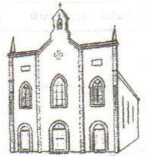




NEWSLETTER

Twenty First Sunday in Ordinary Time 25th August 2019

YEAR C



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. 24th Aug - Sun. 1st Sept 2019



Most Holy Trinity Bunclody

Saturday 24th August 7:00pm

Gary Doyle, Killanure & Manchester, 1st Anniversary
Aaron Byrne, Anniversary.

Sunday 25th August 12 Noon

Denis Carton, Carrigduff.
Brendon, Annie, & John Canning, Anniversary.

Wednesday 28th August 9:00am

Paddy Ryan, Ryland Road.

Saturday 31st August 11:00am

Michael & Kathleen Carroll, Anniversary, St Mary's Villas.

Catherine Carroll, Baldoyle Dublin.

Saturday 31st August 7:00pm

Maureen Butler, Anniversary.

Sunday 1st September 12 Noon

Mary Ellen Doyle, 1st Anniversary.

St. Mary Magdalene Kilmyshall

Saturday 24th August 8:00pm

Nan Farrell recently deceased.

Saturday 31st August 8:00pm

Mary Armstrong, 2nd Anniversary.
Matthew Byrne, Mullawn, 4th Anniversary.

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

Grace Nellie Brophy



Carlow Choral Society

New term starts Monday 2nd September at 7.45pm in Carlow Cathedral Parish Centre. This is an open evening and new members are very welcome. We will start work on *In Paradisum* by Andrew Campling and *Missa Carolae* by James Whitbourn and other works as we prepare for concerts in Nov and Dec. For more info contact

carlowchoralsociety@gmail.com or visit www.carlowchoralsociety.net

Words of Wisdom

"Every saint has a past, and every sinner has a future." - Nance Bond

Eucharistic Adoration:
Every Monday 9.30am- 8.00pm
Tuesday to Friday 7:30-8:30am,
Saturday 9:30-10:30am.
No Adoration on Bank Holidays



THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

"Alice opened the door and found that it led into a small passage, not much larger than a rat-hole: she knelt down and looked along the passage into the loveliest garden you ever saw. How she longed to get out of that dark hall, and wander about among those beds of bright flowers and those cool fountains, but she could not even get her head through the doorway." (Lewis Carroll, *Alice's Adventures in Wonderland*)

In the opening chapter of *Alice's Adventures in Wonderland*, Alice is having a bit of bother with doors. She finds herself locked in a hall in which the doors are all locked. When she finds a key, it doesn't fit the locks. When she manages to find a door to match the key, she herself won't fit through; the doorway is too narrow. How frustrating!

The parable in today's Gospel also features a narrow door and a locked door, as well as an unsympathetic doorkeeper—it's almost as if the master wants to keep everyone out! People knock on the door expecting to be admitted, but it's not that simple. The master turns them away despite protestations that they are acquainted.

Jesus is trying to teach his followers about discipleship. What does he mean when he says we must "enter by the narrow door"? Is it almost impossible to enter the kingdom of God? One thing is sure: a passing acquaintance with Jesus will not be enough. The plea of "We once ate and drank in your company" is feeble. It is not enough to know Jesus only on the surface—to attend Mass every Sunday or to turn to him only when we are in need. To really know Jesus, one must walk the narrow path of the Gospel.

Triona Doherty

Day of prayer at Lough Derg

The Irish Pilgrimage Trust will participate in a day of prayer at Lough Derg, Co. Donegal on Sat Sept. 21st. Trip includes bus travel, 2 nights b&b, 2 evening meals and day on Lough Derg €195. Bus leaves Friday 20th and returns Sun 22nd. Info and booking: Helen Kirwan 087-6817648.

Livestreaming

Mass is available to watch online. To view go to mcnmedia.tv and search: **Bunclody**. All masses available live. Contact Parish Office on 053 9376190 with questions/feedback.

Envelope Collection

Monday 19th August €790.00

Thank You for your Generosity



Bunclody / Kilmyshall Parish

- * **Alcoholics Anonymous:** Meetings held Tuesday & Saturday at 8:30pm in Brennan's Market Square.
- * **Whist:** Monday night 8:45pm in Day Care Centre.
- * **St Vincent de Paul :** Local Confidential helpline 087 3696883, please call if you need help.
- * **S.V.P. request Box now located at back of shop.** There is a new newspaper recycling bin beside SuperValu in aid of S.V.P.

Choir: Practice in Bunclody Tuesdays at 7:30pm. Rosary recited for sick of the parish at 7:15 pm. **New members most welcome.** If you have relatives or friends who are ill at home or in hospital, please let us know and they will be remembered in the rosary and prayers for the sick. All are welcome to join in the prayer.

**Mount Leinster Community Employment Vacancies
Bunclody Day Care are seeking
Day Care Assistants &
Day Care Assistant/Driver**

Job Reference - CES 2116096

To be eligible you MUST be in receipt of a payment for one year from DEASP and be over 21 years. Check eligibility by contacting: D.E.A.S.P. Bridgepoint, Enniscorthy 053 9239300 **OR** Bunclody Parish Office 053 9376190/053 9376088.

