


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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13th Sunday in Ordinary
Time : 25th/26th July

Sacristans

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

Newmarket

Sat	25th	18.00	Nora Donnellan, Ballygireen. Month's Mind Mary and baby Patrick Carmody, Lisduff Paddy and Josie Considine and their daughter Bridget, Carhue Tom Casey, Ballycar Road
Sun	26th	11.00	Kathleen Gregan, Kilnasoolagh
Mon	27th	10.00	Daily Mass
Tue	28th	10.00	Special Intention
Wed	29th	10.00	Daily Mass
Thur	30th	10.00	Daily Mass
Fri	1st	10.00	Daily Mass
Sat	2nd	18.00	Seamus Delaney, 35 Kilnasoolagh Park, 3rd anniversary Michael Barry, Glенаifreann Emmet Nugent, Ballycar Month's Mind Thomas McMahon, Ballycar Road
Sun	3rd	11.00	Denis O'Leary, Boheraroan. 4th anniversary and deceased family members Limerick Rd Elizabeth Carroll, Glencragga John Maxwell, Kilnasoolagh Pk. Month's Mind

Wells

Sun	26th	10.00	Sunday Mass
Sun	3rd	10.00	Joe Powell, Ballycasey

Carrigerry

Sun	26th	9.00	Denis, Mary Ellen and Patricia Henchy & deceased family members , Rineanna
Sun	3rd	9.00	Sunday Mass

Recent Deaths:

Your kind prayers are asked for the happy repose of the souls of

Stephen O'Flanagan, Ballycar

Gerry Fitzpatrick, Ballycar

Susan Foudy, mother of Patricia Mullins, Avondale

Dessie Deegan, brother of Frances Orpen and Paddy Deegan, Clonmoney

May their souls and the souls of our Faithful Departed rest in the peace of Christ.

Parish Office closed for Summer Break

While the Parish Office is closed all this week phone messages and emails will be monitored so feel free to ring or email the Parish Office as normal and Fr. Michael will get back to you as soon as possible.

Items for newsletter should be emailed to office@newmarketonfergusparish.ie.

Please send items for the Clare Champion directly to editor@clarechampion.ie

Graveyard Masses

As the Covid-19 restrictions prevented the celebration of Graveyard Masses for the last number of years it is hoped to recommence this traditions this summer. We are giving advanced notice so that you can notify family and friends to join us in praying for our departed loved ones. **All Masses will take place at 19.30. Weather permitting.**

In conjunction with Shannon Parish we have already celebrated Mass in Lemenagh Graveyard.

Monday	27 th June	Fenloe Graveyard
Tuesday	28 th June	Bunratty Graveyard
Wednesday	29 th June	Clonloghan Graveyard
Thursday	30 th June	Kilconry Graveyard
Monday	4 th July	Kilnasoolagh Graveyard
Tuesday	5 th July	Kilmaleery Graveyard
Wednesday	6th July	Drumline Graveyard

Eternal rest grant onto them O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace.

RALLY FOR LIFE 2022

After two years of Covid lockdowns, the biggest pro-life event of the year is back in-person, in Dublin, where thousands will gather to Stand for Life.

The Stand for Life Rally will take place on the 2nd July in Dublin City Centre

For more information or to book a seat on the Clare/Limerick bus please contact Kateri Jones
087 1031107

GAA Lotto

There was no winner of the jackpot of €14450 last Monday night. The Five winners of our draw for €40 were Sean Ryan, Aileen Purcell, Elaine Donnellan, Shane O Leary and Denise Sweeney

Thanks to all our supporters.

Cahercalla Community Hospital Weekly Draw Results

1st Prize €650.00
Richard Phelan,
Castletroy,
Limerick
2nd Prize €200.00
Sr Marie Ryan,
Kilkee
Co Clare

Weekly Collection

Last week the collection amounted to €1244.99. A sincere thank you for your continued support in these financially challenging times. Your support makes so much possible in the ru

Fatima Hour

This takes place every first Saturday of the month from 2pm to 3pm in Our Lady of the Rosary Church. All are welcome even if only for one decade.

The next Fatima Hour will take place on

PARISH WALK - INISHMACNAUGHTON & FEENISH JUNE 18TH

John Ryan welcomed a group of thirty or so to the islands of Feenish and Inishmacnaughton on Saturday 18th June. He gave a concise history: The islands were famous for their fertile soil and for their 'road' of water when the land roads were poor by comparison. Trading and smuggling and fishing and pilotage, were carried on here to the nineteenth century. Seaweed was exported and turf was landed. Timber was landed for Dromoland in the 17th century. Posts of medieval fishweirs have been traced to Feenish and Deenish shores. There were several acts passed in the nineteenth century for land reclamation in the Fergus but only at Clarecastle's Islandavanna were they carried out. A grass called Spartina, known locally as Rice Grass, was introduced by the Department of Agriculture in 1928 for the purpose of reclaiming mud flats, marshes and swamps. It was only successful in the mud flats. Charlie Nix of Deenish who grew it extensively reported a foot rise in its growth in 1940. Today it has colonised the Fergus estuary to Na Fiains in Rineanna South and joined Deenish to the mainland. Maureen Moroney nee Donlon of Ballyket made the journey to talk about the Star of Cairo plane crash in December 28th 1946. Her father resident nearby at 'Son' Macks, Clenagh was one of the rescuers. He found a baby in the rushes and handed it to the air hostess, Vera Ferguson was admitted to Ennis Hospital as a patient under the care of Alice Lynch nee Brew of Latoon South. This was the first fatal crash in the history of Irish Civil Aviation and P J Reidy was able to tell us why its ruins were no longer visible. They were buried at the request of survivors, ten of the twenty three passengers, in the swamp on the island. Sheila McGrath's connection with the island is ancestral, and through the Melicans who occupied the herd's house at the turn of the century. One by one a large family settled in Boston returning home only to bring out the younger members. The pedigree herd gazed at the colourful procession through their land and their equine companions made themselves known in the quietness of the afternoon, made quieter still when the second causeway had stripped. Mucky conditions under foot deterred some, but Molly O'Donnell and an intrepid group made it to the point of Feenish Castle. Next Year Again on the Islands? Each visit brings fresh appeal and new faces. Yes: Le cúnamh Dé agus le caoin cead an úinéara!

An Chéad Siúlóid eile 30ú Iúil 30.07.2022 Turnpike Road Ballycar to Manus. Departure Fair Green/ Car Park 10.45. a.m.