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Jesus visits the home of Martha. For such a short Gospel passage, this text has created much discussion among biblical scholars. It seems everyone in this story is breaking the rules: Jesus rebukes his host, Mary does not help her sister, and Martha is not sitting at Jesus' feet like a good disciple. Luke's gospel is all about "reversal": what you expect to happen does not happen, often the opposite happens! Confused? Mary is positioned here as a disciple learning from her Teacher. Martha as one who is trying to serve through "many tasks". Throughout his Gospel, Luke places a special emphasis on the wider circle of Jesus' disciples, and names the woman who follow Him. Luke is perhaps reminding us in this text that being a follower of Jesus requires an upset of the norms and a re-

This story occurs in Luke immediately after the Good Samaritan, where the importance of service and action are clearly emphasised. It seems unfair that Martha is being told off for serving those who come to her. If Jesus arrived with a hungry entourage, what host would not be stressed out! Jesus frees Martha from these duties, not because they are not important, but so that she too can be nourished by him. Frantic activity is never good or sustainable for us.

Let today's Gospel be a reminder that when we are bogged down in the craziness around us, we can sit and listen to Him. Then we may be better prepared for the challenges that we face whether they be in our homes or our

-Jane Mellett

THE ANNUAL PATRON WILL TAKE PLACE ON FRIDAY 26TH JULY.



