

# Parish of Newmarket on Fergus - Carrigerry - The Wells

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

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

*Presentation of the Lord*  
*Feb 2nd 2014*

## Sacristans

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

## Newmarket

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| Sat  | 1st | 7.30pm  | Mary Fahy, Ing. Month's Mind<br>Paddy Hayes, Kilnasoolagh Park<br>Madeline Hastings, Ballycar<br>Ita Hickey, Cullen |
| Sun  | 2nd | 11.00am | Sean Murphy, 9 Kilnasoolagh Park  |
| Mon  | 3rd | 10.00am | Daily Mass  |
| Tue  | 4th | 10.00am | Daily Mass  |
| Wed  | 5th | 10.00am | Daily Mass  |
| Thur | 6th | 10.00am | Daily Mass  |
| Fri  | 7th | 10.00am | Daily Mass  |
|      |     | 7.00pm  | First Friday Mass followed by Exposition  |
| Sat  | 8th | 7.30pm  | Alice Gleeson, Ballycar, Month's mind   |
| Sun  | 9th | 11.00am | Madge Glendon, Ennis Road. 3rd anniversary<br>Michael O'Brien, 68 Kilnasoolagh Pk. 5th anniversary                  |



## Wells

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| Sat | 1st | 6.30pm  | Mary Powell, Ballycasey |
| Sun | 2nd | 10.00am | Sunday Mass             |
| Sat | 8th | 6.30pm  | Weekend Mass            |
| Sun | 9th | 10.00am | Sunday Mass             |



## Carrigerry

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| Sun | 2nd | 9.00am | The Keane Family, Ballycalla |
| Sun | 9th | 9.00am | Sunday Mass                  |

## Recent Death:

Pray for the happy  
repose of the soul of

**Kathleen Forsythe,**  
late of Ralahine

*May she rest in peace*

## Abundance Prayer Group

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



A warm welcome from all the  
people of the parish to the  
newest members of our  
Christian Community who  
were baptised recently.

**Noah Twomey**  
**Sean McMahon**

## Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February is the 156<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Apparitions of Our Lady to St. Bernadette in Lourdes. This year's Diocesan Pilgrimage will leave Shannon on Thursday June 26<sup>th</sup>, returning on Tuesday July 1<sup>st</sup>. The cost this year is still €677 per person sharing. €10 discount for online booking at [www.joewalshstours.ie](http://www.joewalshstours.ie)

Booking forms can be obtained from: Joe Walsh Tours, 143 Lower Baggot Street, Dublin 2. Telephone: (01) 2410810. A limited number of Sick pilgrims will be accommodated in the Sanctuary of Lourdes at a cost of €565 Applications for sick pilgrims only to Fr. Tom Ryan, Pilgrimage Director, SS John & Paul Presbytery, Shannon, Co. Clare. Telephone: (061) 364133

Families or individuals often sponsor a family member, parents, or a friend on the occasion of an anniversary or Jubilee with a visit to Lourdes. Sponsorship for sick people is always welcome. For more details, see poster in Church porch and on the Killaloe Diocese website [www.killaloe-diocese.ie](http://www.killaloe-diocese.ie)

## Scoil na Maighdine Mhuire News

An Open Night for parents of children enrolled in Junior Infants for September 2014 at Scoil na Maighdine Mhuire will take place on Tuesday, February 18th at 7pm. If you have not already enrolled your child and intended to do so, please contact the school as soon as possible on 368333.

A monster Bingo Night in aid of Scoil na Maighdine Mhuire will take place on Wednesday, February 19th (just before mid-term break) in the Community hall. Fabulous prizes including flat screen TVs, microwave etc. Tickets €10. All welcome

Thank you to everyone who attended our Grandparents' Day celebrations at the school on Wednesday as part of Catholic schools week. Thank you to all the parents who sent in baking and a special word of thanks to Hilary Gough, Margaret McMahon, Christine Cuneen, Pauline O'Neill and Anne Gavin for organising the refreshments at the school after mass.

**Friday 7th February is the  
First in the month and there  
will be Exposition of the  
Blessed Sacrament after the  
7pm mass**

## Bingo

Wednesday night in the  
Community Centre. Jack-  
pot now stands at €1,900.

