Parish of Newmarket on Fergus - Carrigerry - The Wells

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5th Sunday of Easter 3rd May 2015

Sacristans

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

Newmarket

Sat 2nd 7.30pm Micheál Boyce, Carrowmeer, and his grand parents Nancy and Patrick

Sun 3rd 11.00am Michael Grogan, Kilnasoolagh

Bridget and Michael McInerney, Cahergal

Mon 4th 10.00am Daily Mass Daily Mass Tue 5th 10.00am

> Kay Meere, Knocknagun. 1st anniversary 7.00pm

Wed 6th 10.00am John Fitzgerald, Ballycar Road Thur 7th Bridget and Con Buckley 10.00am

Fri 8th 10.00am Daily Mass

Sat 9th Padraig Halpin, The Square 7.30pm

Sun 10th 11.00am **Sunday Mass**

Wells

Sat 2nd 6.30pm Jimmy O'Brien, Kilulla and deceased members of the O'Brien Family, Clonmoney

Sun 3rd 10.00am Sunday Mass Sat 9th Weekend Mass 6.30pm Sun 10th 10.00am **Sunday Mass**

Carrigerry

Sun 3rd 9.00am Sunday Mass

Sun 10th 9.00am Sean Liddy, Ballycalla and his parents Tom and Josephine.



At the Grotto in Avondale

The Rosary will be recited from 7pm at the Grotto in Avondale for the month of May on days that there is no evening mass. All are welcome

The local Conference of St Vincent de Paul is currently recruiting new volunteers. Please contact 086 3024238 for further details. The next training course is being held on May 22nd /23rd



Congratulations to the girls and boys of Ballycar School who received their First

Holy Communion this weekend.

Last week's Church Collection €1476.90 Thank You

The Apostolic Work will hold a meeting on Tuesday May 5th at 7.30pm in the Church **Meeting Room**



Work has been completed on the new viewing platform at Mooghaun Hillfort.

New interpretation panels have also been installed. This is a very popular area for all surrounding areas and is constantly used by walkers

A re-opening ceremony will take place on Tuesday May 5th at 4.30pm. The opening will be performed by

Simon Harris, Min. of State and OPW

This work has been fronted by Mr Joe Carey TD from the very start. It is hoped it will be visited and appreciated by many more visitors

BUILDING OF HOPE PROJECT

Would you like to volunteer for two weeks in Africa? The Building of Hope, are running an information night open to all interested individuals, in the Old Ground Hotel, Ennis on the 15th of May, Friday evening at 8pm. Meet some of our volunteers and enjoy some nibbles.

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

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

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

Coffee tasting Morning at Taylors Bar, Market St, Ennis Wednesday May 6th 2015 11am to 1pm First tasting in Ireland of Buondi Coffee, Confectionery kindly sponsored by Zest, Market Sq Ennis. Proceeds to Cahercalla Hospice

1 & 2 year full time educational programme

Are you unemployed for at least 6 months, over 21 and interested in returning to education to gain Qualifications and Skills which will enable you to return to work or further education? Ennis VTOS (based in the Adult Education Centre, Clonroad) is currently recruiting for its free 1 & 2 year full time educational programme, commencing late August 2015. Courses are offered at QQI Levels 4-5 in the areas of Community Care, Business Administration, Tourism with Business, Graphic Design and General Studies. Contact Irene or Helen for more information, 065-6897649 or log ontowww.ennisvtos.ie

Carrigerry community Alert wish to thank the 270 households who have signed up to date. Door to door visits have been completed but if we missed you please contact Cathal(087 1332404) or Mary(086 4076909). The community alert signs have been ordered and will be erected in the coming weeks. The text alert system is in progress and we have submitted the grant application for the seniors alert scheme. Our Community is our strength.

Parish Walk:

SPORT: People and Places: The Village

Departing the Fair Green at the later time of 5.15pm on Sunday May 10th. All welcome.

Carrigoran House Fair will take place on Sunday the 17th of May next. We would welcome volunteers to help on the day also anyone wishing to take a stall at the event please contact 061 368100



Newmarket on Fergus Agricultural Show.

Sun 3rd May - a Fun Family Day out! Venue: Dromoland Road.

By kind permission of Land Owner John Killoughry

Community Hall News

Bingo This Wednesday night in New Market on Fergus Community Centre at 830 pm Sharp. Jackpot Now Stands at a Whopping € 5,100. By supporting Bingo your not only having a great night out, your giving something back to your local Community.

Bokwa is happening Monday's And Wednesday's 7pm - 8pm. First Class Free. €5 Per Class.

The Alzheimer Society Clare Branch

The Alzheimer Society's Dementia Specific Day Care Centre in Ennis, currently has client vacancies. Accepts clients from all over Co Clare. Meaningful activity programme tailored towards clients, interests, experiences and personalities. Bus service available were possible. Meals provided. Cost €7 per day. Queries in relation to Daycare Services contact Linda Murphy 0879152151. Queries in relation to Home Care Services contact Clare Office 0656868621

Darkness into light run/walk for Pieta House on Saturday morning 9th May starting at 4.15am. Five Clare locations: Killaloe, Miltown-Malbay, Shannon, Kilrush and Ennis. More info dil.pieta.ie or 061-484448.

GAA NEWS: Lotto: Numbers Drawn: 9, 10, 12, 29. Jackpot: €8000. No Winner. €40 Winners; Mike Corbett, Niall Sheedy, Breda Ryan, Fergal McNamara, Bernie Casey. Online Winner: Shane Liddy. Next Week's Draw on 04/05/15 at O'Neills with a Jackpot of €8150. Online Players will be entered into an exclusive draw for the next four weeks.

Fixtures; Sunday May 3: Clare Cup Div2: NOF vs Ennistymon in Ennistymon at 13:00. Monday May 4: U14 Féile Hurling: NOF vs Doora/Barefield in NOF at 16:00. U14 Féile Hurling: NOF vs Corofin in NOF at 17:00.

Results: Clare Cup Div1A: Sixmilebridge 1-15 Newmarket-on-Fergus 0-12 / Clare Cup Div2: NOF 1-18 Cratloe 0-09 U14 Hurling Championship: NOF 5-08 Sixmilebridge 4-11.

Membership: Those interested in becoming a member of C.L.G. Cora Chaitlín are asked to contact any Executive Member. A new initiative sees Club Members rewarded with a host of discounts at local outlets, members will also receive first preference when it comes to ordering tickets for inter-county matches and access to a 'members area' on our website.

Lough Derg will hold a special Day Retreat *'Hope and Encouragement for a New Beginning'* on Wednesday 20th May. Fr Ben Hughes, who promotes healing and well-being, will facilitate the day which will be beneficial to anyone who is living with or struggling with any issue that is holding them back or hurting their life. Advance booking is essential. For more information contact Lough Derg on 071 9861518 (from NI 00353 71 9861518)

The Clare Older Person of the Year 2015 presentation and tea dance is taking place at the <u>Armada Hotel, Spanish Point, on Tuesday 12th May 2015 from 2pm -6pm.</u> The presentation this year will be made by Ger Loughnane and music will be from Larry McEvoy. All are welcome! Tickets are €5, available on the door and can be reserved in advance by ringing 0872909995

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