



# NEWSLETTER

Sixth Sunday of Easter

21<sup>st</sup> May 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. 20<sup>th</sup> May – Sun. 28<sup>th</sup> May 2017



#### MOST HOLY TRINITY

#### Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> May 7:00pm

Denis Byrne, Main Street.

Lena Furlong.

Erwin Egli.

Bridie & Paddy Gaynor & John Gaynor.

Joe & Margaret Collins.

Parkie & Andy Doyle & deceased members of the Doyle & Comerford family.

#### Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> May 9:00am

James, Frances and Nancy Mahon, Gurteen.

#### Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> May 12 Noon

Jason Tobin.

#### Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> May 9:00am

Special Intention.

Maura Ryan.

#### Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> May 7:00pm

Wayne Farrell 6<sup>th</sup> Anniversary.

Angela Kavanagh 2<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary.

Special Intention.

#### Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> May 9:00am

Kathleen & Noel Travers.

#### ST. MARY MAGDALENE, KILMYSHALL

#### Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> May 8:00pm

Ann Plunkett.

#### Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> May 8:00pm

Luke Roche, recently deceased.

#### Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> May 10:30am

William, Una & Leona Atkinson and deceased members of the Atkinson family.

### **Painting of the ceiling in the Church is progressing**

Mass will continue to be celebrated in the Pastoral Centre at 9:00am each weekday morning.

### **There will be no adoration on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> May.**

#### **Parish Office**

Parish Office will be closed Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May.  
**Sorry for any inconvenience caused.**

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

**St. Mary's Centre, Ryland Road, Bunclody.**

Continuing with the May Programme 10am – 2pm

- ♦ **Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> May : "Spring Gardening"** with Fergal Joy (Glanbia)
- ♦ **Monday 29<sup>th</sup> May: Arts, Crafts & Activities**  
Entrance Fee: €4 which includes Tea/Coffee & Light Lunch. This Club will suit the 60+ age group. Transport not provided.

## THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

In the Gospel, this weekend, Jesus has an important promise for his people, for all of us. "I shall ask the Father and he will give you another Advocate (Paraclete) to be with you forever." Some of us have been to a court of law and there we may need a barrister to assist us and plead our case. The Paraclete is very like a supporter in a court of law. Jesus has the Father send us the Paraclete in order to support us and assist us in living as Jesus would want us to. Jesus call this supporter the "Spirit of Truth". As the Spirit of Truth, in the church, he will do as Jesus tells us later. "When the Spirit of Truth comes he will lead you to the complete truth since he will not be speaking of his own accord, but will say only what he has been told." The Holy Spirit will come to us and will give us a feel for God. He will enable us to understand better the teaching and the life of Jesus. As the love bond between God and his Son he will convince us of the love of Jesus and of God for each and all of us. He will enable us to make that love our own, will build a loving spirit in our own hearts and assist us to be loving people and help us to shape our lifestyle on the example and model of Jesus Christ.

What is called for on our part? Through prayer and reflection we will become more aware of the place of the Holy Spirit in our lives. The more in tune we are with him and with his presence in our hearts, the more likely it is that we will embrace that lifestyle of love that he prompts us to live.

### **Lough Derg Pilgrimage**

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> July—Wed. 5<sup>th</sup> July 2017. Bus leaving St. Peter's Sq. Wexford at 6:30am via Enniscorthy (Abbey Sq) 6:50am, Ferns (Bus Stop) 7:00am, Gorey (Hospital) 7:10am. Return to Wexford Wednesday at 6:30pm  
Bus & Island Fee: €125.00  
Bookings: Fr. P. Cushen, Ferns 053 9366152 / 087 2387559.

Ferns Parish Office 053 9366514

### **The Holy Rosary**

will be recited for the Month of May at:  
Our Lady's Grotto, St. Mary's Villas each evening at 6:00p.m.  
At the Grotto in Carrigbán, 12 Noon, Monday - Friday  
Kilmyshall Grotto, every Monday evening at 7pm.

### **Envelope Collection**

**Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> May: €634.70**  
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 St. Aidan's Hall.
- \* **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.**
- **Bunclody Vocational College Split the Pot:** Winner of draw Friday 12<sup>th</sup> May: Dan Murphy €52. Our next Split the Pot draw is Friday 28<sup>th</sup> May. Envelopes available in O'Reilly's Supervalu, Eurospar, Ken Rothwell, Bunclody Credit Union and Bunclody Vocational College .
- **Storytelling:** In St. Aidan's Hall, Irish Street, Bunclody on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> May at 8:00pm
- **Church Gate Collection:** in Aid of Local People with Multiple Sclerosis takes place next weekend 27<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> May. Your support is greatly appreciated.

