# Parish of Newmarket on Fergus - Carrigerry - The Wells

Parish Office open on Mon, Tue, Wed 10am—2.30pm & Fri 11.00am - 2.30pm. Closed on Thursday. Parish website: www.newmarketonfergusparish.ie / Tel: 061 - 368127 / email: office@newmarketonfergusparish.ie

### **Parish Team**

Fr. Michael Collins: Tel: 700883 / 087 6389847

Mary Power: Parish Secretary



### Sacristans

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

Newmarket				
Sat	8th	18.00	Christina Liddy, Glencragga	
			Patsy and Paschal Shanahan, Ennis	
Sun	9th	11.00	Claire Tuohy, Ralahine	
Mon	10th	10.00	Daily Mass	
Tue	11th	10.00	Daily Mass	
Wed	12th	10.00	Daily Mass	
Thur	13th	10.00	Colm Walsh, Malahide and Main Street. Memorial Mass	
Fri	14th	10.00	Daily Mass	
Sat		18.00	Weekend Mass	
Sun	16th	11.00	Sean Keane, Urlanbeg. Month's mind	
			Tom Hession, Urlanbeg. 4th anniversary	
			Michael Hastings, Granaghan	
			John and Lucy O'Connor	
			Mary Crehan	
			Michael Burke, Co. Limerick. 1st anniversary	
Wells				
Sun	9th	10.00	Sunday Mass	
Sun	16th	10.00	Don Nolan, Killula. Month's Mind	
   Carrig	<u>Carrigerry</u>			
Sun	9th	9.00	Sunday Mass	
Sun	16th	9.00	Sunday Mass	



### **Recent Deaths:**

Your kind prayers are asked for the happy repose of the souls of Frankie Kilmartin, Glencragga Mary Hopkins, mother of Siobhán Meehan, Lisduff

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

## A word of thanks and appreciation to our Local Tidy Towns Group

It is hard not to notice the great work that the Newmarket on Fergus Tidy Towns Group have been doing throughout the village of Newmarket on Fergus. This week they shared their expertise, talent and effort in the grounds of Our Lady of the Rosary Church in Newmarket on Fergus. The planters at our entrance doors were given a total overhaul with some beautiful new planting. We give a sincere thank you to the Tidy Towns Group for how they have uplifted the ground of the Church. As one writer said:

"I love to think of nature as an unlimited broadcasting station, through which God speaks to us every hour if we only tune in"

Thanks again to our Local Tidy Towns Group your efforts are much appreciated.

### 1st Holy Communion and Confirmation.

A big thank you to all the parents/guardians who came to the two information nights for children receiving the sacraments this year. In the coming week parents/guardians of children in 2nd and 6th Class will receive a registration form for the sacraments. We ask that you return it to the Parish Office or to the school at which your child attends. We ask the parish community to keep these children, their parents and their families in your prayers at this very special time in their faith journey.

Sacristans Collection will take place next weekend 15th /16th October in all churches. Thank you for your continued support in appreciation of the work that the sacristans do each week in our churches.

### **Weekly Collection**

Last week the collection amounted to €2051.07. A sincere thank you for your continued support in these financially challenging times. Your support makes so much possible in the running of the Parish.

We also take this opportunity to thank you for your contribution to the Priest Autumn Collection last weekend. Your ongoing support in so many ways for the Priest of the parish is very much appreciated.

### Rosary for the Month of October

Please feel free to join us for the Rosary each evening for the month of October. We gather at the Statue in Glencragga at 1pm & Avondale Grotto at 2pm.

### **New Youth Ministry Group**

A new Youth Ministry Group will begin meeting in the Church of Our Lady, Roslevan (Fahy Hall) on Sunday 23rd October 6pm-8pm. There will be a Youth Mass at 7pm. This group is open to 13-18 year olds. All are welcome. Mass will take place at 7pm. Please email <a href="mailto:donaghomeara@gmail.com">donaghomeara@gmail.com</a> for further details.

