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EWSLETTE

4th Sunday of Easter/Good Shepherd Sunday

12th May 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. 11th May - Sun. 19th May 2019



Most Holy Trinity Bunclody Sunday 12th May 12 Noon

Delia & Bick Breen, and deceased members of the Breen and Barry families.

Patrick & Jane O' Sullivan.

Monday 13th May 9:00am

Special Intention

Saturday 18th May 7:00pm

Nancy & Harry Murphy, Ballinapark.

Johanna Kavanagh.

Tommy & Alice Larkin and deceased members of the Larkin Family.

Sunday 19th May 9:00am

Matthew Doyle, Carrigduff.

Sunday 19th May 12 Noon

Dennis & Ita Byrne.

St. Mary Magdalene Kilmyshall

Saturday 11th May 8:00pm

Mary Weafer, Cametigue, 8th Anniversary, & deceased members of the Weafer & Byrne families.

Sunday 12th May 10:30am

Jim Finn, Coolattin.

Saturday 18th May 8:00pm

Ann Plunkett, Kilmyshall.

Words of Wisdom

"Meet success like a gentleman, meet disaster like a man." - Nance Bond

First Friday

Fr. O' Connor will visit the sick and housebound in the area on Thursday 16th and Friday 17th May.

The Holy Rosary

will be recited for the Month of May at: St. Mary's Villas each evening at 6:00p.m. And at the Grotto in Carrigban at 12 Noon Monday-Friday.

First Holy Communion

We would like to wish good luck and congratulations to all of the children who are making their first Holy Communion in our church this weekend.

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

John's Gospel is sometimes referred to as the "spiritual Gospel" as it has beautiful reflective passages. During the Easter season, we read and hear mostly from John. Is it a lovely opportunity to meditate more deeply on the Word. Today, we are given the image of Jesus as the Shepherd and of his people as the flock. We hear the words 'I know them'. Jesus knows each person intimately. He knows our deepest desires, our worries and fears, our insecurities and pain. Jesus is as close to us as our own breathing. Nobody can interfere with this intimate friendship, even though at times we may feel differently. We may experience discrimination because of our faith, or be attacked in some way. When things are not going so well, we may feel as if Jesus has abandoned us; sometimes we simply want to give up on the whole thing. Let this passage be a reminder to us that Jesus is always very close to us and knows our struggles. We simply need to share those struggles and fears with Him, for "no one will snatch them [you] out of my hand." We may forget this from time to time. This week, can you spend five minutes each day meditating on this passage. Focus on the breath. A phrase to repeat might be: "Jesus I know that you are as close to me as my own breathing."

-Jane Mellett

Pastoral Council Meeting

The next Pastoral Council Meeting will take place on Thursday next, May 16th at 8pm in the Pastoral Centre. We hope all can attend.

The parish office email address is now:

mostholytrinitypo@gmail.com

Livestreaming

Mass is now available to watch online. To view the stream go to $\underline{\text{mcnmedia.tv}}$ and search: $\underline{\text{Bunclody}}$. All masses are available live. Contact the Parish Office on 053 9376190 with questions/feedback.

> **Envelope Collection** Monday 6th May: €799.40



Thank You for your Generosity

- 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 is 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.

Bunclody VC Split the Pot Draw:

Recent Winner Patches Kenny €102.00 Next draw Friday 17th May. Thank you for your support.

Good Shepherd Sunday

World Day of Prayer will be observed on Sunday, May 12th, "Good Shepherd Sunday". The purpose of this day is to publically fulfil the Lord's instruction to 'pray the Lord of the harvest, to send labourers into his harvest." (Matthew 9:38; Luke 10:2) Please pray that young men and women will hear and respond to the Lord's call to priesthood, diaconate and religious life. You can find many resources to promote a culture of vocations online at the National Vocations Office www.vocations.ie

THE MONDAY CLUB

St Mary's Day Centre, Ryland Road Come along-enjoy a Social & Informative gathering.

Mon 13th May:
Mary Fitzpatrick & "Laughter Relaxation Exercise" With
Mon 20th May:
"Flower Arranging" With Margaret Minchin

Mon 27th May: "Monthly Quiz"

New Members Always Welcome Throughout the year we will have entertainment, information sharing, arts/crafts, guest speakers, bingo/card playing.

This Club would suit 60+ age group. 10am -2pm Entrance Fee: €4 which includes Tea & Light Lunch

Bunclody Home Care Cancer

Annual Walk will take place on Sunday 19th May from the Square at 2pm. Please come along and support.

Special Ministers for May 2019

<u> Ministers of the Word:</u>

7:00pm: Evelyn Mulrennan 9:00am: Sr Madeline 12 Noon: Sarah burke

<u>Eucharistic Ministers:</u>

7:00pm: Mick Roche & Margaret Barry

9:00am: Joe Byrne

12 Noon: Maureen Byrne & Liz Whelan

<u> Altar Servers:</u>

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

Flower Society: BettyComiskey & Blaithnid McNamee **Shrine Rota:** Sarah Burke & Margaret Barry

Sponsorship of Newsletter for May 2019

Elegance Boutique, Main Street, Bunclody, (053) 9376911

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: 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.

Split the Pot Fri 3rd May: Winner: Kevin Sinnott, €324,

Seller: Redmond's Bar

2nd Collection 4th/5th May: €324.00

The Holy Rosary will be recited at the Grotto in Kilmyshall each Wednesday in May, beginning May 1st at 7:00pm

Eucharistic Ministers - May 2019:

Saturday: Patrick Murphy Sunday: Martin Cullen

Ministers of the Word—May 2019

Saturday 11th: Mary Atkinson Sunday 12th: Nellie Long

BRING & BUY SALE

Takes place this Sunday 12th May in Kilmyshall Community Hall, starting at 2pm Teas, Cake stall and much more... Your Support would be appreciated.

Kilmyshall National School Parents Council

We are having a clothes collection on Monday 20th May in the school.

Padre Pio Pilgrimage 2019

5th-11th August for 6 Nights from Dublin, €885 pps Contact (01)8788159 - (087) 6349103

Mall Market-Bunclody Results of Easter Draw:

Rose Murphy — Easter Egg. Ann Maria Morris Selection of Jams. Ann Conway — Chocolates. Catherine Dunbar — selection of jams. A sincere thank you to all customers from all the stall holders.

PARISH INFORMATION

Most Holy Trinity Bunclody

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

Weekend Masses:

Weekdays:

Saturday: 11:00am & 7:00pm Sunday: 9:00am & 12 Noon. Monday - Friday 9:00am.

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

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

Parish Office Opening Hours:

Monday & Tuesday: 8:30 - 4:30 Wednesday & Thursday: 8:30 - 4:30 Friday: 8:30 - 1:00 Closed for lunch 1:00 - 1:30 Mon - Thurs Contact: 053 9376190

E-mail: mostholytrinitypo@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.
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.

DESIGNATED SAFE GUARDING PEOPLE

Bunclody: Susan Norris 087 0525440 Barbara Murphy 087 9580705

Kilmyshall: