



# NEWSLETTER

Fifteenth SUNDAY in Ordinary time

16<sup>th</sup> July 2017

YEAR A



## PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

**The Parish of Bunclody/Kilmyshall shall be a Community:**

- Of renewed faith and commitment to Christ expressed in prayer and genuine Eucharistic worship where all participate fully.
- With deep respect for and interest in each and every person.
- Flourishing in love, care, support, co-operation, education and communication, building to the unity of the Body of Christ.
- Reaching out the hand of welcome to all who do not belong to our faith and worshipping community.



**MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK**  
Sat. 15<sup>th</sup> July - Sun. 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2017



### **MOST HOLY TRINITY**

**Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> July 7:00pm**

Special Intention.

**Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> July 12 Noon**

Tommy Larrissey, Month's Mind.  
Katie Dagg, Richie Butler & Eamon Hayes.  
Special Intention.

**Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> July 9:00am**

Mary Connors, Hospital Hill, 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary

**Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 11:00am**

Frank Lynch.

**Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 12 Noon**

Mary Doyle, High House, Ballypreacus.

### **ST. MARY MAGDALENE, KILMYSHALL**

**Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> July 10:30am**

Pat, Maureen & P.J. Kenny, Anniversary.  
Pauline Kearns, Gurteen and deceased members of the Kearns family, Cromogue.

### **PARISH PATRON**

**Friday 28<sup>th</sup> July 2017**

Blessing of graves in Old Cemetery at 7:00pm.

Calvary Cemetery: Holy Mass in Calvary Cemetery at 8:00pm

### **SYMPATHY**

***We offer our deepest sympathy and prayers to the family and friends of:***

*Thomas Sheehan New Ross.*

*Fr. Fintan Morris, Kiltealy & Tinhealy*

***May They Rest in Peace.***

### **Baptism**

***Through the life - giving waters of Baptism we welcome into our community:***

*Logan Fleming Byrne*



**Trócaire Emergency Appeal Church Gate Collection for the people in East Africa struggling to survive the devastating hunger crisis, will take place the weekend of Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> & Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> July.**

### **'The Monday Club'**

The Monday Club St. Mary's Centre, Ryland Road, Bunclody, Will be closed for July & August. The Club will re-open on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> September.

## THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Can you picture it? I love the image of Jesus sitting in a boat, addressing the crowds on the beach. He certainly knew how to hold their attention. And he knew they would understand him more clearly if he used the language of stories. Those listening would have been familiar with the cycle of planting seeds and waiting for them to produce a crop. One of the purposes of parables is to challenge the hearers to reflect and respond with faith. So this parable of the sower requires Jesus' audience to decide what kind of soil they are. There is a message of judgement for those who are hardened like the rocky soil, and a message of hope for those who are receptive like the rich soil.

The figure of the sower is important too. The sower does not confine the seeds to soil that is fertile and ready for growth. Rather, the seeds are scattered everywhere - on the path, patches of rock, and among thorns, Jesus does not discriminate. His love is given out for all. He knows that some of it may be rejected, or accepted only on a superficial level, but he offers it anyway. That offer of love is never withdrawn. It might take a while to bear fruit, but it is always there.

*'Always there are doors that are not closed. Look for the doors that are at least a little bit open, enter and talk about common things and go on, Step by step.'*

POPE FRANCIS

Triona Doherty

**The Irish Blood Transfusion Service** will visit the Millrace Hotel on Wednesday next the 19<sup>th</sup> July from 5:00p.m. to 8:30p.m. We appeal to all healthy adults to make a special effort to attend. Supplies get low at this time of the year due to holidays etc. So please give up one hour to help someone in need.

**Camino de Santiago Pilgrimage Calzadilla de los Hermanillos to Ponferrada**  
**16<sup>th</sup> - 23<sup>rd</sup> August 2017**

€517.00 inc. Flights, Private Bus Transfers in Spain, Accommodation and Insurance. Director: Fr. Roger O'Neill (New Ross). Chaplain: Fr. James Cullen (Wexford)

**3 places have become available!**

Booking: O'Leary Travel Ltd. 053 9233178

### **Envelope Collection**

**Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> July: €683.90**

*Thank You for your Generosity*



- \* **Alcoholics Anonymous:** Local Meetings are held on Tuesdays & Saturdays at 8:30 pm in Brennan's Market Sq.
- \* **Whist:** Every Monday Night in Day Care Centre.
- \* **St Vincent de Paul :** Local Confidential helpline 087 3696883, please call if you need help. **S.V.P. request Box is now located at back of shop.** There is a new newspaper recycling bin beside Super Value in aid of S.V.P.

- ♦ **Choir:** Choir Practice is in Bunclody every Tuesday at 7:30pm. Rosary recited for the sick of the parish at 7:15 pm. **New members most welcome.**
- ♦ **Church Gate Collection :** this weekend in Aid of Gorta Self Help Africa. Your support is gratefully appreciated.
- ♦ **Bunclody & District Home Care Cancer Church Gate Collection:** will take place on the weekend of 22<sup>nd</sup>/23<sup>rd</sup> July. Your support is greatly appreciated.

### Thank You

Thank you to Mary Crosbie for her wonderful singing at our recent Parish Family Mass. Mary Crosbie Singer, Musician available for Funerals, Weddings, Anniversary Masses, Music for drinks receptions and all occasions. Phone Mary on 086 3005423.

**Mount Leinster Community Employment Project**  
Vacancies: Secretary Parish Office, Day Care Assistant and Caretaker/ General Operatives Please see attached flyer for more details.

