

NEWMARKET ON FERGUS PARISH

PARÓISTE CORA CHAITLÍN

TRADAREE PASTORAL AREA

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Newmarket

Sun	26th	10.30	Tim Murphy, Goodwood, Months Mind Marie Murphy, 1st anniversary and her husband Kevin. Emma Mc Cormack Murphy, Glenaifreann Brian and Martin Connaughton, Woodland Heights
Tue	28th	09.30	Weekday Mass
Wed	29th	09.30	Weekday Mass
Thur	30th	09.30	Weekday Mass
Fri	31st	09.30	Weekday Mass
Sat	1st	10.30	Feast of All Saints.
		18.00	Tony Canty, Knocksaggart. 1st anniversary Frank McNamara, Clenagh. 1st anniversary Frank and Kathleen McNamara, Knocksaggart Teresa Keane, Ballygireen Brendan Halpin, Ralahine Michael Cullinan, Avondale

Wells

Sat	25th	18.00	Weekend Mass
Sun	2nd	10.30	Sunday Mass

Carrigerry

Sun	26th	09.00	Sunday Mass
Sun	2nd	09.00	Sunday Mass

Please note the change of Mass times in Newmarket and the Wells from Nov 1st..

Recent Deaths



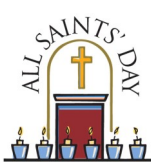
Your kind prayers are asked for the repose of the souls of

Nuala Cantillon, Shannon and formerly of Knocksaggart
Tom McGahon, Clonmoney West

May their souls and the souls of the faithfully departed rest in peace.

The Feast of All Saints is

celebrated on Saturday, 1 November. It is a holy day of obligation. This feast celebrates all who lived the Christian life and who now dwell with the Lord in eternal happiness and peace. The example of their holiness encourages us in our Christian lives. Mass for the feast will be celebrated in the Church of Our Lady of the Rosary, Newmarket-on-Fergus at 10.30am on Saturday morning.



Fatima Hour

The Rosary will be recited continually from 13.30 to 14.30 on Saturday 1st November in Our Lady of the Rosary Church. .

Many thanks to all who contribute so generously each weekend to church collections. Last weekend the basket collection amounted to €1729.68

Pastoral Council:

Thank you to those who returned nomination forms, nominating people whom may be willing to serve on the pastoral council. This Sunday is the closing date to submit nominations if anyone still wishes to submit a form.

Parish Walk: November 8th. **"The one that Went: The one that Stayed"**
Parish Walk traces the paths of two siblings from the Ballinacragga area up to 1877. Depart Fair Green church carpark at 2.00 pm All welcome. Social get together after walk.

November—A Month of Remembrance .

In November we remember both our faithful departed and those who mourn the loss of a loved one. John O'Donohue in one of his poems wrote:

***Let us not look for you only in memory, where we would grow lonely without you.
You would want us to find you in presence, beside us when beauty brightens
When kindness glows and music echoes eternal tones.***

We hope that the following ceremonies during the Month of November will help cast some ray of hope into the heart of those who grieve so that their faith may grow in Jesus' promise of life eternal.

November - Month of the Holy Souls:

Saturday, 1 November the Priests Cemetery will be blessed after the 10.30am Mass

Sunday, 2 November is the feast of All Souls, when we remember our beloved dead. On Sunday we will have a moment of prayer in our cemeteries in the Tradaree Pastoral Area at the following times:

- Bunratty cemetery - 11.30
- Fenloe cemetery - 12.15
- Lemenagh cemetery - 13.00
- Kilnasoolagh cemetery - 13.00
- Ballysheen - 13.30
- Illaunmanagh - 14.00
- Kilmurry - 14.15



HOLY SOULS

The annual November Masses for the Holy Souls will be celebrated during the month. You are welcome to use the Holy Souls envelopes in your box to submit names of deceased loved ones for inclusion.

Mass of Remembrance. Our annual Mass of Remembrance for all who died and were buried in the Parish this year will take place on Tuesday 18th of November at 19.30 in Our Lady of the Rosary Church, Newmarket on Fergus.

Ní imithe uainn atá siad, ach imithe romhainn. They are not gone from us, but gone before us.

As we come to the turning of the year, with the clocks turned back, the long nights and the short days we say goodbye to the summer that has past, remembering the trees full of leaves, the flowers in full bloom, the green fields, all reminding us of endings. We are drawn to remember our lives, the journey travelled and those who were a part of that journey. It is a time of remembering and we remember departed loved ones. We are aware of their unique and precious place in our lives and we know that we are blessed in them. We are thankful for all they were to us. We are aware that they are a part of us. Our family members remain forever a part of us. We share their DNA, their values are our values, we are made of the same stuff. Let us always be grateful to our past generations. Our history reminds us that the dead have always been remembered. The truth of a new homeland has forever existed in the minds of people and we as Catholics have the truth ever close to us through Jesus Christ, who rose from the dead and promised loved eternal life to all who follow him. The one gift that we can give to our departed loved ones is prayer. We converse with God through prayer and we ask our loving God to care forever for our departed loved ones and we pray,

Prayer by Cardinal Newman:

May He support us all the day long, 'til the shades lengthen and the evening comes, and the busy world is hushed, and the fever of life is over, and our work is done. Then in His mercy, may He give us a safe lodging, a holy rest, and peace at last, Amen

Please note the change of mass times in the churches of Our Lady of the Rosary, Newmarket & Our Lady of the Wells, Clonmoney starting November 1st. The 6pm Saturday evening mass and 10.30am Sunday morning mass will swap between Newmarket & the Wells Churches.

Film Screening in N-on-F library : week beginning Monday November 3rd. This month we are showing the Colour Purple. The film is based on Alice Walker's internationally acclaimed best-seller. The film is a powerful story of love and resilience. 'The Colour Purple' follows one woman's decades – long journey toward independence and self-discovery.

Aran knit sale, Kilmurry Hall, Sixmilebridge, Sat. Nov 1st from 11.00 to 15.00. Great value - throws/blankets, caps, scarves, gloves, cushions, jumpers. Proceeds to local charities. For further information contact

Marching Drum Corp for Newmarket -on-Fergus Brass Band
You might think it's too soon to talk about Christmas, so talking about St Patrick's Day 2026 is just a bit crazy. However, it's never too early to start. Franky, originally from Mauritius, now living the N-on-F village has some military band drumming experience. He will help us develop our marching drum corp. We'll start in the kitchen at the Community Centre Newmarket-on-Fergus (V95 RH93) at 8pm to 8.45pm next Tuesday Oct 28th. We'll be there every Tuesday until March 2026. Just turn up we'll be ready for St Patrick's Day.