


# 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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## Parish Team

Fr. Michael Collins: Tel: 700883 / 087 6389847  
Mary Power: Parish Secretary

  
**19th Sunday in Ordinary**  
**Time: 7th August 2022**

## Sacristans

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

## Newmarket

Sat	6th	18.00	Peg Kennelly, Ballycar Road. Month's Mind
			Carmel Shanagher, Glенаifreann. Month's Mind
Sun	7th	11.00	Sheelagh Mulkerrins, Kilnasoolagh Park
			Flan Enright, Carrowmeer, memorial
Mon	8th	10.00	Special Intention
Tue	9th	10.00	Daily Mass
Wed	10th	10.00	Daily Mass
Thur	11th	10.00	Daily Mass
Fri	12th	10.00	Daily Mass
Sat	13th	18.00	Bridget Fox, Knocksaggart. 9th anniversary
Sun	14th	11.00	Ann O'Callaghan nee Clancy, Mooghaun

## Wells

Sun	7th	10.00	Mike Kelly, Clonmoney North
Sun	14th	10.00	Sunday Mass

## Carrigerry

Sun	7th	9.00	Maisie and Joe Duggan, Clenagh
Sun	14th	9.00	Sunday Mass

**The Apostolic Work** will hold a Church Gate Collection next week-end, Saturday August 13 and Sunday August 14 at all Masses. All proceeds to the Missions.

Due to COVID 19 no fund raising has been done since 2019.

## Prayers for Priests Prayer Group

Meeting this Monday 8th August at 7.30pm  
in Our Lady of the Wells Church.

Meetings are held every second Monday of every month.  
Contact Mary by text only on 087 3143289.

**Weekly Collection :** Last week the collection amounted to €11564.81. We wish to acknowledge all donations, received through the basket collection in church both coin & envelope, or through the donate button on our website <https://www.newmarketonfergusparish.ie/donate/> or dropped to the office. We have also been notified of donations made through the Killaloe Diocesan Website which will be forwarded in due course. Thank you all very much for your continued generous support.

Newsletter items to Parish Office ideally by email to [office@newmarketonfergusparish.ie](mailto:office@newmarketonfergusparish.ie) or you can call 061 - 368127, please leave a message if the phone is not answered.

**Deadline for any notice for the Newsletter is 11.00am on Thursday**

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## Clare Older People's Volunteer of the Year Award 2022.

The search is on again to recognise those who give their time, energy and skills to help others in the local community. For an

application form please contact Helen on [hmoloney@clarecoco.ie](mailto:hmoloney@clarecoco.ie) or call 065 6846240 or visit <https://www.clarecoco.ie>

Application forms must be submitted by Friday 16th September.

## The Turnpike Road and Ballycar

A group of fifteen participated in a celebration of the Toll or Turnpike Road from Limerick to Ennis on Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> July. The road is included in Cartographer Hermann Moll's map of 1728. Its most prominent customer from 1815 was the Mail coach owned by William Bourne; Newmarket was reached by a detour through the Old Ballycar Road and Lisduff. Quin was added in 1832 and in 1834 Crusheen and the road became the Galway Road, a Bianconi enterprise. The Crabtree was a Bianconi Inn, its sign incorporating the Bianconi coat of arms and Italian flag colours Red Yellow and Black. Trading records show how Ballycar benefitted from its location on the on the communication network road and railway. Mary Doyle pointed out the milestones reading 18 and 20 Irish miles. Rabbits and their skins were sold by Mary's great grandfather, the "Boer Mack" both at his house in Granaghan and in Limerick following the advent of the railway line. Eels were exported and placed for sale at Billingsgate Market as happened downstream at O'Leary's weir in Newmarket and at Carrigoran. Eamonn de Valera used the road on the 23<sup>rd</sup> August 1923 to reach Ennis where he was eventually arrested by the Free State. The road known as Dev's road is part of the subject road which is cut off since the nineteen sixties. Thanks to the Reynolds family who cleared the right of way, the group could walk there and admire the splendid view at the top. The local inn keepers Joan and Frances Reynolds offered liquid and solid refreshment and space on their grounds for a chat. Thanks to Sheila McGrath for research and opening talk on the road, inn and schools, to Brid Collins for pointing out the home of Dinny O'Rourke whose house produced the stone for the parish church, to Mary Doyle for sharing her local knowledge and to John Higgins for reeling the eelery back through the years with the enterprise of locals who kept inside the law and outside the Queen's Pass. An té a bhíonn siúlach bíonn sé scéaltach.

The continuation of the route to Clarecastle by Ardsollus, Jasper's Pound and Manus will be on Saturday, 20<sup>th</sup> August.

### **Youth Ministry Coordinator in the Diocese of Limerick - (Three-year fixed-term fulltime contract)**

The Diocese is now recruiting a Youth Ministry Coordinator. The successful candidate will work on the delivery of the objectives and actions of the Young People theme in the Diocesan Pastoral Plan, the vision of which is: "to create local opportunities for young people to meet their peers in the Eaglais Óg and replicate at local level, the success of the Youth Ministry at diocesan level and ensure that young people feel connected, involved and active in a multigenerational church whereby grandparents, parents and children minister to each other".

The role will involve the creation, resourcing, delivery and support of youth ministry programmes and initiatives across the Diocese, including with parishes and schools with a focus on building capacity in the local context. It will also involve engagement with Youth Work and other relevant Organisations (Voluntary and Statutory) both Regionally and Nationally as appropriate.

An **Application Pack with Job Description** (PDF) and **Application Form** (Word) are available on [www.limerickdiocese.org/news/vacancy-for-youth-ministry-coordinator/](http://www.limerickdiocese.org/news/vacancy-for-youth-ministry-coordinator/). CVs will not be accepted.

### **Cahercalla Community Hospital & Hospice Weekly Draw**

**1<sup>st</sup> Prize €650.00.** Michael Crowe, Ruan.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Prize €200.00.** Christopher Considine, N-on-F

**Only €1.27 weekly.**

**To Join; Contact Fundraising Office 065 6821966**

**[www.cahercalla.ie](http://www.cahercalla.ie)**

### **Clarecastle Day Centre will reopen this Monday 8th August.**

Third level student studying Science and Education, available for grinds up to Leaving Certificate honours level in Biology and Chemistry. Grinds commencing early September in the Ennis area. Individual or groups. For more information contact, 083 805813

**A Big Thank You** to everyone who so generously supported the Mike Liddy East Clare Vintage & Classic Car Memorial Run last June. €8000 was realised and all proceeds are in aid of Oesophageal Cancer Research.

### **William Smith O'Brien Public Library, N-on-F.**

<b>Monday:</b>	<b>Closed</b>
<b>Tuesday:</b>	<b>10.00am - 1.00pm &amp; 2.00pm - 5.30pm</b>
<b>Wednesday:</b>	<b>2.00pm - 5.30pm</b>
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