

NEWMARKET ON FERGUS PARISH

PARÓISTE CORA CHAITLÍN

Parish Office open on Mon, Tue, Wed & Thurs 10.00 — 14.30 : Tel: 061 - 368127
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Newmarket

Sat	20th	18.00	Bridie Lynch, Moohane. Month's Mind Mary and Gerry Fahy, Ballycar Road Sean Fennell, Ennis Rd and deceased members of his family John Paul and Emma O'Halloran, Ballycar Road
Sun	21st	11.00	Seán Woods, Muckanagh. Month's Mind Joe Flannery, Crussa
Mon	22nd	10.00	James Ginnane, Carhue
Tue	23rd	10.00	Molly, Peter and Gerard Doyle, The Green
Wed	24th	10.00	Special Intention
Thur	25th	10.00	Daily Mass
Sat	27th	18.00	Jimmy Freeman, Granahan Beg. 1st anniversary John Liddy, Kilnasoolagh Park Brendan and Mary Collins, Rathfoland
Sun	28th	11.00	Tom Harrington, Ballycar Road Richard Flynn, Urlan

Wells

Sun	21st	10.00	Jim Begley, Ballycasey. Month's Mind John Emery, Hill Road. Month's Mind
Sun	28th	10.00	Sunday Mass

Carrigerry

Sun	21st	09.00	John Collins, Goodwood. 6th anniversary
Sun	28th	09.00	Sunday Mass

Recent Deaths:

Your kind prayers are asked for the happy repose of the soul of

Gerard Lee, husband of Frances Lee, Radharc an Oir

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



A sincere thanks to all who contribute so generously to last weekend church collection. The amount donated €1409.18



There is change in days that the Parish Office is open

Mon 10.00—14.30
 Tue 10.00—14.30
 Wed 10.00—14.30
 Thur 10.00—14.30

Closed on Friday

Please submit items for the Newsletter by Wednesday each week



Parish Walk and Video

Sheila McGrath planned and led a tour through the site of the Old Church and the Out Offices of Newmarket House on Saturday July 13th. A video by Mary Grogan and Conor Madden followed in the Tradaree and can be viewed on [Emigration, Dromoland and JFK \(youtube.com\)](#). About 30 people attended on the day. Thank You to everyone who facilitated the walk & video.

Fr. Michael's final weekend with us will be the 27th/28th July. All in our community are disappointed to lose Fr. Michael and we wish him well in his new appointment. As his stay with us comes to an end we wish to express our heartfelt thanks to him for the tremendous energy and initiative he has shown over the last three years. We particularly acknowledge his work in our schools and the relationship he developed with all in our parish, particularly the elderly of our community. We are conscious and appreciative of the great support he provided to the sick and bereaved in our parish. We very much regret that he is not getting an opportunity to develop that engagement, notwithstanding we sincerely thank him for the love and commitment that he brought to all his work. We very much realise that our loss will be a gain to his new parishioners and the diocese. As you go Fr. Michael we wish you well and assure you of our continued prayers and affection.



Fr. Michael will celebrate all the Masses on the weekend of July 27th/28th, it will be an opportunity for us to gather in prayer to thank God for what has been and to ask God's blessing on Fr. Michael and the parish community during this time of transition and change.

Guímid gach rath ar Micheál, togha sláinte, saol fada agus beannacht Dé i gcónaí.

Pastoral Council Chairperson

Marie Costello

Parish Finance Council Chairperson

Martin Lynch



National Learning Network

Think *Possible*

You are invited to attend a webinar on Wednesday 24th July at 2pm on the topic of overcoming school and college avoidance.

In the wake of COVID-19, National Learning Network (NLN) has observed a significant rise in students unable to return to school or college due to anxiety and depression. As a specialist education provider, NLN continues to receive numerous referrals for students struggling with complex mental health issues, leading to increased dropout rates.

This webinar is open to everyone and addresses the alarming trend of school and college avoidance, especially among students facing mental health challenges.

The focus will be on how NLN provides a supportive alternative to traditional education, prioritising the development of essential life skills, comprehensive mental health support, and enhanced employability.

Join our expert speakers to discover how NLN can be an alternative pathway to success. Whether you are a parent, educator, mental health professional, or a student seeking guidance, this webinar will provide valuable insights and practical solutions.

You can register for our webinar [here](#) or contact info@nlm.ie for further information. If you can't make it to the live webinar you can still register and we will send you the recording after the session

Volunteer Ministries in the Killaloe Diocese

The Diocese of Killaloe will be launching its second *Volunteer Ministry Training Programme* this autumn. In the coming weeks people already involved in these ministries will speak at Masses across the diocese. The hope is that their testimonies will help raise awareness to the variety of ministries which people can volunteer for in their parish and pastoral area. Bishop Fintan will officially launch this ministry training later this autumn. For now all we ask is that you contemplate sharing their gifts and talents for the good of the faith community that we call the Diocese of Killaloe. For more information visit our website at: <https://www.killaloediocese.ie/our-diocese/lay-ministries/>

Considering a Postgraduate study programme?

Check out the options in Theology, Philosophy, Youth Ministry, Church Music and more at St Patrick's Pontifical University, Maynooth, sppu.ie/courses. Applications close 2nd August.

Applications close soon - don't miss out

Check sppu.ie/courses.