### Thank You

The friends of Gorey District Hospital would like to thank all those who recently contributed to their Church Gate Collection. The total sum that was collected is €371.62. Thank you again for your generosity

### Streams of Bunclody Festival

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July: 8pm ArtBank: Opening of Mid Summer exhibition .  
9pm Launch of Streams of Bunclody Festival by Nial Toner followed by Fire and Musical Spectacular.  
Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> July: 10:00-5:00pm Artisan Food and Saturday Market 12:00-5:00pm Street performers, Buskers, Bands and Circus Workshop 8.00pm - 12:00am Millrace Hotel; 80<sup>s</sup> Disco with Band  
Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> July: 12:00-6:00pm Newtownbarry Gardens Award winning Wexford writer Carmel Harrington - French wine tasting, Music, Circus K and Grand Finale.

### ArtBank

Monday 17<sup>th</sup> Street art workshop 10-1pm. Free  
Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> July 10:00am to 12:00 Bunclody Fashion club Create fashion course. SPECIAL OFFER: buy both courses and get €20.00 reduction of the total cost. For more details contact Mico on 087 7502423 or call into ArtBank  
Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> Textured painting workshop 7:30 pm - 9:30pm €10.00+ materials €5.00.  
Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> Fashion Club Design course 10:00am to 12:00.  
Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> Workshop crew collaborative Creative 7:30pm - 9:30pm, €10 + materials €5.00.  
Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup>, Dress for Mess, Children's Workshop 12:00 to 1:30pm €5.00.  
Further information on any of the above call 089 4972774 or call into Artbank, Tuesday to Saturday 2:00-5:30pm.

### Sponsorship of Newsletter for July

**Cahills Hardware & Gift Shop**  
Market Sq., Bunclody.  
053 9377325

### KILMYSHALL NOTES

#### THANK YOU

Kilmyshall Parish Council would like to thank all who helped in any way in preparing for our Annual Field Day last Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> July. A special thanks to all who helped and gave their time so generously working on the day. Thanks to all who came and supported us on the day, which helped make the day a great success. Thanks to all the parishioners who donated bottles, prizes & money donations and a very special thanks to all the businesses of Bunclody & Kilmyshall who once again supported our Field Day so generously with donations of prizes. Without the support of our local business events like these would be very difficult to run. We would encourage everyone to support our local shops and businesses.

**CHOIR:** Choir practice in Kilmyshall every Monday at 7:30pm. **New Members most welcome.**

**Weekday Mass:** Held in the Church (Summertime) at 9:30am Tuesday, Thursday & Friday & 7:30pm on Wednesday. Prayer Group meet every Wednesday after 7:30 pm Mass in the Oratory. All are welcome.

**Eucharistic Adoration:** Every Tuesday in the Church from 10:00am to 4:00pm. New Adorers always welcome.

**Hall bookings and use of hall equipment, must** be booked through Denis O' Neill at 087 2196565.

**Monthly Envelope Draw:** June winner: James Kenny.

**300 -1 Club :** Next Draw Sat. 29<sup>th</sup> July. Your Support is very much Appreciated.

**Kilmyshall Church & Kilmyshall N.S. Split the Pot Draw Winner:** Peggy Mahon €72, Seller: Kilmyshall Parish Office. **Next draw:** Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July. Envelopes available in Kilmyshall National School, Steemer's, Glanbia, Redmond's, H.W.H Shop & Bar, Matt Byrne Hardware Clohamon, & Kilmyshall Parish Office. Thank you for your support.

**2<sup>nd</sup> collection:** Last weeks collection realised: €268.50 Many thanks for your generous support.

#### Ministers of the Eucharist - July 2017

**Saturday:** Martin Cullen

**Sunday:** Janette O' Neill

#### Ministers of the Word - July 2017

**Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> July :** Ciara Kelly

**Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> July:** Michael Doyle

**Patrons: Ryland Hill, on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> July at 7:30pm.**

**Chapel Graveyard on Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> July,**  
**(Feast of St. Mary Magdalene) at 7:45pm.**

### PARISH INFORMATION

#### Most Holy Trinity Bunclody

**V. Rev. Laurence O' Connor P.P. 053 9377319.**

**Weekend Masses:** Saturday: 11:00am & 7:00pm  
Sunday: 9:00am & 12 Noon.

**Weekdays:** Monday - Friday 9:00am.

**Confessions:** Saturday 11:30am & 6:30pm.

#### St. Mary Magdalene Kilmyshall

**Fr. Pat Duffy C.C. 053 9377188**

**Email: kilmyshallparish@gmail.com**

**Weekend Masses:** Saturday: 8:00pm & Sunday 10:30am.

**Weekdays:** 9:30am Monday (Eucharistic Service),  
9:30am Mass Tuesday, Thursday & Friday.  
7:30pm. Wednesday.

**Confessions :** Sat. 6:45 to 7:30pm. Any time by request.

**Prayer Group:** meets every Wednesday night after 7:30pm Mass in the Oratory (behind Parochial House).

Visit our website at [www.kilmyshallparish.com](http://www.kilmyshallparish.com)

**Please let your Priest know when a family member is in hospital or sick at home**

#### Parish Office Opening Hours:

Monday - Friday 9:00am - 4:00pm

Closed for Lunch from 1:00pm to 1:30pm

Parish Office: Contact: 053 9376190

E-mail: [bunclodyparishoffice@eircom.net](mailto:bunclodyparishoffice@eircom.net)

**All notices for the Newsletter before Wed. at 1:00pm.**

**Visit our website at [www.bunclodyparish.org](http://www.bunclodyparish.org)**

#### DESIGNATED SAFE GUARDING PEOPLE

**Bunclody:** Susan Norris 087 0525440

**Kilmyshall:** Barbara Murphy 087 9580705