

KILCOCK & NEWTOWN PARISH BULLETIN

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – 20th JANUARY 2019

Responsorial Psalm “Proclaim the wonders of the Lord among all the people.”

PARISH DIARY

We welcome everyone to our Do This in Memory masses in Kilcock & Newtown this weekend.

Healing Mass in Newtown on Sat. 19th January at 2pm.

Readers for next weekend – Sat 6pm – Michael Murphy, 9am Sun – Margaret Simms & 12 noon – Rita Crampton.

Eucharistic Ministers for next weekend – Helen Noonan, Breda Hopkins & Tom O’Doherty - 6pm Sat; Margaret Macken & Dymrna Deegan - 9am Sun & Christine Eloji, Patricia Mitchell & Patsai Uí Chatáin - 12 noon.

COME AND SEE

As we begin another new year, we look ahead towards the coming years with a plan of how we might move forward as a community of faith. With this in mind, we would love you to join together for a presentation and consultation at St. Coca’s Church on Saturday evening, 19th January, after our vigil mass or on the following Thursday evening, 24th January, at 7.30pm, also at St. Coca’s.

IN MEMORIAM

We remember in our prayers Richard “Dick” Daly (RIP), brother of the late Jim, Cappagh, whose funeral took place last week in Chicago. May he rest in peace.

Take chances, make mistakes. That’s how you grow. Pain nourishes your courage. You have to fail in order to practice being brave.

*Life is a gift to be used every day,
not to be smothered and hidden away;
It isn’t a thing to be stored in the chest
where you gather your keepsakes and treasure your best;
it isn’t a joy to be sipped now and then
and promptly put back in a dark place again.
Life is a gift that the humblest may boast of
And one that the humblest may well make the most of,
Get out and live it each hour of the day,
wear it and use it as much as you may;
don’t keep it in niches and corners and grooves,
you’ll find that in service its beauty improves.*

LETTING GO

To let go does not mean to stop caring,
it means I can’t do it for someone else.

To let go is not to cut myself off,
it’s the realization I can’t control another.

To let go is not to enable,
but to allow learning from natural consequences.

To let go is to admit powerlessness,
which means the outcome is not in my hands.
To let go is not to try to change or blame another,
it’s to make the most of myself.

To let go is not to care for, but to care about.

To let go is not to fix, but to be supportive.

To let go is not to judge,
but to allow another to be a human being.

To let go is not to be in the middle arranging all the outcomes,
but to allow others to affect their destinies.

To let go is not to be protective,
it’s to permit another to face reality.

To let go is not to deny but to accept.

To let go is not to nag, scold or argue, but instead
to search out my own shortcomings and correct them.

To let go is not to adjust everything to my desires,
but to take each day as it comes and cherish myself in it.

To let go is not to criticise or regulate anybody
but to try to become what I dream I can be.

To let go is not to regret the past,
but to grow and live for the future.

To let go is to fear less and love more.

WHAT IS SUCCESS?

It’s doing you work the best you can;
and being just to your fellow man;
it’s making money, but holding friends,
and staying true to your aims and ends;
it’s figuring how and learning why,
and looking forward and thinking high.
And dreaming little and doing much,
it’s keeping always in closest touch
with what is finest in word and deed;
it’s being thorough, yet making speed
it’s daring blithely the field of chance
while making labour a brace romance;
it’s going onward despite defeat,
and fighting staunchly but keeping sweet;
it’s being clean and it’s fighting fair
it’s laughing lightly at Dame Despair;
it’s looking up at the stars above,
and drinking deeply of life and love,
it’s struggling on with the will to win,
but taking loss with a cheerful grin;
it’s sharing sorrow and work and mirth,
and making better this good old earth,
it’s doing your noblest – that’s Success.

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Mon: 10-12 noon; Tue: 9am-2pm; Wed-Fri: 10-1pm
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PARISH LOTTO – Tue, 15th Jan 2019

Lotto Nos. 5 – 14 – 20 – 28

NO Winner

Next Jackpot: €18,000

3 x €50 Winners: Mick Higgins, Kelly Maher, Betty & Ross Lynch

Promoters (2 x €50): Liz Byrne, Bertha Murphy

In Hall: (2 x €25): Patti Harrison, Darren Baldwin

Thank you for your continued support. Yearly/half-yearly lotto tickets make an ideal gift for any occasion. Lotto now available on-line!

CAPPAGH G.F.C. – Tue, 15th Jan 2019

Lotto Nos. 13 – 21 – 33

No Winner Next Jackpot: €1,200

€20 Winners x 5: Zach Thompson, Wayne Butler, Lorna Gannon, Regina Gorman & Kevin Murray.

Thank you for your continued support - Lotto now available on-line!

