

Parish of Newmarket on Fergus - Carrigerry - The Wells

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Pentecost Sunday

24th May 2015

Sacristans

Bridget O' Halloran : Newmarket
Mary Barron: The Wells
Bernadette Glynn: Carrigerry

Newmarket

Sat 23rd 7.30pm Declan Sheedy, 127 Kilnasoolagh Park. Month's Mind
Paddy Reynolds, Mooghaun
Sun 24th 11.00am The Coffey and McNamaras of Carrigoran and Minnesota
Mon 25th 10.00am Daily Mass
Tue 26th 10.00am Daily Mass
Wed 27th 10.00am Daily Mass
7.00pm Margaret Kennelly and deceased family members
Patrick and Josephine O'Gorman
Thur 28th 10.00am Daily Mass
8.00pm Special Mass for Exam Students
Fri 29th 10.00am Daily Mass
7.00pm Vincent and Tina O'Flanagan, Ennis Road
Sat 30th 7.30pm Mike Donnelly, Knocknagun
Anthony Hegarty, Crowhill
John Moynihan, Ballycar
Sun 31st 11.00am John Clancy, Ennis Road
Fergus Marren, Ennis Road

Wells

Sat 23rd 6.30pm Weekend Mass
Sun 24th 10.00am Jimmy and Madge Melody, Clonmoney
Sat 30th 6.30pm Kathleen Hannon, Clonmoney
Sun 31st 10.00am Patrick and Nora Jones, Hill Road

Carrigerry

Sun 24th 9.00am Sunday Mass
Sun 31st 9.00am Joe Donlon, Ballycalla



Last week's Church
Collection
€1442.05
Thank You



Congratulations to the girls and boys of Stonehall School who received their First Holy Communion this weekend.

Split the Pot

Place your €2 in an envelope with your name and phone number. Envelopes available in all local shops. Draw every Tuesday. Half the pot to the winner and half to the school in aid of Scoil na Maighdine Mhuire

Senior Citizens Annual Pilgrimage to Knock: 28th May —

This year's pilgrimage to Knock will take place on Thursday 28th May. The Bus will depart the

Parish Walk: Sports People and Places

Sunday 31st May. Mooghaun Area.
Dept. Fair Green @ 3pm

Mass in Bunratty Cemetery.

The Pastoral Council have planned a special Mass for Bunratty cemetery on this Wednesday 27th May at 8.00pm. It provides an opportunity for us to come together to remember and give thanks for the generations of our Christian past who helped shape this community and now rest peacefully in this hallowed place. All are welcome to attend.

ACCORD COUNSELLING Services: Are you experiencing difficulties in your Marriage / Relationship? Accord Counsellors offer couples and individuals a safe, professional, inexpensive counselling service. To book an appointment with a Counsellor, contact ACCORD ENNIS in complete confidence. Tel: (065) 6824297.

Mass for Exam students

A special Mass has been arranged by the Pastoral Council for all students who are preparing to start the State examinations shortly. The Mass will be celebrated on this Thursday evening in Newmarket church at 8.00pm. This is always a difficult time for our young people so we will keep them in our thoughts and prayers over the coming weeks. A warm welcome is extended to all.

**Fáilte-Bienvenue-Willkommen-Benvenuto-Bienvenido-Witajcie-Bemvindo-
Welkom-Velkomin-Vitejte-Karibu-Croeso-Valkommen-Tervetuloa-Welcome**

Newmarket Celtic Draw: Congratulations to

April Winners : €500.00 - Lourda Walsh
€100.00 each - Anthony McCarthy / Davy Lennane / Rhene Cronin /
Joe Carrig / Colm Considine

May Winners : €500.00— Margaret Enright
€100 each - Christy Noonan / Geraldine Cullinan / Hazel McCoy /
Eoin Kelly/ Christina Ryan

Thank you all for your continued support

GAA NEWS: Co Board Draw: C.L.G Cora Chaitlín are now selling tickets for the June Co Board Draw. Prizes included a Mediterranean Cruise, New Cars plus much more. Each ticket costs €60 with the club retaining €30. All support for this venture is greatly appreciated. Tickets available from Chairman Bob Enright (087 221 2528).

Munster Championship: C.L.G. Cora Chaitlín would like to wish the Clare Senior Hurlers the very best of luck in the Munster Championship quarter-final vs Limerick this Sunday. A special mention for our own Colin Ryan and the Blues in the backroom team. Niamh Enright represents the club in the Primary Game, enjoy the experience Niamh!