Monday 15th July: €990.00

Thank You for your Generosity

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| * Alcoholics Anonymous: Meetings held Tuesday & Saturday at 8:30pm in Brennan's Market Square. | KILMYSHALL NOTES Choir: Choir practice in Kilmyshall every Monday at |
| * Whist: Monday night 8:45pm in Day Care Centre. | 7:30pm. New Members most welcome. |
| St Vincent de Paul : Local Confidential helpline | Prayer Group: meet every Wednesday after 7:30 pm |
| 087 3696883, please call if you need help. | Mass in the Oratory. All are welcome. Eucharistic Adoration: Tuesdays in the Church from |
| * S.V.P. request Box now located at back of shop. | 10:00am to 4:00pm. New Adorers always welcome. |
| There is a new newspaper recycling bin | Hall bookings and use of hall equipment MUST be |
| beside SuperValu in aid of S.V.P. | booked through Denis O' Neill at 087 2196565. |
| | Split the Pot: Winner: Peggy Mahon. Winnings: |
| Choir: Practice in Bunclody Tuesdays at 7:30pm. | €103. Sold in: Steemers |
| Rosary recited for sick of the parish at 7:15 pm. New | 2nd Collection 13th/14th July: €194.50 |
| members most welcome. If you have relatives or | KILMYSHALL PARISH COUNCIL extends their |
| friends who are ill at home or in hospital, please let us | gratitude to all who helped prepare for our annual field |
| know and they will be remembered in the rosary and | day last Sunday; to all who helped and gave of their time |
| prayers for the sick. All are welcome to join in the prayer. | so generously working on the day. Thanks to all our pa- |
| Mount Leinster Community Employment Vacancies | rishioners who donated prizes, bottles and money. A big thanks to all who came on the day and supported us. A |
| Bunclody Day Care are seeking | very special thanks to the businesses of Kilmyshall & |
| Day Care Assistants & | Bunclody who supported with their |
| Day Care Assistant/Driver | sponsorship. It is due to the support of these businesses |
| Job Reference - CES 2116096 | and the people who give of their time voluntary in helping to prepare for and working on the day, that helped make |
| To be eligible you MUST be in receipt of a payment for one | the day a success. |
| year from DEASP and be over 21 years. | Eucharistic Ministers - July 2019: |
| Check eligibility by contacting: D.E.A.S.P. Bridgepoint, Enniscorthy 053 9239300 OR | Saturday: Ann Farrell |
| Bunclody Parish Office 053 9376190/053 9376088. | Sunday: Nellie Long |
| | Ministore of the Word July 2010 |
| Bunclody Swimming Pool | Ministers of the Word - July 2019 Saturday 27th: Ciara Kelly |
| The winners of Bunclody Swimming Pool Silver Circle | Sunday 28th: Michael Doyle |
| Draw for July were: | |
| 1st Prize €500 Christine Dalby | St. Mary Magdalene Kilmyshall Parish Information |
| 2nd Prize €200 Leslie Duke 3rd Prize €100 Etta Cowman | Fr. Pat Duffy C.C. 053 9377188 |
| Thank you to all who supported the draw and Silver Circle | Weekend Masses: Saturday: 8:00pm & Sunday 10:30am. Weekdays: 9:30am Monday (Eucharistic Service), |
| Draw this year, your support is greatly appreciated. | 9:30am Mass Tuèsday, Thursday & Friday. |
| | 7:30pm. Wednesday. Confessions : Saturday 6:45pm to 7:30pm. Anytime by |
| Bunclody Day Care | request. |
| Seeking Part Time Volunteer Drivers | Prayer Group: meets every Wednesday after 7:30pm Mass |
| for work on Tuesdays and Thursdays (hours vary) | In the Oratory (behind Parochial House). |
| If interested please contact Maria on 053-9776552 or | Kilmyshall Parish Office is open every Tuesday & Friday |
| bunclodydaycare@gmail.com | 9:00am -1:00pm. Email: kilmyshallparish@gmail.com. |
| Wexford Firefighters | Visit our website at www.kilmyshallparish.com |
| Wexford County Council are looking for members of the | PLEASE LET FR. DUFFY OR THE PARISH OFFICE KNOW IF |
| community to become Retained (part-time) Firefighters in | ANYONE IS SICK OR IN HOSPITAL PHONE 053 9377188. |
| Bunclody/Enniscorthy/Gorey/Wexford. | DESIGNATED SAFE GUARDING PEOPLE |
| An information evening will be held in Bunclody Fire Sta- | Kilmyshall: Barbara Murphy 087 9580705 |
| tion from 7-9pm on Wednesday 24th July and in Wexford/ Gorey/Enniscorthy fire stations on Tuesday 23rd July from | L |
| 6-8pm All interested are invited to attend. | Clohamon Heritage and Vintage Day |
| | Taking place on the street in Clohamon Sunday 11th August from 1pm. |
| DATE FOR YOUR DIARY | The Old Bog Cottage will be on display, Ireland's only rolling |
| On Saturday August 1st, 2020 between the Bunclody and Kilrush Patrons, Clohamon area will hold a reunion. We hope to go down | cottage, Also displaying engines, vintage cars, and tractors. |
| memory lane, bringing together, locals and past pupils of Clo- | With other attractions such as face painting, open air BBQ, ice cream van, and more. |
| hamon National School. More information in next newsletter. | All welcome—Free family day out. |
| <u> </u> | For information contact Michael Gahan 087 235 5129 |
| Special Ministers for July 2019 | Densels de MC Collins De CD |
| Ministers of the Word: | Bunclody VC Split the Pot Draw: Next draw Friday 26th July. Thank you for your support. |
| 7:00pm: Edel Kearney 9:00am: Gertrude Rowlands | Next draw thiday zour bury. Thank you for your support. |
| 12 Noon: Joe Byrne | BUNCLODY PARISH INFORMATION |
| Eucharistic Ministers: | 1 |
| 7:00pm: Ann Behan & Teresa Shore | Most Holy Trinity Bunclody V. Rev. Laurence O' Connor P.P. 053 9377319. |
| 9:00am: Sean Byrne & Sr. Madeline Ryan | Weekend Masses: Saturday: 11:00am & 7:00pm |
| 12 Noon: Ellen Delaney & Angela Connor | I Sunday: 9:00am & 12 Noon. |
| Altar Servers: 7:00pm : A | Weekdays: Monday - Friday 9 :00am. Confessions: Saturday 11:30am & 6:30pm. |
| 9:00am : B | Please let us know when a relative is sick in hospital or at |
| 12 Noon : C | home |
| Flower Society: Eileen Carton | Parish Office Opening Hours: |
| Shrine Rota: Kitty Jordan & Mary Canning | Monday - Thursday 8:30am - 4:30pm Friday: 8:30am - 1:00pm Closed for lunch 1:00 - 1:30pm Mon - Thurs |
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| | E-mail: mostholytrinitypo@gmail.com |
| | All notices for newsletter to be in before Thursday at 1:00pm. |
| Sponsorship of Newsletter for July 2019 | |
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