**The Sacristans wish to  
express their thanks to all  
those who supported the  
recent collection.**

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

**'Take Me Out' for Clare Crusaders**

Clare Rose Marie Donnellan will be holding a Rose of Tralee themed 'Take Me Out' in The Inn at Dromoland on Saturday 15th February, with all proceeds going to children's disability charity, the Clare Crusaders.

The event will see nine International Roses from this years Rose of Tralee festival including London, Ottawa, Scotland and Kerry. The boys on the night will include RTE's Colm Flynn, Moneygall's Henry Healy and 2013 Escort of the Year, Jonny McGailey. Drinks reception will commence at 7:30, with the show starting at 8pm. Local wedding and party band 'Minus Two' will perform after the show.

Tickets are on sale now for only €20 from The Inn at Dromoland, the Clare Crusaders clinic or from Marie Donnellan directly. Please come along and support this fantastic cause on what promises to be a great night!

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**Free Talk for Parents about Learning Differences/  
Difficulties such as Dyslexia, Dyspraxia, ADD, ADHD** on Tuesday 4th of February in Clarecastle National School Hall at 8.15pm - 9.15pm. Presented by Caroline Slattery ([www.pressplay.org](http://www.pressplay.org)). This talk will cover spelling, reading, sequencing and writing difficulties. Q+A time on an individual basis at the end of talk. Complimentary Tea/Coffee and Biscuits. Everyone is Welcome. No Booking Required.

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**Anam Cara** support groups are situated throughout Ireland and provide parents a safe, comfortable environment where they have the opportunity to connect with other bereaved parents. Anam Cara is an inclusive organisation where parents do not identify themselves by their children's age, how they died, or if their death was recent or many years ago. What Anam Cara provides is a safe place for bereaved parents to connect with others who understand the intensity of the grief and loss.

Anam Cara is holding its monthly parent evening on Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> February 2014 from 19:30 to 21:00 at The Ballybane Enterprise Centre, Galway. This event is free, open to all bereaved parents and each Anam Cara support group has a bereavement professional present to answer any questions parents may have and signpost them to other services that are available in the area.

For further information please see our website at [www.anamcara.ie](http://www.anamcara.ie) email us at [info@anamcara.ie](mailto:info@anamcara.ie) or call 01 4045378.

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**Newmarket on Fergus Camogie & Ladies Football** Clubs will hold a night to celebrate the achievements of their Senior Panels of 2013, this will take place in Carrygerry House on February 8th. This will include dinner at half 7, followed by presentations and a DJ. Full Tickets are €25 and are available from Carol O'Leary 0860797548 Carol Toomey 0858155087 and Marielouise Kaiser 0868328126. Afters tickets will also be available.

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**The organisers of the 16th Annual West Clare Mini Marathon** would like to thank all walkers, runners and their sponsors and all who helped out in anyway on the day of the event. Please return all sponsorship cards to the West Clare Cancer Centre, Corry Lane, Kilkee before February 28th.

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**Irish Epilepsy Church Gate Collection 8th/9th Feb**

**Community Market**

Newmarket on Fergus Community Market end of season clothing clearance sale. Choose from a huge range of clothing and many other items reduced to just €1 each.

The €1 clearance sale takes place this weekend so don't miss out. Proceeds go towards the Newmarket on Fergus village enhancement projects.

**Tidy Towns - Church Gate Collection**

Tidy Towns would like to say a big thank-you to everyone who contributed to our church gate collections last weekend. We know in these economically challenging times it is very hard to support every group and every collection, so we thank you for your continued support. €992.01 was raised and allmonies will fund community enhancement projects in 2014.

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**FAI Schools International Girls Squad**

Following a successful International trials process, Sabrina Mc Carthy, has been successful in the selection for the FAI Schools U15 Girls Development Squad for the 2013/14 season. Congratulations to Sabrina and we wish her the best of luck for the season. The Republic of Ireland Schools team got the season off to a bright start with a comprehensive victory over counterparts Northern Ireland in Lucan last Sunday.

