

NEWMARKET ON FERGUS PARISH

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Newmarket

Sat	29th	18.00	Paddy Corry, Lemenagh
Sun	30th	11.00	Mass for the People of the Parish
Mon	1st	10.00	No Daily Mass
Tue	2nd	10.00	Daily Mass
Wed	3rd	10.00	Daily Mass
Thur	4th	10.00	Daily Mass
Sat	6th	18.00	Mary Enright, 1st anniversary, Thurles & late of Kilnasoolagh Michael Grogan, Dublin & late of Kilnasoolagh Martha Crimmins, Ballycar Road Kay Meere, Knocknagun
Sun	7th	11.00	Jerry Kennedy, Ennis Road

Wells

Sun	30th	10.00	Merlyn & Mike Quinn, Low Road, Bunratty.
Sun	7th	10.00	Patrick and Anne Fitzpatrick, Clonmoney

Carrigerry

Sun	30th	9.00	Sunday Mass
Sun	7th	9.00	Sean Liddy and his parents Tom and Josephine, Ballycalla

Life in the Spirit Seminar

This series of 7 weekly seminars will commence on Monday 8th of May at 19.00 in The Wells Church. Each week is devoted to a different topic with an input given by different speakers each week. Week 1: God's Covenant. Week 2: Salvation. Week 3: The New Life. Week 4: Receiving God's Gift. Week 5: Baptised in the Spirit. Week 6: Growth. Week 7: Transformation in Christ. These seminars will open with Mass on Monday the 8th.



Vocation Sunday.

Today is Vocation Sunday and the beginning of a special year of prayer for vocations to the Diocesan Priesthood. We pray for all who are discerning God's will for them in life. May we do what we can to support all who are endeavouring to live their lives out of a sense of where God might be calling them to serve.



Prayer for Vocations

Heavenly Father,
we ask you to send
labourers into your harvest.

Inspire, in the hearts of your people,
vocations to the priesthood, diaconate
and religious life.

Bless our families with a spirit of generosity,
so that those whom you call
have the courage to give themselves
to your Church in faith.
Through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

St Joseph's Young Priests Society

St Joseph's Young Priests Society is a society of lay people who foster vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life, help financially in the training of students and is active in our parish. Over the years parishioners have been generous in their support to the society. For the year ending 2022 subscriptions amounted to €400 for which we are extremely grateful. A big thank you to all. Contact numbers for anyone wishing to donate are Joe at 087 6404929, Betty at 087 2420865 and Mary at 086 8730520. Or you can contact the parish office

'Ireland needs Fatima', public Rosary

On Saturday 13 May, beginning at 4.00pm, there will be a public recital of the Holy Rosary in the car park in front of 'Our Lady of the Rosary Church', Newmarket-on-Fergus, as part of a national 'Ireland needs Fatima' Rosary rally. The open-air event is to celebrate the feast day of the 'First Apparition of Our Lady in Fatima'. The 2nd Vatican Council taught: *"The motherhood of Mary in the order of grace continues uninterruptedly from the consent which she loyally gave at the Annunciation and which she sustained without wavering beneath the cross, until the eternal fulfilment of all the elect. Taken up to heaven, she did not lay aside this saving office but, by her manifold intercession continues to bring us the gifts of eternal salvation. By her maternal charity, she cares for her Son's people, who still journey on earth surrounded by dangers and difficulties, until they are led into their blessed home.* (Dogmatic Constitution on the Church. Vatican II 62)

Fatima Hour

On the First Saturday of every month the Rosary is recited in the Day Chapel of Our Lady of the Rosary Church, Newmarket from 2pm to 3pm. All welcome

Franciscan Brothers Appeal

Every year Bishop Fintan give permission for one missionary order to speak throughout the diocese in order to promote their work and to appeal for financial aid. This year he has granted permission to the Franciscan Brothers whose mission is in Kenya and Uganda. Their main work is in the area of education, sustainable agriculture and rural development. Members of their Order will speak at all Masses on the weekend of the 6th of May.

May a month for raising Safeguarding awareness



THE NATIONAL BOARD FOR
SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN
IN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH IN IRELAND

the Diocesan website. www.killaloe-diocese.ie/safeguarding

During our safeguarding month in the Diocese, we ask you to keep in your prayers those affected by abuse, violence and war. Using the words of Khalil Gibran 'Safeguarding the rights of others is the most noble and beautiful end of a human being.' The Diocesan Adult safeguarding Policy (adults at risk of abuse) is available on the Safeguarding pages of the Diocesan website. www.killaloe-diocese.ie/safeguarding

Milford Care Centre – Annual Service of Remembrance



Milford Care Centre will hold its Annual Service of Remembrance on Sunday 14th of May commencing at 3pm in Our Lady Help of Christians Church Milford Limerick 94DK44. We will remember all those who died under our care between 2019-2022. Further information on the service can be got from the Pastoral Care Team, Tel 061 485907 or 485908.

Every Blessing to Newmarket Celtic.

There is no escaping the buzz around the parish this week as we all look forward to Newmarket Celtic's appearance in the FAI Junior Cup Final on Saturday. What a marvellous achievement by all involved. All is the Parish wish the team and management every good wish. May God bless and protect all who travel to the match.

Newmarket on Fergus Agricultural Show

takes place this Sunday on the grounds of Dromoland Castle. A family fun day guaranteed with lots of activities for children to include a small animal pet farm, a dog show, bouncing castles and face painting. We look forward to seeing you all on the day.

The Rosary for the Month of May

The rosary will be said for the month of May at Glencragga Statue at 5pm from Monday 1st May and at Avondale Grotto at 4pm from Monday 8th May.



Our Lady of the Rosary Church & Grounds clean up.

On Saturday May 6th there is a clean up scheduled from 10am — 12noon(approx). If you have an hour or two on the day your help will be very much appreciated. If possible please bring a sweeping brush and if working outdoors suitable implements.

Weekly Collections



Last week the Envelope Collection amounted to €1895.12.

Trocaire Collection Total : €4179.49

We extend a heartfelt thank you to all who donate so much for the good of the Parish and for those much less well off than ourselves.

Cois na hAbhna Céilí with The Dal gCais Céilí Band, Sunday April 30th at 3pm - Admission €10 Ennis Branch CCÉ Monthly Seisiún Monday May 11st from 6pm at Cois na hAbhna, Ennis. Admission €3, children free. Cois na hAbhna, Galway Road, Ennis 065 6824276

Mary's Meals Pray in May Campaign

Pray in May is a grassroots campaign where we invite individuals, churches, and faith groups to pray with us – that our work continues to flourish and grow, and that more children and communities will see their lives transformed through the provision of a daily meal in a place of education. For more information about this global movement, check out marysmeals.ie

Cahercalla Community Hospital & Hospice Weekly Draw

1st Prize €650.00: Therese Lillis, Ennis

2nd Prize €200.00: Mai Finnucane, Ennis,

Only €1.27 weekly. To Join; Contact Fundraising Office 065 6821966 www.cahercalla.ie

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