

# KILCOCK & NEWTOWN PARISH BULLETIN

## FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – 10<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY 2019

Responsorial Psalm “Before the angels I will bless you, O Lord.”

### PARISH DIARY

Do you know that you can set up a direct debit and contribute to Kilcock & Newtown Development A/C? Call to the Parish Office or ring 01 6287406 for details. As always, thank you!

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

**Eucharistic Ministers for next weekend** – Aisling Bracken, Pamela Cribbin & Pat Richardson - 6pm Sat; Margaret Macken & Dympna Deegan - 9am Sun & Christine Eloji, Patricia Mitchell & Patsai Uí Chathain - 12 noon.

### IN MEMORIAM

We remember in our prayers Bernie Flattery, nee Canning, (RIP), Courtown Park, whose funeral mass will take place at 12noon in St. Coca's on Sun, 10<sup>th</sup> Feb with burial afterwards to Coole Cemetery. We also ask prayers for John Balfe (RIP), father of Brendan, Courtown Park and Michael Geraghty (RIP), brother of Eithne Minogue, both of whom died recently. May they rest in peace.

### POSITIONS AVAILABLE

**Shalom Nursing Home, Presentation Convent, Kilcock** are looking to fill the position of Staff Nurse ( Experience of care of Elder Person an advantage). Application and CV to Marie Duke, Director of Nursing or email [shalomrgn@gmail.com](mailto:shalomrgn@gmail.com) or ring 01 6287285.

**Shalom NH** are also looking to fill the position of Receptionist (Evening & Weekend). Application and CV to Edith Nsbuga, [Reception@shalomnh.ie](mailto:Reception@shalomnh.ie) or ring 01 6287285.

*Would you like to fill in a survey, located at back of church, re: public transport in Kilcock and surrounding areas? The drop off points are on the back page of survey, drop off boxes will be in place from Mon, 11<sup>th</sup> Feb. Thank you for your support and thank you to all local businesses also.*

### VOLUNTEERS WANTED

Newbridge and Kildare Samaritans are recruiting new volunteers. If you live in Co. Kildare or surrounding counties and are interested in volunteering with the Samaritans, please come along to one of our upcoming information nights for prospective volunteers. The dates are Wed, 20<sup>th</sup> and Thu, 21<sup>st</sup> Feb at 7.30pm in 3, McElwain Terrace, Newbridge. For further information, please phone 086 0855785 or email [samaritansrecruitment@gmail.com](mailto:samaritansrecruitment@gmail.com).

Fr. John  
01 6287448

Fr. George  
01 6103512

### COME AND SEE

We would love you to join together for a presentation on the plans for the coming years in Newtown Church at 8pm on Thu. 21<sup>st</sup> Feb.

### BLESSED JOHN SULLIVAN SJ

The annual Thanksgiving Mass for the Beatification of Blessed John Sullivan SJ will be celebrated in the Church of St. Francis Xavier, Gardiner Street, Dublin 1 on

*Saturday, 16<sup>th</sup> February at 11am*

Principal Celebrant and Homilist will be Archbishop Diarmuid Martin. Archbishop Michael Jackson will represent the Church of Ireland. All welcome.

*Believe in yourself! Believe you were made  
to do any task without calling for aid.  
Believe, without growing too scornfully proud,  
that you, as the greatest and least are endowed.  
A mind to do thinking, two hands and two eyes  
are all the equipment God gives to the wise.  
Believe in yourself! You are divinely designed  
and perfectly made for the work of mankind.  
This truth you must cling to through danger and pain;  
the heights others have reached you can also attain.  
Believe to the very last hour, for it's true,  
That whatever you will, you've been gifted to do.  
Believe in yourself and step out unafraid.  
By misgivings and doubt be not easily swayed.  
You've the right to succeed; the precision of skill  
Which betokens the great you can earn if you will!  
The wisdom of the ages is yours if you'll read.  
But you've got to believe in yourself to succeed!*

Edgar A. Guest

### ENROLMENT FOR SCHOOLS

**St. Joseph'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.

**Application forms** for enrolment in **Tiermohan National School** for September 2019 are now available from the school office. Completed forms should be returned to the school by Mon, 11<sup>th</sup> Feb., original birth cert and baptismal cert (if applicable) are also required. For further enquiries, ph. 045 869442.

Parish Office:  
Office Hours:  
Parish Shop:

01 6287406; [info@kilcockandnewtownparish.ie](mailto:info@kilcockandnewtownparish.ie)  
Mon: 10-12 noon; Tue: 9am-2pm; Wed-Fri: 10-1pm  
Mon-Fri: 10.30am-12.30pm - 01 6287499