# Supporting Ukrainian Refugees living in our Community

Fáilte Isteach is a group of volunteers offering English language support to refugees from the Ukraine living in our communities who don't speak English. It has been running in Shannon for some time and now with the arrival of Ukrainian refugees to Bunratty and Newmarket they are in urgent need of support and volunteers if they are to extend their service beyond Shannon to help those now living in our parish. If you commit as a Failte Isteach volunteer you will be asked to commit to one session per week. A session normally lasts one to two hours or more if you have the availability. Training and support is provided. If you are interested please email:

### snnenglish4all@yahoo.com

and they will make contact with further information and an application form. You will be joining a wonderful team of volunteers who are doing all they can to help these refugees, our new neighbours, settle into our community by gifting them the language they need engage day to day.

### Céilí at Cois na hAbhna

Sunday October 9th 3pm - 6pm with Donie Nolan and Taylor's Cross Céilí Band. Add: €10.

Ennis Flower and Garden Club: Garden talk with Judy Beck, horticulturist at Treacys West County Hotel, Ennis. Tuesday October 18th, doors open 7.30, 10 euro non members, all welcome, plants raffled on the night, contact Patricia 085 7743398.

### Nourishing your body this Winter.

On Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> October at 6.30pm, Sixmilebridge Library are hosting a Nutrition workshop with Grainne Travers. Join nutritionist Grainne Travers for expert tips on how to nourish your body this winter. Learn how to support your immune system and gut health through diet. Grainne will also share practical cooking ideas and recipe tips. Free event. Places are limited and booking is essential. For booking and information, contact Sixmilebridge Library on 061 369678 email <a href="mailto:sixmilebridge@clarelibrary.ie">sixmilebridge@clarelibrary.ie</a>

### Mission Month—October

October and World Mission Sunday is a time for the faithful of the world to show their appreciation towards the work of overseas missionaries. The generosity offered will be used to support missionary activities in over 1,100 struggling dioceses, mostly in Africa, Asia, and Latin America. You can help right now. Please donate €4.00 by texting the word 'Mission' to 50300. Alternatively donate at www. missio.ie or call Missio Ireland on 01 497 2035. If you are not in a position to donate at this time your prayers will be most appreciated.

### Week of Prayer for Prisoners

We pray for all in our parish who are in prison, we pray for their families and for the victims of their crime. Lord, you offer freedom to all people. We pray for those in prison. Break the bonds of fear and isolation that exist. Support with your love prisoners and their families and friends, prison staff and all who care. Heal those who have been wounded by the actions of others, especially the victims of crime. Help us to forgive one another, to act justly, love mercy and walk humbly together with Christ in his strength and in his Spirit, now and every day. Amen.

### **Prayer for Vocations**

In our Gospel today Jesus highlights the gratitude of the lepper who was healed and the ingratitude of the other nine leppers. We pray that we will be grateful to God for those who minister to us as priests, deacons and religious, and that we will encourage and support those who are discerning a vocation to serve as a priest, deacon or religious so that they may respond to the Lord's call.

### **Adult Evening Courses**

Now enrolling for: Furniture upcycling and Painting & Drawing classes and adult History classes. There is also fully funded Adult Courses Spanish for beginners in College of Further Education & Training, Ennis Campus. All welcome. To book a place or for more information contact 065 6897654/086 0752014 or email antoinette.houlihan@lcetb.ie

### **Newmarket On Fergus GAA News**

Lotto results: There was no winner of the jackpot of €16700 last Monday night. The Five winners of our draw for €40 were Ava Kelly, Mike Corbett, Nicole Kelly, Anita Considine and Tim Kelly. Thanks to all our supporters.

Save the Date! On December 10th the GAA club is holding a fantastic event inspired by Strictly Come Dancing. Featuring local men and women who are practicing as we speak! It will be great fun to watch them attempt the Foxtrot, Waltz and Tango! More details to follow