

KILCOCK & NEWTOWN PARISH BULLETIN

33rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – 17th NOVEMBER 2019

(Mass Bk C; Part 2, page 97) **Responsorial Psalm** “The Lord comes to rule the peoples with fairness.”

PARISH DIARY

Do This in Memory mass in St. Coca's Church on Saturday, 16th Nov. at 6pm with St. Joseph's leading and in Newtown on Sunday, 17th Nov. at 10.30am with Newtown leading.

Confirmation enrolment will take place at 12 noon mass on Sunday, 17th Nov. in St. Coca's Church.

Presentation Day is Thursday, 21st Nov. Scoil Choca Naofa will join us for 10am Mass.

Healing Mass on Saturday, 23rd Nov. in Newtown at 2pm.

On Tuesday, 26th Nov. we will welcome the Men's Shed Choir to our 10am Mass as we remember the deceased members of the Men's Shed and their loved ones who have gone before us. All welcome.

Readers for next weekend – Sat 6pm – Patsaí Uí Chatháin, 9am Sun – Declan Duke & 12 noon – John Cullen.

Eucharistic Ministers for next weekend – Carmel Cahill, Theresa Cahill & Michael Murphy - 6pm Sat; Helen Noonan, Cora Walsh & John Wynne 9am Sun; Mary Forde & Jean Rickard - 12 noon Sun.

CEATHRAR LAOCHRA GAEL Ó CHILL CHOCA 1919

A reminder not to forget the celebration of Kildare's 1919 All-Ireland victory and Kilcock Club honouring the four players who represented the club in this famous victory.

The players were James “Ginger” Moran, Christopher “Kit” Flynn, Joe O'Connor and George Magan. Relatives and friends will attend and it is expected they will bring along medals and other memorabilia of that time.

A talk will be given on the All-Ireland campaign along with pen pictures of these players.

Don't forget Thursday, 21st November at 8pm in the GAA Clubhouse.

NOTE – CHANGE OF DATE: Annual Remembrance mass on Thursday 28th Nov. at 7.30pm in St. Coca's Church. All welcome.

IN NOVEMBER WE REMEMBER IN ST. COCA'S

Write your loved ones name who has passed and place on our Remembrance tree or in our Remembrance Book.

All will be remembered in our Masses in November.

Also, our Parish List of the Dead is available at the back of the Church.

“Gone, but not forgotten.”

IN NOVEMBER, WE REMEMBER

How the seasons change,
how certain is it that Summer gives way to Autumn,
and the falling of the leaves and the passing of so many things, and the tears of one who grieves.

Yet Winter gives way to Spring,
new hope and life after suffering.

Lord, so it is and as certain too
the promise of new life in you after life's woes and pains.

For our loved ones gone,
no more strains and sufferings now.

Beyond life's struggle,
there awaits the joy of your embrace.

Thank you Lord.

AMEN

ADVENT REFLECTIONS 2019

The reflections will begin on Tuesday, 26th November at 8pm. They will take place in room behind Parish Office. They will continue each Tuesday at 8pm up to and including December 17th. ALL ARE WELCOME.

I leave my thoughts, my laughter, my dreams to you
whom I have treasured beyond gold,

I give you what no thief can steal.

The memories of our times together, the tender love-filled memories, successes we have shared, the times that brought us closer together and the road that we have walked side-by-side.

Whenever you are in need, call me, I will come to you.

All I take with me as I leave is your love and the millions of memories of all that we have shared.

Fear not, or grieve not, our departure,

You whom I have loved so much,

for my roots and yours are forever entwined.

As they say, death leaves a heartache no one can heal

But love leaves a memory no one can steal.

God bless you all.

If your road is ever difficult, if rivers seem too wide,
If hills are insurmountable, I'm right here by your side;

To help you through life's journey,
sharing burdens on the way,

I promise I'll do all I can to brighten up your day.

So never feel you're on your own, that simply isn't true,
Remember – if you need me, I'll be standing next to you!

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PARISH LOTTO – Tue, 12th Nov. 2019

Lotto Nos. 5 – 12 – 15 – 30

NO Winner

Next Jackpot: €18,000

3 x €50 Winners: Marie, Lisa, Ber & Gary, Catherine Leonard & Mairead Dunne.

Promoters (2 x €50): Pauline Grogan, Jimmy Reid.

In Hall: (2 x €25): Martina Gannon, Ber Curran.

Thank you for your continued support.