## **PARISH LOTTO – Tue, 5<sup>th</sup> Feb 2019**

Lotto Nos. 3 – 4 – 10 – 14

**NO Winner**                      **Next Jackpot: €18,000**

**3 x €50 Winners:** Barry Devine, TJ & Brid Dalton & Ann Cardiff.

**Promoters (2 x €50):** NJ Flood & Dympna Gorry.

**In Hall: (2 x €25):** Carmel Hannafin & Martina Gannon.

*Thank you for your continued support.*

*Yearly/half-yearly lotto tickets make an ideal gift for any occasion.*

*Lotto available on-line!*

## **CAPPAGH G.F.C. – Tue, 5<sup>th</sup> Feb 2019**

Lotto Nos. 5 – 6 – 29

**No Winner**    **Next Jackpot: €1,500**

**€20 Winners x 5:** Mary Mullally, Dee Lambert, Austin Grogan, Nora Joyce Flood & Cherry Condron.

*Thank you for your continued support.*

*Lotto now available on-line!*

## **KILCOCK GAA – Sun, 3<sup>rd</sup> Feb 2019**

Lotto Nos. 6 – 13 – 20 – 21

**NO Winner**    **Next Jackpot: €10,700**

**€50 Winners x 5:** John Doyle, P&A Grogan, Brigid & John, Eoghan Shields, Lucey Doolan.

**Promoters:** John McGrath & Jim Leonard.

*Thank you for your continued support.*

*Valentine's T-Dance* will be held in St. Coca's Scout Hall on Sun, 10<sup>th</sup> Feb. at 3pm. Join us for great dancing and music. Adm. is €5 incl. refreshments. All welcome.

**NB: NOTE CHANGE OF VENUE: Senior Citizens Valentine Party** will be held in St. Coca's Scout Hall on Wed, 13<sup>th</sup> Feb. commencing with mass at 7.30pm. A most enjoyable evening is promised with great music. Everyone welcome.

**Super Bingo in Summerhill Community Centre** at 3pm on Sun, 10<sup>th</sup> Feb. Prize money of €3,500 on the day. Jackpot of €1,000 must be won on the day. Raffle on the day also. All welcome.

**Tidy Towns – Waste & Recycling** – A talk will be given by Dara Wyer, Kildare Co. Co. in Maynooth Library on Thu, 14<sup>th</sup> Feb on sorting out your refuse, recycling and (if you have one) food waste bin. Learn how to do the right thing when sorting out your waste at home or work. Booking required – ph. 01 6285530.

**Volunteers needed** – can you collect unsold food from a store in Kilcock and deliver to charities in Summerhill OR Cloncurry Cross just one day a week? If you can, please ring 087 7924871 to learn more. Thank you in advance.

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

**Charity Designer Dig** – Ladies clothes, footwear, handbags & accessories, sold at massive discounts, in aid of Barretstown, at Glenroyal Hotel on Fri, 15<sup>th</sup> Feb 7-10pm & Sat, 16<sup>th</sup> 10am-4pm.

**FREE 5-week** basic iPhone, iPad, Tablet and Smartphone class commencing shortly in Kilcock Library. Enquiries to Library or call Angela on 046 9280790 to book a place.

**Alzheimer Café Leixlip – Wed, 13<sup>th</sup> Feb 7pm-9pm.** Join us in the "Conservatory", Ryevale Nursing Home Leixlip. The café will continue to run on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of every month for 2019. Attendance is free of charge and there is plenty of parking available. [www.alzheimercafeleixlip.ie](http://www.alzheimercafeleixlip.ie) or phone 087 7418512.

## **MASSES FOR WEEK**

### **St. Coca's, Kilcock**

Sat, 9 <sup>th</sup> Feb	6pm	Fr. PJ Byrne, former P.P. (3 <sup>rd</sup> Anniv) Joseph Langtry, Courtown Road (Anniv)	
Sun, 10 <sup>th</sup> Feb	9am	PJ Nolan, Belgard (2 <sup>nd</sup> Anniv) Hannah Walsh, Gragadder (9 <sup>th</sup> Anniv) Patrick O'Brien, formerly Mill Lane (Anniv) & remembering his parents Marion Byrne, The Courtyard (Anniv)	
Mon, 11 <sup>th</sup> Feb	10am	Shared Mass for the Living	<i>Eucharistic Adoration 10.30-11.30am; 6-8pm</i>
Tue, 12 <sup>th</sup> Feb	10am	Shared Mass for the Deceased	
Wed, 13 <sup>th</sup> Feb	10am		
Thu, 14 <sup>th</sup> Feb	10am	Special Intention	
Fri, 15 <sup>th</sup> Feb	10am		
Sat, 16 <sup>th</sup> Feb	6pm	Aidan Byrne, Mill Lane (6 <sup>th</sup> Anniv) & remembering his dad Terry (Anniv) Rosie O'Connor, Highfield Park (Anniv) Tim & Susan Hanrahan, & their sons Tom & Michael (Anniv) Carmel Halligan (Anniv) & remembering Christy Halligan Patrick Nugent & his son Patrick "Watt" Nugent (Anniv) Henry Conlon (Anniv)	
Sun, 17 <sup>th</sup> Feb	9am	Kate Healy (Anniv) & deceased members of the Healy family Kathleen Cahill (Anniv) & deceased members of the Cahill family	
	12 noon	Betty Lynam, Highfield Park (30 <sup>th</sup> Anniv); remembering her grandchildren Aishling & Sean & also remembering Seamus O'Toole, The Maguire Family, John Curran & Johnny Pearse (18 <sup>th</sup> Anniv)	

### **Church of the Nativity, Newtown**

Sun, 10 <sup>th</sup> Feb	10.30am	Joe Harris (M.M.)
Wed, 13 <sup>th</sup> Fe	11-12noon	<i>Eucharistic Adoration</i>
Sun, 17 <sup>th</sup> Feb	10.30am	

**Kilcock & Newtown Parish Development Fund:** 3<sup>rd</sup> Feb 2019: €1,426.00; Offertory Collection: €892.00. Thanks to all who contributed, collected and counted. **Kilcock & Newtown Benevolent Fund:** A/C 4475: Kilcock Credit Union. All donations welcome!