Lough Derg is a place of welcome where no one is judged and everyone is equal. You can begin your three Day Pilgrimage on any day from 29th May until 13th August.

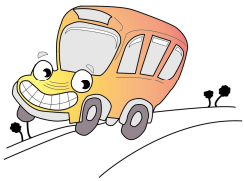
No need to book. Daily boats to the Island from 10.30am until 3:00pm 7 days a week until 13th August. Regular pilgrimages throughout the season country wide. Contact Maureen or Lorraine in Lough Derg direct on 071 9861518 email: info@loughderg.org

ICA & Friends –Holiday to Kilkenny

7th-10th September : €275 pps.

Deposit €35 by June 1st.

Holiday includes -Luxury Touring Coach, 3 nights B&B + Evening Dinner in 4* New Park Hotel—
Highlight- Kilkenny Castle, Smithwicks Experience, Nicholas Mosse Pottery, Arboretum, Leighlinbridge, Dove Hill Retail Ctr, Guided Medieval Walking Tour, Moth to a flame candlemaker, shopping in Kilkenny City, Hotel entertainment, IN House bingo. Admission into all attractions included.



Contact Marian 0861516739 / Bridie 086 8901313 / Maura 086 8119051 or Mary on 087 1332621.

Pick up points-Ennis 9.30am(Tracey's West County) Newmarket on Fergus 10am (church carpark) and Bunratty at 10.15am

Irish Kidney Association: The **Clare Branch** of the Irish Kidney Association annual Mass of Remembrance & Thanksgiving will be celebrated in the Cathedral in Ennis on this Sunday @ 12 noon. Mass is in honour of those whose organs were donated thus giving the Gift of New Life to so many.

The Alzheimer Society Clare Branch: The Alzheimer Society's Dementia Specific Day Care Centre in Ennis, currently has client vacancies. Accepts clients from all over Co Clare. Meaningful activity programme tailored towards clients, interests, experiences and personalities. Bus service available where possible. Meals provided. Cost 7 Euro per day. Queries in relation to Daycare Services contact Linda Murphy 0879152151. Queries in relation to Home Care Services contact Clare Office 065 6868621



Toddler and Baby Group
Newmarket on Fergus is a place for mothers, fathers and carers to bring their kids for some play time while enjoying a chat and company over a cuppa & a biscuit.

Baby and toddler mornings are held from 10 am - 12 noon every Tuesday during the school year upstairs in the Obar office. Everyone is welcome.

Fr. Oliver O'Doherty

1939-2015

On Monday last, Fr. Oliver O'Doherty was laid to rest in the grounds of the Parish Church in Templederry. It was at the same church in June of 1964 that Oliver celebrated his first Mass. He served the people of the Diocese of Killaloe for 51 years, giving 28 years to teaching on the staff of St. Flannan's College.

Fr. Oliver O'Doherty or Ollie as we always affectionately called him: Priest; Athair Ollie, Gaeilgeoir, Muinteor inspioráideach; teacher; mischievous prankster. Teacher is the most appropriate description. Ollie was truly a teacher, not just a much loved classroom teacher but a man who taught so much to those of us who knew him and loved him. He taught us when to be serious and when to have fun, how to love and to be loved, how to enjoy health and how to cope with illness. Above all he taught us how to be fully human and fully Christian.

Suaimhneas síoraí tabhair dó a Thiarna,
agus go lonraí solas suthain air.

May is Safeguarding Month in the Diocese of Killaloe

Safeguarding within the Diocese is ever developing and after a lot of hard work our update safeguarding policy, procedures and guidelines have been completed. To go with this we have our own webpage linked to the Diocesan site. So take a look. If you have any suggestions please let us know. www.killaloe-diocese.ie

Spina Bifida and Hydrocephalus Association have secured a permit for a church gate collection in our parish on Sat 30th & Sun 31st May.

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES:

The Diocese has been allocated extra capacity to bring pilgrims who are sick or need assistance to Lourdes in the Diocesan pilgrimage on 26th June to 1st July. This is an ideal opportunity for people who have never had the opportunity where all your medical and caring needs will be looked after while in Lourdes. A special price of €575 is available for this section and medical form needs to be completed. Details can be got from Fr Tom Ryan Shannon Pilgrimage Director for the Diocese on (061) 364133