

KILCOCK & NEWTOWN PARISH BULLETIN

15th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – 15th JULY 2018

(Mass Bk B; Part 2, page 52) **Responsorial Psalm** “Let us see, O Lord, your mercy and give us your saving help.”

PARISH DIARY

For one week only – Parish Lotto Draw will be held on **Wednesday, 18th July** in Scoil Dara instead of Tuesday, 17th July. (Pick up as usual by Jimmy on the 17th).

Readers for next weekend – Sat 6pm – Michael Minogue, 9am Sun – Margaret Macken & 12 noon Bernadine Sheridan.

Eucharistic Ministers for next weekend – Eithne & Michael Minogue & Joe McFadden - 6pm Sat; Pat Brady & Assumpta O’Brien - 9am Sun and Claire Dunne & John Cullen - 12 noon.

VIATORES CHRISTI – THANK YOU

Viatores Christi is an association of Catholic lay missionary development workers. It was founded in 1960 and recruits, prepares and facilitates the placement of lay people who wish to serve in areas in need in Africa, Asia and South America. After their recent visit to Kilcock & Newtown, they write to say “we were delighted to visit your lovely parish recently. Thank you for greeting us so warmly and a huge **“thank you”** to all who contributed so generously to our collection. A total of €947.40 was collected from your generous parishoners. Please pass on our sincere thanks to one and all of them.”

IN MEMORIAM

We ask prayers for Sheila Comerford (RIP), mother of Martin, Tiernmoghán, who died during the week. May she rest in peace.

FR PJ BYRNE MEMORIAL GOLF CLASSIC

Again, a big thank you to all who supported the Fr. PJ Byrne Golf Memorial Parish fundraiser last Friday. The winners on the day were: **Ladies** – JNS Tarmac; **Nearest Pin** – Fr. Eddie Moore; **Longest Drive** – Mary Malone. The winner of the **Non-GUI** was Liam Doyle’s team and the winners of the 4-ball were Peter Murray’s Team with a score of 56; 2nd Anthony Mallon’s Team with a score of 56.4 and 3rd John Glynn’s Team with a score of 57.6.

Raffle prize winners were Mary Doran x 2; Sean Browne, Shane Stone, Dolores Colman, Nicola Ward, Kathleen Lynch, Beatrice Mallon, Bishop Denis Nulty, Michael Flavin, Paul Ward & Marie Houlihan. Many thanks to all who provided us with raffle prizes. Well done to all on yet another successful golf classic. Already planning next years!!!! And what a wonderful way to remember the man himself, Fr. PJ!!

Wishing Fr. George and our 17 Lourdes pilgrims, including a youth group, safe passage as they travel to Lourdes on Monday with the K&L Diocesan group – safe travels and keep us all in your prayers.

GRATEFUL THANKS

Kilcock & Newtown Benevolent Fund wish to acknowledge and thank the family of the late Lena Downey (RIP) for their generous donation of €300 to the above fund. Many thanks to all the family.

YOUTH 2000 SUMMER FESTIVAL

The above festival is being held in the Cistercian College, Roscrea, Co. Tipperary from Thursday, 16th – Sunday, 19th August 2018. For young people aged 16-35, an opportunity not to be missed to experience the Catholic faith and meet many new people, with over 1000 young people from all corners of Ireland attending last year. The festival is donation only. Free buses travelling from all around Ireland. For more info. and to book online, see www.youth2000.ie.

MAYNOOTH COLLEGE – UPCOMING COURSES

Certificate in Theological Studies – this one-year programme provides a dynamic environment for those seeking to develop and broaden their theological knowledge and experience. Participants will gain a deeper understanding of their faith and how it might be lived with challenge, openness, and freshness in contemporary Irish parishes and society. The course will take place one evening per week (Tuesdays 6.30pm-8.30pm and also includes one weekend retreat. Cost of course is €900. For more info. or further details, please contact Dr. Suzanne Mulligan at suzanne.mulligan@spcm.ie.

The National Centre for Liturgy are offering to Parishes a ten-week course (September-December 2018) - **Leading the Christian Assembly in Public Prayer – forming lay leaders in the task of presiding**. The course will provide training for those who may be called upon to undertake roles of leadership when the Eucharist cannot be celebrated on weekdays. It will include celebrating the Liturgy of the Word, the Liturgy of the Hours – leading prayer when the Eucharist is not celebrated and leading certain rites of the Order of Christian Funerals. For more info. or further details, please contact 01 7083478 or email liturgy@spcm.ie.