THE MONDAY CLUB

St Mary's Day Centre, Ryland Road

Come enjoy a Social & Informative gathering.

- Mon 2nd Sep:** "Catch Up after the Holidays"
- Mon 9th Sep:** "Positive Thinking & Sing a Long" with Jackie Byrne
- Mon 16th Sep:** "Laughter Relaxation Exercise" with Mary Fitzpatrick
- Mon 23rd Sep:** "Monthly Quiz"
- Mon 30th Sep:** "Dancing" with Declan Flannigan

New Members Always Welcome

Through the year we have entertainment, information sharing, arts/crafts, guest speakers, bingo/card playing. This Club suits 60+ age group. 10am -2pm
Entrance Fee: €4 includes Tea & Light Lunch.

Speech and Drama Classes

Begin Wednesday 11th September in Our Lady of Lourdes N.S. for primary and secondary students. The classes are fun and also a great way to improve confidence, creativity and communication skills. Over the year children have the opportunity to put on a show, take part in drama festivals and take an exam with the Irish Board of Speech and Drama . New members are very welcome. Contact Elaine [0861691040](tel:0861691040) or Facebook @ElaineJordanSpeechAndDrama for more information.

Bunclody VC Split the Pot Draw:

Next draw Thursday 5th September. Thank you for your support.

Special Ministers for September 2019

Ministers of the Word:

- 7:00pm: John Varghese
- 9:00am: Sr Madeline
- 12 Noon: Anita Somers

Eucharistic Ministers:

- 7:00pm: Goretti Kavanagh & Maura Quinlivan
- 9:00am: Geraldine Roberts & Leanna Nolan
- 12 Noon: Sarah Burke & Celia Burns

Altar Servers:

- 7:00pm : B
- 9:00am : C
- 12 Noon : A

Flower Society: TBA

Shrine Rota: John Burke & Elizabeth Dockrell

Sponsorship of Newsletter for August 2019

Supervalu,
Carrigduff, Bunclody, Co. Wexford
053 9376744

KILMYSHALL NOTES

Choir: Choir practice in Kilmyshall every Monday at 7:30pm. New Members most welcome.
Prayer Group: meet every Wednesday after 7:30 pm Mass in the Oratory. All are welcome.
Eucharistic Adoration: Tuesdays 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.
Split the Pot Fri 16th August: Winner: Cian & Rebecca Murphy, Winnings: €85. Sold in: Steemers.
2nd Collection 3rd/4th August: €179.50
2nd Collection 10th/11th August: €203.59

Please let Fr. Duffy know if a relative is sick at home or in hospital

Eucharistic Ministers - September 2019:

Saturday night: Patrick Murphy
Sunday Morning: Anne Tyndall

Ministers of the Word - August/September 2019

Saturday 31st : Deirdre Maher
Sunday 1st Sept.: Margaret Roberts

Waterford Institute of Technology

Certificate in Community Studies - Level 6
Venue: Bunclody FET Centre
Beginning: 10am on Thursday September 19th
Finishing: May 2020

Day/Time: Thursdays, 10am - 1pm

Applications to be returned before 6pm on Friday September 6th 2019.
Interviews will be held on September 12th
Applicants should have some involvement in community volunteering or work.

Bunclody Day Care

Seeking Part Time Volunteer Drivers for work on Tuesdays and Thursdays (hours vary) If interested please contact Maria on 053-9776552 or bunclodydaycare@gmail.com

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.

Please let us know if a relative is sick in hospital or at home

Parish Office Opening Hours:

Monday - Thursday 8:30am - 4:30pm Friday: 8:30am - 1:00pm
Closed for lunch 1:00 - 1:30pm Mon - Thurs
Contact: 053 9376190 E-mail: mostholyltrinitypo@gmail.com

All notices for newsletter to be in before Thursday at 1:00pm.

Visit our website at www.bunclodyparish.org

Like and follow our new official Facebook page - The Church of the Most Holy Trinity Bunclody.

St. Mary Magdalene Kilmyshall

Fr. Pat Duffy C.C. 053 9377188

Weekend Masses: Saturday: 8:00pm & Sunday 10:30am.
Weekdays: 9:30am Monday (Eucharistic Service),
9:30am Mass Tuesday, Thursday & Friday.
7:30pm. Wednesday.

Confessions : Saturday 6:45pm to 7:30pm. Anytime by request.

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

Visit our website at www.kilmyshallparish.com

Kilmyshall Parish Office is open every Tuesday & Friday 9:00am-1:00pm. Email: kilmyshallparish@gmail.com. PLEASE LET FR. DUFFY OR THE PARISH OFFICE KNOW IF ANYONE IS SICK OR IN HOSPITAL PHONE 053 9377188.

DESIGNATED SAFE GUARDING PEOPLE

Bunclody: Susan Norris 087 0525440
Kilmyshall: Barbara Murphy 087 9580705