

NEWMARKET ON FERGUS PARISH

PARÓISTE CORA CHAITLÍN TRADAREE PASTORAL AREA

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Newmarket

Sun	12th	10.30	Joe and Mary McNamara, Ballycar Rd John Gleeson, Ralahine Alice Gleeson, Ballycar
Mon	13th	09.30	Daily Mass
Fri	17th	09.30	Daily Mass
Sun	19th	10.30	Betty Murphy, Kilnasoolagh Park, Months Mind Mary Shanagher, Kilnasoolagh Park, Month's Mind Paddy, Anna-Mary and Noel Dillion, Main Street Pauline Taylor, Ralahine Seamus Collins, Granaghan More Maureen Meehan, Rathlahine Farm Brenda Cullinan, Kilnasoolagh Park. 10th anniversary

Wells

Sat	11th	18.00	Patrick Meehan, Ralahine. 3rd anniversary
Sat	18th	18.00	Kevin O'Callaghan, Bunratty Villa Nora, Joe and Niall McInerney, Hurlers Cross Paddy Coughlin, Ballycar Road Kathleen McInerney, Clonmoney

Carrigerry

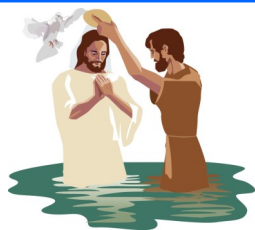
Sun	12th	09.00	Mick and Mary Casey, Stonehall and their son in law Brendan Smith
Sun	19th	09.00	Sunday Mass

Recent Deaths:



Your kind prayers are asked for the happy repose of the souls of
Leonard Kilmartin, Kilnasoolagh Park
Fr Sean Murphy, P.E. Miltown Malbay Parish Criocho Callan Pastoral Area

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



The feast of the Baptism of the Lord is celebrated today, Sunday, 12 January. It is the last major feast of the Christmas Season. It marks a transition moment in the life of Jesus. He is leaving behind the hidden years and entering the public arena for the first time. Hence the liturgy shifts our focus from the baby in the manger to the adult Jesus about to embark on his mission in the service of God's reign.

Mass Offered: Mass has been offered for Sr Athanasius Melican, O.P. Cape Town and formerly of Carnakella whose 4th anniversary occurs at this time.



A sincere thanks to all who contribute so generously to last weekend church collection.
The amount donated €1452.78

Changes to masses for the weeks starting 13th January and 19th January.



Please note that there will be mass on Monday 13th and Friday 17th of this week coming. There will be no mass on Tue 14th, Wed 15th & Thur 16th. However if there is a funeral one of the priests of the Tradaree Pastoral area will be present.

Also the Killaloe Clergy Retreat in Knock takes place from Sunday evening 19th to Thursday evening the 23rd this year. There will be mass on Friday morning the 24th only during that week.

Weekday masses will return to the normal schedule from the week 27th January.

Prayers for Priests Prayer Group



Meetings 2nd Monday of the Months in Our Lady of the Wells Church. The January meeting will take place on this Monday 13th at 19.30

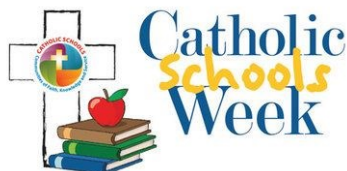
Mind Myself Children's Workshop: Breathe, Move, Connect, Be:

Come and join us for an afternoon of mindfulness, yoga, breath work and creative play. The Pilates Studio, Shannon Town Shopping Centre, Saturday, 18th January: 2.30pm – 3.45pm 5 – 7 year olds; 8 – 12 year olds 4.00pm – 5.15pm; Teenagers: 5.30pm – 6.45pm, €15 per child; €25 for 2 siblings. Bookings & Enquiries: mindmyselfclare@gmail.com

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.



Catholic Schools Week 2025 will be celebrated from Sunday, 19 January, to Saturday, 25 January, with the theme of Catholic Schools: Alive in Christ. We pray for and support our local Catholic schools so that, together with us, the parish community, they will be alive with the joy and hope that is Christ.



Baptisms in our Parish

Baptisms take place on Saturdays and Sundays in the parish of Newmarket on Fergus, Carrigerry and the Wells.

Saturdays are at 15.00.

Sundays are at 11.30 in Newmarket

Church and 12 noon in both Carrigerry and the Wells.

Baptisms can be booked by calling the Parish Office

The Official Jubilee Prayer

Father in heaven,
may the faith you have gifted us in
your son Jesus Christ, our brother,
and the flame of charity kindled in
our hearts by the Holy Spirit,
reawaken in us, the blessed hope
for the coming of your Kingdom.
May your grace transform us
into diligent cultivators
of the evangelical seeds that
make humanity and the cosmos rise
unto the confident expectation of
the new heavens and the new earth,
when with the powers of evil overcome,
your glory shall be manifested eternally.
May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us,
Pilgrims of Hope, the yearning for heavenly
treasures and pour over all the earth the joy
and peace of our Redeemer.
To you God blessed in eternity,
be praise and glory for ever and ever.
Amen.