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

CAPPAGH G.F.C. – Tue, 12th Nov. 2019

Lotto Nos. 9 – 15 – 36

NO Winner

Next Jackpot: €700

5 x €20 Winners: Mairead Gormley, Tom Flanagan, Rita Walsh, Jimmy McGerathy, Sloane Family.

Thank you for your continued support.

People will forget what you said.

People will forget what you did,

but they will never forget how you made them feel!

Kilcock Tidy Towns – The Annual General Meeting of Kilcock Tidy Towns will be held in St. Coca's Scout Hall on Friday, 29th November at 8pm. Everyone welcome. "It's easy to make a difference."

Vincent De Paul Shop Kilcock – all donations of bric-a-brac, clothes, curtains etc. are gratefully appreciated. Huge Christmas event starts on Thursday, 21st Nov at 10am.

Happy Steps – we are taking on new recruits!!! Qualified Early Years Practitioner's required. Morning and full-time hours available. Phone Felicity on 01 6519980.

Carers needed in all areas of Kildare. Pay €13-€15 per hour. Must have QQI Care of the Elderly & Care Skills completed, also must be a driver. For more information, call Lorraine on 087 9954567 or email lorraine.weldon@connected.health.ie. We have fully qualified, experienced and Garda-vetted carers and offer help with personal care, companionship, light housework and cooking to enable you or your loved one to remain living independently at home.

Art classes in Staplestown (Old School Hall), Donadea have recommenced on Mondays from 10.30am-1pm & Wednesday's from 7-9.30pm. For further info. call 085 8466020 or 045 869883.

Parish Shop – Christmas stock now in. Lots of Christmas cards, mass bouquets, candles, gift sets and lots more available. Open Mon- Fri, 10.30am – 12.30pm.

MASSSES FOR WEEK

St. Coca's, Kilcock

Sat, 16 th Nov	6pm	Do This in Memory Mass (St. Joseph's leading)
Sun, 17 th Nov	9am	Maureen Mulligan, Spin Bridge (3 rd Anniv) & remembering Dermot, Margaret & Patrick Patrick O'Brien, Boycetown (10 th Anniv)
		Nicholas Brady, Church St. (Anniv) & remembering his wife Martha, son Nicky and sisters Nan & Julia
		Thomas "Toddy" Yallop, Hortland (Anniv) & remembering all deceased family members
	12 noon	Confirmation Enrolment Mass
		Maurice Duff, Pitchfordstown (Anniv)
		Bridget "Babs" Sullivan, Courtown Road (Anniv)
Mon, 18 th Nov	10am	Shared Mass for the Living <i>Adoration in the Sacristy 5.45pm – 7.45pm</i>
Tue, 19 th Nov	10am	Shared Mass for the Deceased
Wed, 20 th Nov	10am	Dessie & Alice O'Brien, Branganstown (Anniv)
Thu, 21 st Nov	10am	Parish List of the Dead
Fri, 22 nd Nov	10am	Parish List of the Dead
Sat, 23 rd Nov	6pm	Jimmy & Fran Bright, Highfield Park (3 rd Anniv)
		Michaela Logan, Highfield Park (12 th Anniv)
		Neville Bird, late of Main St. (Anniv) & remembering his parents and brothers
		Ellen Horan (Anniv)
		Joe McArdle, Courtown Road (Anniv) & remembering his parents James & Mary
		Hugh & Mary Ellen Ennis (Anniv) & remembering their son Brendan
Sun, 24 th Nov	9am	Parish List of the Dead
	12 noon	Michael Mulhall, Duncreevan (Annis) & Maura Mulhall (Birthday Remembrance)
		Felix Doherty (Anniv)
		Michael & Margaret Lavin (12 th Anniv) & remembering all deceased family members

Church of the Nativity, Newtown

Sun, 17 th Nov	10.30am	Do This in Memory Mass (Newtown leading)
		Bob Wrenn (M.M.)
		Kathleen Gannon, Ballycahan (3 rd Anniv)
		James, Louisa, Seamus & Mary O'Brien (Anniv)
Wed, 20 th Nov	11-12noon	Eucharistic Adoration
Sun, 24 th Nov	10.30am	Joseph Sheridan (Anniv)
		Paul & Rita Walsh (Anniv)

Kilcock & Newtown Parish Development Fund: 10th Nov. 2019: €1,455.00; Offertory Collection: €930.00. Thanks to all who contributed, collected and counted. **Kilcock & Newtown Benevolent Fund:** A/C 4475: Kilcock Credit Union. All donations welcome!