Hedge Clippers left at hedge near Library. Great sentimental value attached to it. Please contact the Parish Office if found.

**Bingo** every Wednesday night in River's Edge at 9:00pm. €200 from proceeds each month will be given to a local charity.

**Parent and Child Group** takes place every Wednesday from 10 -12pm in St. Aidan's Hall, Irish Street. Admission €3 which includes Tea/Coffee/Biscuits for the parents and Juice/Fruit for the little people. Contact Marianne on 087 9026986 for more information.

**FCJ Summer Camp**  
A multi-activity summer camp for 9-12 year old boys and girls will take place in FCJ Secondary School from Monday July 3<sup>rd</sup> until Friday July 7<sup>th</sup>. The camp will run from 9:45 until 3:00 each day. There are two aspects to the camp - sport and computers. For more information email: [summercamp@fcjbunclody.ie](mailto:summercamp@fcjbunclody.ie) or phone (086) 3925828.

**ArtBank**  
Wednesday night collaborative creatives crew exhibition meet the artists 3-6pm.  
Textile Workshop Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm  
Collaboration Workshop Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> 7:30pm  
Dress for Mess Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> 12-1:30pm

Are you a practitioner/Teacher/SNA/Parent/Carer working with children with Dyspraxia/ Developmental Co-ordination Disorder? Would you like to gain some ideas and strategies to support the children you work with? If so, then why not attend this fun, practical and informative 1 day workshop led by Sharon Drew. Wexford Dyspraxia/DCD bring 'Smart Moves' to Wexford. **On: Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> October 2017 At: Whites Hotel, Wexford, Time: 9:00 am – 3:00 pm**  
**Cost: €80.** Inclusive of tea, coffee and Light Lunch.  
Information & booking contact **Veronica on 087 974 5861** or [dyspraxiaveronica1@gmail.com](mailto:dyspraxiaveronica1@gmail.com)

**Sponsorship of Newsletter for May**  
**Pat Lennon, Publican**  
**Funeral Director**  
**053 9377341**

**KILMYSHALL NOTES**

**CHOIR:** Choir practice in Kilmyshall every Monday at 7:30pm. **New Members most welcome.**  
**Weekday Mass:** Held in the Oratory at 9:30 Tuesday, Thursday & Friday & 7:30pm on Wednesday. Prayer Group meet every Wednesday after 7:30 pm Mass in the parochial house. All are welcome.  
**Eucharistic Adoration:** Every Tuesday in the Church from 10:00am to 4:00pm. New Adorers always welcome.  
**Parish Website:** [kilmyshallparish@gmail.com](mailto:kilmyshallparish@gmail.com). Newsletter available now on website.  
**Hall bookings and use of hall equipment, must** be booked through Denis O' Neill at 087 2196565.  
**Monthly Envelope Draw:** May winner: .  
**300 -1 Club :** Next Draw Sat 27<sup>th</sup> May. Your Support is very much Appreciated.  
**Kilmyshall Church & Kilmyshall N.S. Split the Pot Draw**  
**Winner:** Diarmuid Coggins, €77, Seller: H.W.H. **Next draw:** Friday 19<sup>th</sup> May. 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: €240.00 Many thanks for your generous support.  
**Ministers of the Eucharist - May 2017:**  
**Saturday:** Ann Farrell  
**Sunday:** Nellie Long  
**Ministers of the Word - May 2017:**  
**Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> May :** Mary Atkinson  
**Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> May:** Padraic Doyle

**The Weavers' Cottage Museum** is nestled in the picturesque village of Clonegal beautifully restored to its original condition. Come and take a step back in time and listen to the history relayed by one of our guides, enjoy the cottage gardens. Open Monday, Tuesday & Friday from 9:00am to 5:00pm, Sunday 12:00 to 4:00pm.

**Vacancies at Home Instead Senior Care**  
Qualified experienced Caregivers to care for elderly people and people with disabilities in the Bunclody and surrounding areas, Fetac level 5, experience preferred. You must have a car, hours to suit family life. Please send your CV to: **[maureen.moran@homeinstead.ie](mailto:maureen.moran@homeinstead.ie)** or call our office for a chat 053 9184042 / 087 2524536

**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](mailto: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 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**  
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