

# NEWMARKET ON FERGUS PARISH

## PARÓISTE CORA CHAITLÍN

This Week the Parish Office will open on Tue, Wed & Thur 10.00 — 14.30 : Tel: 061 - 368127  
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### Newmarket

Sat	3rd	18.00	Mike Donnelly, Knocknagun Maura O'Halloran, Kilnasoolagh Park Michael O'Neill, Kilnasoolagh Park. 4th anniversary Michael Kennelly, Kilnasoolagh Park
Sun	4th	11.00	John Maxwell, Kilnasoolagh Pk. 1st anniversary, followed by burial of ashes in Lemenagh Anthony Hegarty, Crowhill Kathleen Crimmins, Avondale
Mon	5th	10.00	Daily Mass
Tue	6th	10.00	Special Intention
Wed	7th	10.00	Mass for all students sitting Exams and their families.
Thur	8th	10.00	Maura Johnson, Ballycar Road and deceased family members
Sat	10th	18.00	Weekend Mass
Sun	11th	11.00	Mass for the people of the parish

### Wells

Sun	4th	10.00	Pa Crowe, Muckanagh. 8th anniversary
Sun	11th	10.00	Sunday Mass

### Carrigerry

Sun	4th	09.00	May and Joe Donlon, Ballycalla Nellie Boyce, Carrigerry.
Sun	11th	09.00	Sunday Mass

### Recent Deaths:



Your kind prayers are asked for the happy repose of the soul of  
**Patrick Andrew Gannon, Shannon , son of Ita nee Lenane, formerly of Ballycalla.**

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

### Graveyard Masses

Weather permitting the annual Graveyard Masses will continue at 19.00 on the following dates.

Monday	5 <sup>th</sup> June	Kilconry Graveyard
Tuesday	6 <sup>th</sup> June	Kilnasoolagh Graveyard
Wednesday	7 <sup>th</sup> June	Kilmaleery Graveyard

This is an opportunity for us to remember loved ones and neighbours who have passed away. Like Mary Magdalene on that first Easter Morning, we too will gather at the tombs of our loved ones in the hope of having an encounter with God that will instil in us a belief in the resurrection and new life gifted by Jesus.



### Church Collections:

**Thank you most sincerely for your support to all the church collections.**

The weekly offerings amounted to €1872.48 last week.  
There was an additional €119 donated to the Lourdes Fund .

GAA LOTTO: There was no winner of the jackpot of €3650 last Monday night. The Five winners of our draw for €40 were Stephen Littleton, Mary Cusack, Phil McInerney, Kate Tierney and Sarah Kelly.  
Thanks to all our supporters.

### **Killaloe Diocese Pilgrimage Day at Knock Shrine**

Killaloe and Ferns Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine, takes place on Sun. July 2<sup>nd</sup> 2023. Schedule of Ceremonies: 2.00pm: Rosary; 2.30pm: Anointing of the Sick followed by Mass at 3.00 in the Knock Basilica. Mass concludes with Benediction & the Rosary Procession:  
**Bus Organisers contact details:**  
Brigdale Coaches for Ennis, Clarecastle, Doorra Barefield and Quin contact 086-8034092 or email: [info@brigdalecoaches.com](mailto:info@brigdalecoaches.com). (preferable) to book a seat. Bus will be leaving St. Joseph's Church, Ennis at approx. 9.30am. Any questions Contact - Claire 065-6828638 Killaloe Diocesan Office or visit [www.knockshrine.ie](http://www.knockshrine.ie) for further details.



### **15<sup>th</sup> June – World Elder Abuse Awareness Day:**

The United Nations General Assembly has designated the 15<sup>th</sup> June annually as World Elder Abuse Awareness Day. It is well documented that there will be a significant growth in the population of older persons between 2015-2030 and with this increase comes the increase and risk of abuse. The abuse of older people is an increasing and serious problem so it is vital to raise awareness of it in an effort to prevent it. Raising awareness of what constitutes abuse and ensuring that people know how to report any concerns they have is important in this regard. This day focuses our attention on the need for all of us, to take responsibility in preventing elder abuse for those with whom we work to care for and those within our community.

The HSE Safeguarding & Protection Teams work directly with those who find themselves vulnerable and who are at risk of abuse. If you have a concern for yourself or an older person you can contact the HSE Mid-West Safeguarding & Protection Team on [safeguarding.cho3@hse.ie](mailto:safeguarding.cho3@hse.ie), or ring 067 46470 / 067 46428.

Anam Cara Galway, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding it's monthly Parent Evening for bereaved parents on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> June at



7:15pm in the Clayton Hotel, Briarhill, Galway. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not. We also offer a free online service, for more info call us on 01

### **Lourdes Pilgrimage:**

Bishop Fintan will lead our Diocesan pilgrimage to Lourdes on Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> June to Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> July. Special subsidized price €809 Book with Joe Walsh Tours 01-2410800 [Info@joewalstours.ie](mailto:Info@joewalstours.ie);

### **Keep in your prayers the students from our Parish sitting State Examinations.**



We keep in our prayers all the students of the Parish who will sit their Junior and Leaving Cert Examinations in the coming weeks. As they commence their examinations on Wednesday the 7<sup>th</sup> of June we will be offering Mass for them and their families at the 10.00 Mass on that Wednesday morning. We will continue to keep them in our prayers for the duration of the examination period.

*Dear Lord, we pray for all the students of our Parish who will be sitting State Examinations at this time.*

*Help them to see that their value as a person is not based on their performance, but on your great love for them. Come into their heart so that they may know that they are not alone. Help them, not only with these examinations, but with the many tests of life that are sure to come their way.*

*As they take these exams, bring back to their mind everything they have studied and give them the skills they need to engage that which they may have overlooked. Help them to remain focused and calm, confident in the facts they have learned and in their ability. May they be held firm in the knowledge that no matter what happens during these examinations that you are always with them.*

*Amen.*