## NEWMARKET ON FERGUS PARISH PARÓISTE CORA CHAITLÍN

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33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time: 30th October 2022

Newmarket		
Sat	12th 18.00	Padraig Crimmins, Ballycar Road. 1st anniversary
		Pakie Lillis, Ballinacragga
		John Joe, Mary and Carmel McInerney, The Green
		Anna and Fergus McMahon, Granahan
		Dessie McAuley, Glenaifreann
		Bridget and Paddy Casey, Lisduff
		Anne Gorman, Ralahine
		Sean Cullen, Boheraroan
Sun	13th 11.00	Christina Ryan, Kilnasoolagh. 1st anniversary
	444 4000	Anne and Michael McCormack, Mooghaun
Mon	14th 10.00	Daily Mass
Tue	15th 10.00	Michael Ó Gruaigáin, Kilnasoolagh and Dublin
		Deceased members of the Parish Walks
Wed	16th 10.00	Deceased members of the Clare Ploughing Association
Thur	17th 10.00	Shannon Air Radio, Irish Aviation Authority deceased members and staff
Fri	18th 10.00	Daily Mass
Sat	19th 18.00	Sean O'Driscoll, Knocksaggart
		Frank and Kathleen McNamara, Knocksaggart
		Michael Arthur, Avondale
		Michael Hogan, Kilnasoolagh Park
Sun	20th 11.00	Agnes Halpin, Limerick Road. 1st anniversary
		Deceased members of Tradaree ICA
		Joe and Ann McMahon, Ballycar
		Joe and Patty Casey, Ralahine
		The McGrath Family, Ballycar
<u>Wells</u>		
Sun	13th 10.00	Jimmy and Madge Melody, Clonmoney
		Mary Melody, Clonmoney
Sun	20th 10.00	Kevin Tuohy, Hurlers Cross, Clonmoney West
<u>Carrigerry</u>		
Sun	13th 9.00	Mass for People of the Parish
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## **Recent Deaths:**

Your kind prayers are asked for the happy repose of the souls of Colette Toomey, sister of Michael Toomey, Drumline Bridget McCarthy, mother of Pat, Woodpark

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

## **Blessing of the Graves this Sunday**



1.30pm: Bunratty 2.00pm: Drumline 2.30pm: Fenloe

**3.00pm:** Ballycar Killeen

## **Parish Pastoral Council Meeting**



There will be a meeting of the Parish Pastoral Council on Tuesday 15th of November at 19.30. The meeting will take place in the meeting room above the Sacristy in Our Lady of the Rosary Church.

## Does your statue need to be restored?

Contact Harry Guinane on 087 9102819 Award Winning Artist. Website: http://www.harryguinane.com

Social Dancing Classes continuing every Monday at Newmarket-on-Fergus Community Centre from 8.30pm to 10.30pm. Expert tuition provided by Maurice. No partner, or experience, required. €10 pay as you go.

Christmas Gala Demonstration with Brid Coonan AOIFA, Tuesday 15th November, at Treacys West County Hotel Ennis, supporting The Alzheimers Society of Ireland, admission €15 euro, all are welcome, demonstrators arrangements raffled on the night. Doors open at 7.30, Demonstration commences at 8.15. Contact secretary at 085 7743398

#### Céilí @ Cois na hAbhna,

This Sunday November 13th 3pm - 6pm . With The Dal gCais Céilí Band. Admission €10. 065 68 24276

# Newmarket On Fergus GAA Lotto results

There was no winner of the jackpot of €17450 last Monday night. The Five winners of our draw for €40 were Helen Daly, Aine Galvin, Ronan McCormack, Paddy Sheedy and Josephine Earls Thanks to all our supporters.

### **Weekly Collection**

Last week the collection amounted to €1688.00. 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.

## Cahercalla Community Hospital & Hospice Weekly Draw

1<sup>st</sup> Prize €650.00. Gertrude Hanrahan, Ennis. 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize €200.00. Peggy O'Shea, Ballynacally.

## Love's greatest gift – remembrance

No shade, no shine, no butterflies, no bees, No fruits, no flowers, no leaves, no birds! – November! Thomas Hood (1799-1845)

While the poet marks this month with images of absence and loss in the Catholic tradition November encourages us to celebrate the memory of those who have died, to pray for our dead and reflect upon the shortness of life. The late Queen Elizabeth II became famous for the quotation 'Grief is the price we pay for love,' but the quote comes from a longer passage by Dr Colin Murray Parkes, a British psychiatrist, and a pioneer in this field. The Queen popularised it, but Dr Parkes' full quote is eloquent and wise and deserves to be acknowledged.

'The pain of grief is just as much part of life as the joy of love: it is perhaps the price we pay for love, the cost of commitment. To ignore this fact, or to pretend that it is not so, is to put on emotional blinkers which leave us unprepared for the losses that will inevitably occur in our own lives and unprepared to help others cope with losses in theirs.'

The funeral Mass declares that the coming of death means that 'life is changed, not ended.' The faith and trust required to accept this comforting thought is challenging in a world which largely rejects the vision of eternal life promised by God's son. Yet as his followers we remain prisoners of hope. May our November memories of our departed loved ones and our prayers for them bring more peace than pain with the passage of time.

Paul Clayton-Lea

"The world is full of magic things, patiently waiting for our senses to grow sharper." —William Butler (WB) Yeats

"You should never be ashamed to admit you have been wrong. It only proves you are wiser today than yesterday." —Jonathan Swift

Míle Buíochas: Newmarket-On-Fergus Senior Citizens Committee would like to extent a big thank you to everyone who contributed to our recent collections, (Church Gate, Raffle and Bag Pack) A total of €3000.00 was collected and all proceeds will go towards Annual Christmas Party – December 11<sup>th</sup> @ 2pm Inn at Dromoland,

Winners of Raffle – Trailer of Timber – Chris Meehan. / Halpin's Fuel Voucher – Aoife Griffin / Eurospar Voucher - Bernard Cusack / JP Clarke Dinner Voucher – Brendan Ryan

Sincere thanks to Management & Staff of Eurospar, Clare and Staff of Ros Café and Newmarket Community Hall Committee for their help and support over the last few weeks.