KILCOCK GAA – Sun, 13th Jan 2019

Lotto Nos. 8 – 10 – 16 – 28

NO Winner Next Jackpot: €10,400

€50 Winners x 5: Grainne Kinnane, Stacey McLaughlin, Roy Walsh, Fergal O'Brien, Noel Murphy.

Promoters: Pat Linnane & John Ryan.

Thank you for your continued support.

*School Enrolment for St. Jospeh's and Scoil Choca Naofa is now taking place. As we have shared enrolment, please enroll your child in either school before **15 Feb 2019**. Use the standard **Shared Enrolment Forms** (available in both School Offices & on School Websites). Places will be offered by end February.*

***Spina Bifida Hydrocephalus Ireland, Kildare Branch** are holding their annual Church Gate Collection at all masses this weekend. Your support would be greatly appreciated.*

***Parkrun** is a community-based, free, weekly, timed, 5km walk/run for people of all ages and abilities. Parkrun takes place every Sat. at 9.30am in over 100 locations throughout Ireland. Parkrun will be starting soon in Kilcock and we are looking for volunteers for our core team to get it up and running. Please text 083 8815466 for further details or go to www.parkrun.ie.*

***Painting classes** are resuming in Kilcock Library from Tue, 15th Jan from 2pm-4pm.*

***ITEC-qualified Massage Therapist**, every Tuesday at 6, Church St. (YoGrá Yoga Studio). Treatments include Reflexology, Holistic, Sports/Deep tissue, Indian Head Massage & Pregnancy massage. Contact Grainne on 086 8708791 or email gracemassagetherapy@hotmail.com.*

***Irish Grinds** – Leaving & Junior Certificate tuition available – one-to-one or group. Prices vary depending on examination. For further information. contact Aidan Faughey on 087 2471721.*

***Art Classes (Old School Hall, Donadea)** will return on Mon, Jan 28th from 10.30am-12.30pm & Wed, 30th Jan from 7-9pm over 5 weeks. We will explore different mediums (Acrylics, Watercolour, Oils, Charcoal & pencil sketching). For more details, 085 8466020 or 045 869883.*

MASSES FOR WEEK

St. Coca's, Kilcock

Sat, 19 th Jan	6pm	<i>Do This in Memory (Scoil Choca Naofa leading)</i> James Mullally (20 th Anniv)	
Sun, 20 th Jan	9am	Dinah, Betsy & Johnny Doran, Church St. (Remembrance) Dixon Family, Mill Commons (Remembrance) Thomas "Toddy" & Laurie Yallop, Hortland (Anniv)	
	12 noon	Rosie Cummins, Gragadder (Anniv)	
Mon, 21 st Jan	10am	Shared Mass for the Living	<i>Eucharistic Adoration 10.30-11.30am; 6-8pm</i>
Tue, 22 nd Jan	10am	Shared Mass for the Deceased	
Wed, 23 rd Jan	10am	Thomas & Ann Lynch (Anniv) & remembering all deceased family members	
Thu, 24 th Jan	10am		
Fri, 25 th Jan	10am		
Sat, 26 th Jan	6pm	Thomas Walsh, Cloncurry (Anniv) & remembering his parents, relatives and friends Liam Byrne, Ballybrack (Anniv) Maura Gibbons (Anniv) & remembering her son Freddie & all deceased members of the Gibbons family Pat Kenny (Anniv) Bridget Keoghan (Anniv) Elizabeth McDonnell, Courtown Road (46 th Anniv) & remembering her husband Pat George & Margaret Bright, Courtown Road (Anniv)	
Sun, 27 th Jan	9am	Denis Mulhall, his wife Kathleen & brother Paddy (Anniv) John Ryan (Anniv)	
	12 noon	Susan Gilligan, Connaught St. (Anniv)	

Church of the Nativity, Newtown

Sun, 20 th Jan	10.30am	<i>Do This In Memory (Tiermoghán leading)</i>
Wed, 23 rd Jan	11-12noon	<i>Eucharistic Adoration</i>
Sun, 27 th Jan	10.30am	Beattie Nealon, Corcoranstown (M.M.) Ann Pettit (1 st Anniv) John Grogan, Hortland (Anniv) & remembering his daughter Kathleen Mark O'Brien (Anniv) Peter Halligan (Birthday Remembrance) & remembering his brother Tom & Ciss & Bob Needham; also Pat Garry (Anniv) Annie, Tom, Brendan, Thomas, Thomas Jnr. & Bernie Geraghty, Cloncurry (Anniv) Marie & James Harris (Anniv) & deceased members of the Harris & Morrin families John & Marie Ennis (Anniv) & remembering their son Bernard & his wife Carol

Kilcock & Newtown Parish Development Fund: 13th Jan 2019: €1,367.00; Offertory Collection: €1,020.00. Thanks to all who contributed, collected and counted. **Kilcock & Newtown Benevolent Fund:** A/C 4475: Kilcock Credit Union. All donations welcome!