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**Tradaree Wheelers Cycling Club**

Training spins every Sunday morning at 9am from the school. All groups catered for, from beginners to more experienced cyclists. Come and have some fun and get fit for the new year or train for Pakie Ryan Annual Cycle. Contact Kevin on 086 3242094 or David on 086 3800859 or just turn up on Sunday mornings.

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**The Special Olympics Ireland Games 2014 are coming to Limerick and the surrounding areas this summer:** The Games open on Thursday 12th of June and close on Sunday the 15th. In order for the Games to be a success, we require the support of 3,000 volunteers. To volunteer today, go to [www.specialolympics.ie](http://www.specialolympics.ie) and commence the application process. We hope you will consider signing up to volunteer at the 2014 Ireland Games to make them a memorable one for all involved. Please contact [limerick2014@specialolympics.ie](mailto:limerick2014@specialolympics.ie) for any queries.

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CLUB LOTTO RESULTS:-4-5-24-26

NO Jackpot Winner / €30 :Anna Devaney/Margaret Howard/Matt Deere/Geraldine Ryan/Sean Mc Loughlin  
NEXT DRAW:- The Crabtree 03<sup>rd</sup> February Jackpot €2600.00

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**Display Day**

Apostolic Work will take place on March 2nd. Anyone wishing to donate a Sacred Vessel can contact any of the following Mary 061 – 364492 / Molly O'Donnell or Bridget Coughlin .

**The Annual 10K Burren Walk in aid of the Clare Branch of the Alzheimer Society** will take place on Sunday, February 16, 2014 from O'Donoghues Pub in Fanore. Your support would be greatly appreciated

\* **ANNUAL ENNIS-CLARECASTLE MEDJUGORJE PILGRIMAGE**  
\* From MAY 28th for 7 days.  
\* €50 deposit secures  
\* €609 up to 17th February,  
\* €659 thereafter (prices are all inclusive). Please contact  
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\* Mary @ 065-6824400.  
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**BAKE SALE AT CLARE YOUTH SERVICE** ON WEDNESDAY 5th FEBRUARY FROM 10 AM TO 12 NOON - SELECTION OF HOME MADE BREADS, TEA BRACK, MUFFINS, ETC THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT.

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The newly formed **Diocesan Youth Council** which is made up of young people from across the diocese, have many exciting ideas in the pipeline and some great plans for the coming months for the young people in our diocese. Our second youth prayer meeting is taking place in Quilty Church on February 7th at 7.30pm. All are welcome to attend. For more information you can follow us on facebook at Killaloe Diocesan Youth Council.

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**Sláinte an Chláir, Clare Cancer Support**, Kilnamona, Annual Cancer Day Healing Mass in Kilnamona Church at 2pm, Saturday, February 8th. All welcome. Contact no: 087 69123 96.

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**Clare Haven Services Insights Programme** - A free and confidential programme for women who are or have been in an abusive domestic relationship will commence in Ennis in early February. For further information please contact Clare Haven on 065 6842646.

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**Ennis Padre Pio Trip** to Montecassino, Frascati Lanciano and S. Giovanni October 1st—8th 2014 €959 p.p.s taxes included, led by Mary O'Sullivan. Spiritual Director Fr.Tom Hogan. Contact 087 1747669

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**Monastic Experience Weekend - Share the rhythm of monastic daily prayer life:** Mount St Joseph Abbey, Roscrea, Co. Tipperary on the weekend of Friday 21st to Sunday 20th February. For men aged 20 to 40 who may be discerning a monastic vocation. For further info or to talk about vocation discernment, contact the Vocations Director, Br Malachy; email: [malachy@msjroscrea.ie](mailto:malachy@msjroscrea.ie) or text info to 085 8338503.

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Ennis Town Council are now accepting applications for the **Priming Grants Scheme**. Application forms are available from Ennis Town Council, Waterpark House, Drumbiggle Road, Ennis - Telephone (065) 6828040 or on its website at [www.ennistowncouncil.ie](http://www.ennistowncouncil.ie). Closing date for receipt of completed applications is 21st February, 2014.

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