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Mon-Fri: 10.30am-12.30pm - 01 6287499

PARISH LOTTO - Tue, 10th July 2018

Lotto Nos. 13 – 14 – 19 – 21

NO Winner

Next Jackpot: €16,000

3 x €50 Winners: Lily Moore, K McLoughlin, David Condron.

Promoters (2 x €50): Brigid Duff & Chocolate Box.

In Hall: (2 x €25): Carmel Hannifin & Fr. John.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yearly or half-yearly lotto tickets make an ideal gift for any occasion. Lotto now available on-line!

CAPPAGH G.F.C. – Tue, 10th July 2018

Lotto Nos. 1 – 16 – 26

NO Winner Next Jackpot: €6,200

€20 Winners x 5: Damien Maxwell, Bernie Fox, Rene Gorman, Danny Leonard, Catherine Nealon.

Thank you for your continued support.

KILCOCK GAA – Sun, 8th July 2018

Lotto Nos. 3 – 20 – 26 – 28

NO Winner Next Jackpot: €7,900

€50 Winners x 5: Paul Kenny, Paul Kirwin, Paul Kenny, Paddy Moore, Michael Rodgers.

Promoters: Barbara Kirwin, Brigid McSweeney.

Thank you for your continued support.

CASA is a registered charity established in 1981 by a small group of volunteers. CASA's goal was and still is to develop friendships and social outlets for its members through a variety of activities. CASA will be holding a church gate collection in Kilcock & Newtown on the weekend of 28th/29th July.

Kilcock Tidy Towns – judging for the competition is imminent. **HELP URGENTLY NEEDED** to get the town into shape. If you have a spare hour any evening to help tackle some of the jobs? If so, contact 087 1300571.

Rosary and Prayers every Sunday morning at 10.30am in the Little Chapel, Kilcock. Please come along and join us.

Lost: in Kilcock village, possible around Timeless Café, on Sunday 8th July a sum of money belonging to an elderly parishioner. Please ring 086 8833934 if found. Small reward offered.

The Irish Cancer Society needs an extra 50 drivers for our Volunteer Driver Service in Kildare to drive cancer patients to and from their chemotherapy appointments in the Mater, St. James's, St. Vincent's and Tallaght hospitals. We are looking for drivers with free weekday availability and who have a car available to them; they should be able to commit to at least two full weekdays a month. All volunteer expenses are paid. All interested parties, contact Laura on 01 2310594 or email transport@irishcancer.ie for an application form.

Newtown Community Group are at full steam ahead with training our volunteers on the new AED – the defibrillator is located outside Newtown Hall. The training is free – if you would like to be included on this course, please contact Ger Barclay on 087 3214736. **IMPORTANT:** The code to open the AED safe is **C159X**. If you need to ring 112 or 999 the address of the defibrillator is Newtown Community Hall, Newtown, Enfield, Co. Kildare A83 YY63

COUNTRYSIDE CLEAN-UP

Newtown Community Group are embracing July as our month of countryside cleaning. Please get involved by cleaning the hedgerows and ditches outside your homes and farms. If there are walkers, could you bring a bag on your stroll and collect any litter you can – a little litter picked up by all will make a massive difference. **Help Keep Newtown Beautiful!**

MASSES FOR WEEK

St. Coca's, Kilcock

Sat, 14th July 6pm

Sun, 15th July 9am

12 noon

Baby Liam Browne (11th Anniv)

Aisling & Sean Lynam (Anniv) & remembering their grandmother Betty; also remembering Seamus O'Toole & John Curran

John & Winnie Mallon, The Fairgreen (Anniv)

Mon, 16th July 10am

Tue, 17th July 10am

Wed, 18th July 10am

Thu, 19th July 10am

Fri, 20th July 10am

Sat, 21st July 6pm

Sun, 22nd July 9am

12 noon

Frank Bohan (Anniv) & all deceased members of the Bohan family

Maura Mulhall (Anniv) & remembering her husband Michael (Birthday Remembrance)

Cecelia & Mike Clancy, Killaloe (Anniv)

Eucharistic Adoration 10.30-11.30am; 6-8pm

Church of the Nativity, Newtown

Sun, 15th July 10.30am

Wed, 18th July 11am-1pm

Sun, 22nd July 10.30am

Joseph "Joe" & Mary "Mollie" O'Donoghue (Anniv)

Eucharistic Adoration

Lena Downey (M.M.)

Julie Lynam (Anniv)

Kilcock & Newtown Parish Development Fund: 8th July 2018: €1,105.00; Offertory Collection for 8th July 2018: €895.00. Thanks to all who contributed, collected and counted. **Kilcock & Newtown Benevolent Fund:** A/C 4475: Kilcock Credit Union. All donations welcome!