

Parish of Newmarket on Fergus - Carrigerry - The Wells

Parish Office open on Mon, Tue, Thur & Friday 10.00am - 2.30pm. Closed on Wednesdays.

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16th Sun in Ord Time

17th /18th July 2021

Sacristans

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

Newmarket

Sat	17th	7.30pm	Mary and James Conroy, Snugboro, Mooghaun
Sun	18th	11am	John and Eileen Lynch, Lislea and May Clune
Mon	19th	10am	Daily Mass
Tue	20th	10am	Daily Mass
		7pm	Michael Barry, Glenaifreann. 3rd anniversary
Wed	21st	10am	Mary and Gerry Fahy, Ballycar Road
Thur	22nd	10am	Daily Mass
Fri	23rd	10am	Daily Mass
Sat	24th	7.30pm	Sean Fennell, Ennis Road and deceased family members Brendan and Mary Collins, Rathfoland
Sun	25th	11am	Tom and Ciss Harrington, Ballycar Road

Wells

Sat	17th	6pm	Weekend Mass
Sun	18th	10am	Sunday Mass
Sat	24th	6pm	Ita Crowe, 1st anniversary and her husband Pat, 6th anniversary, Deerpark
Sun	25th	10am	Sunday Mass

Carrigerry

Sun	18th	9am	Sunday Mass
Wed	21st	7pm	John Collins, Goodwood
Sun	25th	9am	Moylan Family, Cahertigue

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

First World Day for Grandparents and Elderly

Next Sunday 25th July Pope Francis has established a World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly, which will take place for the first time on Sunday 25 July 2021 on the theme '**I am with you always**' (Mt 28:20)

'Throughout his papacy Pope Francis has reminded us to value the many gifts of grandparents and the elderly. In his theme chosen for this inaugural year I am with you always, the Holy Father is highlighting that promise of closeness that generations share with each other. Not only are our young people called to be present in the lives of older people, but so too grandparents and elders have a mission to encourage young people on their faith journey. Our little domestic churches are always enriched by the inclusion of grandparents and elders. In the text of his inaugural message Pope Francis expands on this theme and assures us that he has been close to all those who have felt isolated and alone in recent months and that, even at the darkest of moments, the Lord continues to send angels to console our loneliness and to remind us that 'He is with us always'. Pope Francis tells us that these angels sent to console us will at times have the face of our grandchildren, while at other times, the face of family members, lifelong friends or those we have come to know during these trying times, when we have learned how important hugs and visits are for each of us.' The World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly is being celebrated for the first time this year as part of a special Year on the Family to mark the fifth anniversary of Pope Francis' The Joy of Love (Amoris Laetitia)

Newsletter items to Parish Office @ 061 - 368127 or email office@newmarketonfergusparish.ie **Deadline is 11.00am on Thursday**
Office will be open from 10am to 2.30pm this Mon, Tue, & Fri. From 10am to 1pm on this Thur 22nd July.

Scoil na Maighdine Mhuire Split the Pot.

Our winner of this week's Split the Pot was Josette Howard. It was played in EuroSpar and the pot this week was €272.00. Draw continues each Wednesday and a big thank you to all our supporters and to the Parents' Council volunteers who facilitate it all.

St Vincent de Paul.

The local Conference of SVP are most grateful for the generous donation received.

A Reminder to Everyone ... As COVID-19 case numbers are rising we ask you to please keep your number of contacts low and observe social distancing when out and about and also when in church. We all need to make a special effort at this time. Our prayer is for everyone to stay safe and well.

Let us all take a few minutes everyday to say a prayer for the world to heal and come together in these difficult times.
Please be safe

A glimpse into the newsletter of this time in the year 2006.....

Canon Butler wrote....During the month of April I reached the retiring age of 75. I will remain as an assistant priest in the parish and Fr. Tom Fitzpatrick will be our next parish priest. Fr. Tom for over twenty years has been chaplain to Ennis Vocational School. Before that he served in Sixmilebridge.

We welcome him to the parish where I am sure he will have many happy years. Fr. Tom is presently doing pastoral duty in Florida and will join us around the tenth of August. In the meantime Fr. Paddy Lynch and myself will do our best to keep the show going.

The Choir had returned from Lourdes having been the chosen choir for the Diocesan Pilgrimage for the 2nd year in a row.

Our Senior Citizens were heading off on pilgrimage to Knock.

Clare Federation for people with Special Needs and Grow were thanking parishioners for donations to their recently held church gate collections and the Samaritans were due to hold a church gate collection the following week while the local Beavers and Scouts locally were holding one this weekend in 2006.

The winners of the GAA Lotto that week were Michael Hastings, Fanny Earls, Lorna O'Neill, Robert Mullins and Michael Considine.

The Going Strong Club had an end of year Party at the Cusack Stand.

Just some of what was happening locally in July 2006.