

NEWMARKET ON FERGUS PARISH

PARÓISTE CORA CHAITLÍN

TRADAREE PASTORAL AREA

Parish Office opens on Mon, Tue, Wed & Thur 10.00 — 14.30 : Tel: 061 - 368127
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Fr Albert McDonnell 085 7811823

Newmarket

Sun	2nd	10.30	Eamonn Wade, Bunratty Lower Madeline Hastings, Old Road, Ballycar
Mon	3rd	19.00	Feast of St Blaise
Tue	4th	09.30	Daily Mass
Wed	5th	09.30	Daily Mass
Thur	6th	09.30	Daily Mass
Fri	7th	09.30	Daily Mass
Sun	9th	10.30	Leonard Kilmartin, Kilnsoolagh Park. Month's Mind Daniel O'Leary, Boheraroon, 4th anniversary and deceased family members. Michael Shanagher, Kilnasoolagh Park

Wells

Sat	1st	18.00	Bridget and Tom Nagle, Low Road
Sat	8th	18.00	John Meehan, Muckanagh Mike Heffernan

Carrigerry

Sun	2nd	09.00	Sunday Mass
Sun	9th	09.00	Sunday Mass



Recent Deaths:

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

Denis Foley, Carrigoran.
Edwin Bailey, Urlanmore.

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

Feast of St Blaise: Monday, 3 February is the feast of St Blaise. The blessing of throats will take place after 7pm Mass that evening in Newmarket-on-Fergus. Using two crossed, blessed, unlit candles the minister touches the throat of each person using the following prayer of blessing. Through the intercession of St Blaise, Bishop and Martyr, may the Lord preserve you from ailments of the throat and every other illness. In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

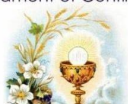


A sincere thanks to all who contribute so generously to last weekend church collection. The amount donated €1557.25



First Reconciliation: The children in Ballycar school preparing to receive Holy Communion for the first time will celebrate the sacrament of reconciliation in The Wells Church on Thursday, 6 February. We hold the children, their parents, families and teachers in our prayer as they look forward to this important moment in their lives.


First Holy Communion
&
Sacrament of Confirmation



Enrolment for First Holy Communion and Confirmation: The children in Clonmoney school preparing for First Holy Communion and for the sacrament of Confirmation in will be enrolled during 6pm Mass in The Wells Church on Saturday, 8 February.

Enrolment for First Holy Communion: The children in Newmarket-on-Fergus school preparing for First Holy Communion will be enrolled during 10.30am Mass on Sunday, 9 February in the Church of Our Lady of the Rosary.



DONATE

Online Donations: We wish to thank the members of our parish for your unflinching generosity towards our parish and diocese. We are especially grateful to people who use our parish collection envelopes which allows us to benefit from the Government tax refund scheme for charities. While cash is always welcome, you may wish to donate to the parish by means of a standing order. Our IBAN is IE80 BOFI 9042 1030 1661 08. You may also use the donate button on our parish website www.newmarketonfergusparish.ie

Pastoral Council: There will be a meeting of the parish pastoral council at 8pm on Tuesday, 4 February. If any member of the parish would like to have any matter discussed they are welcome to contact any member of the council.



Chairperson : Marie Costello
Members: Fr Albert, Barbara Shaloo, Kevin O'Connor, Flan Sheedy, Roisín Murphy & Martin Moroney



Scoil na Maighdine Mhuire will be holding an Open Evening on February 25th 2025 @ 7pm. This evening is for all parents of children due to begin school in September 2025. The evening is aimed at giving you the

opportunity to see the school, meet staff and ask any questions you may have. Enrolment forms will also be available.

email: office@smmnof.com

Coláiste Muire 50th Reunion – Save the Date

If you were a student of Coláiste Muire, Ennis from the years 1970 to 1975 you are invited to our 50th Reunion at Old Ground Hotel on Saturday 11th October. More info from Hilary Campbell 0877834139; Margaret Neylon 0877761204; Cora Hahessy 087 987 3702

DIVINE MERCY CONFERENCE ,



RDS Dublin, Day return (from Clarecastle) bus Saturday 22nd February. Exact times and locations closer to the date. Fantastic attendees including His Excellency Archbishop Farrell, Fr. Pat Collins, Fr. Jim Blount and

many more, great day of spiritual inspiration and refreshment.

€70 for bus and entry ticket. Contacts please via WhatsApp Karen 087-4160385 or Séamus 087-2752578 for enquiries and bookings. €40 deposit via revolut, paypal or post, secures bus, [Divine Mercy Conference](#)

Ballycar National School are now accepting enrolments for September 2025 in mainstream classes. Please phone the school on 061-368852 or email ballycars@gmail.com for all enrolment forms and admissions policy. Parents who wish to enrol their child in a mainstream class from another school should also contact the school now as July and August are very late to ensure all forms are completed.



The SVP Christmas Appeal.



Because of your wonderful response we were able to help many individuals and families. We deeply appreciate your support to SVP and your compassion and practical assistance for those in our community who need our help. THANK YOU.

First Friday Calls

Fr Albert will visit the sick and housebound on Friday 7th February. Many like to receive the sacrament of the sick and are strengthened and affirmed. Parishioners that were receiving calls from Fr Michael will continue to have visits from Fr Albert.

If you have not been included before and would like to receive the sacrament of the sick or know someone who would, please contact Fr Albert 085 7811823 or the parish office.

What Is the Sacrament of the Sick

The Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick is exactly what it says. It is a prayerful celebration for someone or for a group of people who are ill and are blessed by the priest with Holy Oil. It is not a sign that someone is dying as it was perceived in olden times. It is not a magical ritual; the person doesn't automatically get better immediately after an anointing. God's healing and loving presence are called upon that the sick person might be raised up and restored to health.