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# Bunclody / Kilmyshall Paris



# NEWSLETTER

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time 2nd August 2020

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 1st Aug - Sun 9th Aug 2020 **Most Holy Trinity Bunclody**



# Saturday 1st August 7:00pm

Catherine O Brien, Ballinastraw, Anniversary.

# Sunday 2nd August 9:00am

Walter Forde & Father Walter Forde, Anniversary Mass.

# Sunday 2nd August 12 Noon

Thomas & Anastasia Gantly and Family. David O' Riordan.

### Tuesday 4th August 9:00am

! Maria Cronin—Get Well.

### Wednesday 5th August 9:00am

Mary Moorehead, Irish Street.

## Sunday 9th August 12 Noon

William & Ellen Murphy, Michael, Kevin & Nancy Murphy, Rylan Upper. Edward Doyle, High house.

### St Mary Magdalene Kilmyshall

### Saturday 1st August 8:00pm

George and Annie O' Neill, Kilmyshall, Anniversary.

Special Intention: Golden Anniversary.

### Sunday 2nd August 10:00am

Elizabeth Donnelly, recently deceased.

# Saturday 8th August 8:00pm

Kieran O' Connor, Ryland Hill. Annie O' Neill, Glasslacken.

# <u>First Friday Update</u>

Fr. O' Connor will visit the sick and housebound of the parish on Thursday 6th and Friday 7th August 2020.

### **Confirmation and Communion 2020**

The Confirmation ceremonies will take place on August 19th, 20th, and 21st at 11:00am.

The Communion ceremony will take place in the new academic year. There is no date yet.

### **Bank Holiday Monday August 3rd**

Mass on Monday will take place at 11:00am. There will be no Eucharistic Adoration. The Parish Office will be closed.

# 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

Have you ever felt like you have nothing left to give? We all have times when we feel as though we do not have "enough" to offer, whether it's time, money, energy, or even love. When work is busy, we don't have enough time for family. When we are physically or emotionally exhausted at the end of a long day, we might not have the energy to play with our children or visit a friend. In the face of suffering in our own society and around the world, we often feel helpless-whatever small amount i of time or money we can give will never be enough.

But where we see "not enough", God sees potential. What we see as a small contribution is not small to God, if it is all we have to give, and it is given with love. "All we have with us is five loaves and two fish" say the disciples to Jesus—a tiny offering when faced with a giant task. But Jesus takes what they have, blesses it, and uses it to give sustenance to thousands. In the face of human limitations,

God can do plenty.

We are told at the start of today's reading that Jesus "took pity" on the large crowd that followed him. They have been out all day and are hungry, not to mention tired. They are so engrossed in listening to Jesus that time has slipped away. They are running on empty, and I'm sure they would be dismayed, if as the disciples suggest, they had to hike to the nearest village to buy food. Jesus understands their exhaustion and hunger, their limitations and their "not enough." What they have to give is inadequate, but he can do more with it than they could ever have imagined. We too are limited in what we have to offer. But whatever we can give—to our families and friends, to those in need—God sees and blesses and multiplies.

"Give something however small, to one in need. For it is not small to one who has nothing. Neither is it small to God, if we have given what we could." St Gregory of Nazianzus

-Jane Mellett

### **Important Reminder:**

To contact the Parish Office by email please remember to use the address mostholytrinitypo@gmail.com or your message will not be received.

**Envelope Collection** Monday 29th July 2020: €742.90

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 now located at back of shop. There is a new newspaper recycling bin beside SuperValu in aid of S.V.P.

### **Mount Leinster Community Employment Vacancies**

# **Grounds Person/Maintenance at Bunclody AFC**

Job Reference - CES 2152841

Please Contact Employment Services Bridgepoint Enniscorthy quoting job reference and to check eligibility: Local D.E.A.S.P (Intreo) Office Enniscorthy 053-9239300 Garda vetting will apply. D.E.A.S.P eligibility criteria applies (MUST be in receipt of D.E.A.S.P. payment)

### THE HOOK OF FAITH THIS WEEK

During the lockdown, the Church needed to strike a balance between compliance to government restrictions and the call to be faithful to her mission. This week's interview with journalist David Quinn investigates how successful was this balance found. We feature the launch of the Diocesan Lay Vocations Council who will promote vocations to the priesthood and religious life in our diocese and the latest podcast on trusting God from a new Catholic website www.frgministry.com. The homily for this Eighteenth Sunday of Ordinary time is on the miracle of the loaves and fish followed by an article on encountering God through nature by Sean O' Leary. Finally, our video this week is on the extraordinary life of St John Vianney, patron saint of parish priests whose feast day falls this week. Check out these and other resources available at www.thehookoffaith.com

### **COVID-19 Support Line for Older People**

ALONE have launched a national support line and additional supports for older people who have Concerns, or are facing difficulties relating to the outbreak of COVID-19 Coronavirus. Professional staff are available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary. The support line is open seven days a week, 8am - 8pm, by calling 0818 222 024.

### Special Ministers for August 2020

Ministers of the Word:

7:00pm: Anita Somers 9:00am: Gertrude & Sisters 12 Noon: Sarah Burke

<u>Eucharistic Ministers:</u>

7:00pm: 9:00am: 12 Noon:

Altar Servers: 7:00pm: Altar servers 9:00am: are not currently 12 Noon: attending mass.

Flower Society: Ger Kehoe / Edel Kearney Shrine Rota: Kitty Jordan & Mary Canning

Sponsorship of Newsletter for August 2020 Pat Lennon Bar and Funeral Directors, Main Street 053-9377341 / 086-8727519

### **KILMYSHALL NOTES**

Choir: Is not currently being held due to COVID19.

Prayer Group: Rosary At 7:00pm on Wednesday in the church followed by Mass and Benediction at 7:30pm

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:** Split the Pot envelopes are available in, Halfway House, Steemers, Cahill's, Glanbia, Byrne's Hardware, Clohamon, D&M Laundrette & Kilmyshall Parish Office. Thank you for your continued Support.

2nd Collection: €115

# **Eucharistic Ministers - August 2020:**

Saturday: Joan Finn Sunday: Janette O' Neill

The Confirmation ceremony in Kilmyshall will take place on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> August 2020.

Children from Kilmyshall N. S. will make their 1<sup>st</sup> Confession in Kilmyshall Church On Thursday 20th August at 7:30pm

The First Communion Ceremony will take place on Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> August at 10:30am.

### **Bunclody VC Split the Pot Draw:**

Next draw Thursday 27th August. Thank you for your support.

### **Bunclody Day Care Services**

Due to the COVID-19 Bunclody Day Care remains closed and is not opening for Monday Club, or Tuesday and Thursday Day Care Services. We apologise for this inconvenience and will update on reopening as soon as possible.

### **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 inform us 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 <u>Contact:</u> 053 9376190 <u>E-mail:</u> mostholytrinitypo@gmail.com

All notices for newsletter to be in before 4:30pm on Wednesday or we can not guarantee inclusion that week. Visit our website at www.bunclodyparish.org

# St. Mary Magdalene Kilmyshall

Fr. Pat Duffy C.C. 053 9377188

Weekend Masses: Saturday: 8:00pm & Sunday 10:30am.
Weekdays: Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 9:30am
Monday & Wednesday 7:30pm
There will be no mass or Eucharistic Service on Monday mornings.

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