

NEWMARKET ON FERGUS PARISH

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Newmarket

Sat	30th	21.00	Easter Vigil Mass. Patrick McMahon, Ballycar Road
Sun	31st	11.00	Easter Sunday Thomas Gregan, Kilnasoolagh and deceased family members Joan Cullen, Ballycar Road. 5th anniversary

Here is the schedule of masses in our Cluster for the coming weekdays

Mon	1st	10.00	Newmarket
Tue	2nd	10.00	Newmarket and Shannon (Mary Immaculate)
Wed	3rd	10.00	Shannon (Mary Immaculate)
Thur	4th	10.00	Shannon (Mary Immaculate) and Sixmilebridge
Fri	5th	10.00	Shannon (Mary Immaculate) and Sixmilebridge
Sat	6th	18.00	Fiona Shanahan, Kilnasoolagh Park. Month's Mind Pakie Ryan, Kilnasoolagh Park & Shannon
Sun	7th	11.00	Robert Conway, Kilnasoolagh Park Josephine and Seán McNamara, Ballycar Road

Wells

Sun	31st	10.00	Easter Sunday
Sun	7th	10.00	Jim Toomy, Hill Road & Sixmilebridge John Garry, Drumline

Carrigerry

Sun	31st	09.00	Easter Sunday
Sun	7th	09.00	Mary Hegarty, Crowhill. Month's Mind

Recent Deaths:



Your kind prayers are asked for the happy repose of the souls of
Marian Collins, Sixmilebridge and formerly of Lisduff
Mary Moynihan, Ballycar
Martin Clune, father of Mary Gleeson, Ralahine

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



There is no doubting that the Easter message is one of new beginnings. The trappings, of hurt and betrayal are all let go of. Maybe more to the point they are transformed by absolute love. In return for hate and hurt all Jesus breaths is peace and love.

Author Richard Rohr, in *Hope Against Darkness*, writes: “The wonder of the resurrection stories in the Gospels is that Jesus has no punitive attitude toward the authorities or his cowardly followers; and the followers themselves never call for any kind of holy war against those who killed

their leader. Something new has clearly transpired in history. This is not the common and expected story line. All Jesus does is breathe forgiveness (John 20:22)”.

May the Peace of the Risen Lord visit all our hearts and our homes this Easter Season. As Jesus breaths in peace, forgiveness and love may we breath in deeply this radically new message so that we may experience something new being resurrected in our lives, our relationships and in our faith.

Answers to Parish Quiz

- Answer 1. House No. 68C. C, The dispensary area not required in answer.
Answer 2 Clare County Council
Answer 3. Kathleen and Noel Hayes' home (Michael and Catherine Hogan weavers. John Aherne followed by Johnny Dore both creamery managers, Katy Frawley Murphy O'Gorman nurse)
Answer 4. Michael O'Leary, Senior.
Answer 5. Three. (The Lios Sruthán, The Mill Stream, The Ballycar/Lisduff river.)
Answer 6. The Lios Sruthán
Answer 7. The Hall.
Answer 8. Underneath the first window west of the Dispensary door.
Answer 9. The Hall 30th March 1961
Answer 10. Family of Mary and Gerry Burke
Answer 11. The Ball Alley 1931.
Answer 12. The Dispensary 1835
Answer 13. 1955
Answer 14. Four
Answer 15. Rear of Newmarket House, The Fair Green near road, Rear of Eugene Crimmins' Home.
Answer 16. A horse - drawn one.
Answer 17. Goodwood Estate
Answer 18. 1931(As there were still grassy patches it was tarred fully around 1970 as per local knowledge. BOTH ANSWERS ACCEPTABLE)
Answer 19. (b)
Answer 20. 1700's
Answer 21. South west of Newmarket House.
Answer 22. Part of the front wall of Ainey and Michael O'Leary's house
Answer 23. Christy Ryan (1951 date of County Council demolition of Weavers Road houses)
Answer 24. Georgina Frost / Clerk of the Petty Sessions.
Answer 25. Leminagh Cemetery.

Congratulations to Winners Molly O'Donnell; Wayne Fitzgerald; Marian Fogarty; Ida Lynch; Breda Reynolds; Brendan and Joan Reynolds.



The Irish Red Cross Clare will hold their annual church gate Collection in Newmarket, Carrigerry & Well Churches on Saturday 6th and Sunday 7th April 2024. All funds raised is for our Clare Community Services, Supporting the People of Co. Clare

seniorline

National Confidential Listening Service for Older People

Would like someone to talk to?

SeniorLine is Ireland's national telephone service for older people open every day of the year 10am-10pm, Freephone 1800 80 45 91. Callers may feel isolated, alone, wish to discuss a problem in confidence, or for company during their day. SeniorLine's older volunteers are trained to listen, to support, to discuss options and to refer caller to other helpful services if necessary. So don't be alone if sharing a problem would help. Phone SeniorLine 1800 80 45 91, open every day of the year 10am-10pm



Collaborative conversations to break down the stigma of suicide and create positive change

Suicide Prevention Tuesday 16th April from 8pm to 10pm The Inn at Dromoland Featuring an educational talk by Registered BACP Counsellor and Family Therapy Practitioner Sheila McMahon, and support from: Bishop Fintan Monaghan, Dr. Mary Honan, Local election candidate Pat Barry, The Haven Hub and West Clare Mental Health Association Collaborative

conversations to break down the stigma of suicide and create positive change. Together we make a difference. This is a fundraising event for Mental health support services in Co. Clare. €15 Please pay cash at the door. For more information email sheilamcmahon1@hotmail.com

Priests' Easter Collection

The Priests' Easter Collection will be taken up at all Easter Masses. We thank you for your great support.



Prayers for Priests Prayer Group

Meetings Monday 8th April at 19.30 in Our Lady of the Wells Church. Contact Mary by text only please on 087 3143289



Con Woods will give a talk on county and club hurler John Fox in the Hall Newmarket-on-Fergus at 8,00 p.m. on 8th April. All are welcome.

Ennis Blood Donation Clinic West County Hotel



Thursday 4th April 2024
4.50pm – 8.10 pm
Phone 1800 222 111 for appointment.
New Donors welcome



Our Lady of Fatima

Fatima Hour
Saturday 6th April from 14.00 to 15.00

in the Day Chapel of Our Lady of the Rosary Church, Newmarket. You are welcome to come and join even if only for one decade.



Weekly Offering

A sincere thanks to all who contribute so generously to last weekend church collection. The amount donated €2047.05



Daylight Saving Time
Clocks will spring forward by one hour this Sunday March 31st at 1am. This means clocks will be set one hour ahead, losing an hour sleep for an extra hour of evening sunlight.

The Parish Office



The Parish Office will be closed on Monday 1st April for the bank holiday. It will also be closed for the week Mon 8th to Fri 12th April.