick Pastoral Centre, Denmark Street, Limerick TIME 7.30 - 9 pm BOOK NOW - Limited places available! Commencing Monday 26th September -5th December (excluding break for bank holiday) For further details, contact Sharon Clohessy 087 9027217 or Eilish Carter 087 8170420 (after 6 pm). FEE €100 (PAYMENT OPTIONS AVAILABLE) Booking Deadline: Monday 19th September

"I came so that you could have life and have it to the full" - John 10:10