

KILCOCK AND NEWTOWN PARISH BULLETIN

26th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - 27th SEPT. 2020

A BLESSING

*May you never allow words to take the place of deeds.
May the God, who has called us to eternal glory in Christ, strengthen and support you with his grace.
And may the peace of Christ reign in your minds and in your hearts.*

PARISH DIARY

Church Opening Times: 9.30am – 6pm Weekdays
9.30am – 7pm Saturday
8.30am – 6pm Sunday

Mass in St. Coca's - Sat Eve Vigil – 6pm; Sun 9am; 10.30am and 12 noon. **Mass in Church of Nativity, Newtown** - Sun 10.30am.

Readers for this weekend – Sat 6pm – Patricia Mitchell, 9am Sun – Dermot Sheehan, 10.30am Ray Manning & 12 noon – Derek McSweeney.

Eucharistic Ministers for this weekend – Sat 6pm – Breda Hopkins & Tom O'Doherty; Sun 9am – Dymrna Deegan & John Wynne, 10.30am – Patricia Mitchell & Cora Walsh; 12 noon – Claire Dunne & Jean Rickard.

IN MEMORIAM

We remember in our prayers Patrick Bourke (RIP), Knocknatulla, whose funeral took place on Friday. We also ask prayers for Maeve O'Dea (RIP), Parke House/Palmerstown who died during the week. May they rest in peace.

LIVING WELL

Living Well is a free group on-line Self-Management programme for adults with long term health conditions. For more info, please contact Ciara on 087 4088325 or send email to: SelfManagementSupportSECH@hse.ie.

KILCOCK & NEWTOWN PARISH LOTTO

Our Lotto continues every Tuesday evening. Tickets are €2 each. Draw takes place in the Parish Office at the back of St. Coca's Church **at the new time of 8pm**. Please have your tickets back by no later than 7.30pm on the Tuesday. Due to COVID-19, please place your tickets in the post-box at Parish Office where they will be collected. There will be no in-hall due to COVID restrictions.

Thank you for your ongoing support. If you're not in, you can't win!!

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

We have the freedom to say "yes" or "no" to God. Sometimes we abuse our freedom, but God in his goodness calls us to repentance. Let us call to mind our sins, and ask God to give us the grace of true repentance.

Lord Jesus, you guide the humble in the right path. Lord, have mercy.

You show the path to those who stray. Christ, have mercy.

You seek out and save the lost. Lord, have mercy.

Two words that we use very frequently are the words 'yes' and 'no'.

In general 'yes' and 'no' are morning words. However, as the day passes, we can be moved to turn a morning 'no' into an evening 'yes'.

But the earlier we do this, the better, because the night is coming when no one can work. Lord, grant that the night may not come upon us with our work undone and our promises unkept.

1st YEAR ENROLMENT SCOIL DARA

Scoil Dara wish to advise parents/guardians that the **Open Evening** will not take place this year due to Covid 19. Enrolment packs for First Years for September 2021 will be available from Scoil Dara on Fri, 2nd Oct. 2020 from 2pm to 4.30pm.

There are those to look at things the way they are, and ask why?

I dream of things that never were and ask why not?

COVID-19 SUPPORT LINE FOR OLDER PEOPLE

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

PARISH LOTTO – Tue, 22nd Sep. 2020

Lotto Nos. 6 – 11 – 14 – 21

NO Winner

Next Jackpot: €10,900

(3x€50) Winners: TJ & Brid Dalton, Kevin Leonard, Michael Harris.

Promoters (2x€50): Jimmy Reid & Danny Mulligan.

Thank you for your continued support.

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

KILCOCK GAA – Sun, 6th Sept. 2020

Lotto Nos. 4 – 5 – 28 – 32

NO Winner

Next Jackpot: €17,100

(5x€25) Winners: Jackie Muldoon, Brendan Macken Jnr. Pat King, Ron Maher, Leigh Grey.

Promoters Prizes: John Buggy & Ailish Brady.

Thank you for your continued support.

Life is an echo.

What you send out, comes back.

What you sow, you reap.

What you give, you get.

What you see in others, exists in you.

CAPPAGH G.F.C. – Tue, 22nd Sept. 2020

Lotto Nos. 6 – 7 – 14

NO Winner

Next Jackpot: €3,200

(5x€20) Winners: Phylis Bambury, Kevin & Alan Duff, Feena Farrell, Una Gannon & Declan Cullen.

Thank you for your continued support.

Affordable Live-in Homecare provides live-in carers for the elderly in your area. If you are looking for a live-in carer for your relative, please call Eileen or Tom on 087 9916791 or 087 7440729 or go to www.alhomecare.ie.

*I will love the sun for it warms my bones;
Yet I will love the rain for it cleanses my spirit.
I will love the light for it shows me the way;
Yet I will love the darkness for it shows me the stars.
I will welcome happiness for it enlarges my heart;
Yet I will endure sadness for it opens my soul.
I will acknowledge rewards for they are my due;
Yet I will welcome obstacles for they are my challenge.*

Randy Morgenson

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

St. Coca's, Kilcock

Sat, 26 th Sep	6pm	Michael Reilly, Harris Hill (2 nd Anniv) Marie Ward, nee Doyle, late of Courtown Road (4 th Anniv) Patrick Roche, late of Killick/Old Bog Road (50 th Anniv)
Sun, 27 th Sep	9am	
	10.30am	Tadgh Downey (Anniv)
	12 noon	Gary Byrne, Spin Bridge (M.M. Croiadh Carton, Brayton Park (10 th Anniv) Thomas & Nan Elliot (Anniv) & remembering their sons Noel & Dessie Cathal & Mary Daly (Anniv) BJ Hickey, Abbeyfield (Anniv)
Mon, 21 st Sep	10am	Shared Mass for the Living
Tue, 22 nd Sep	10am	Shared Mass for the Deceased
Wed, 23 rd Sep	10am	
Thu, 24 th Sep	10am	
Fri, 25 th Sep	10am	
Sat, 26 th Sep	6pm	Paddy O'Connor, Courtown Road (3 rd Anniv) Ciara O'Brien, Branganstown (5 th Anniv) Matthew & Mary Lynch, The Crosskeys (Anniv)
Sun, 27 th Sep	9am	First Holy Communion - Scoil Uí Riada
	10.30am	First Holy Communion - Scoil Uí Riada
	12 noon	First Holy Communion - Scoil Uí Riada

Adoration – after mass till 11.30am

Church of the Nativity, Newtown

Sun, 27 th Sep	10.30am	Peggy (25 th Anniv) & Martina O'Loughlin & remembering all deceased family members
Wed, 23 rd Sep	11-12 noon	Eucharistic Adoration
Sun, 27 th Sep	10.30am	Bob & Frances Regan (Anniv) & remembering all deceased members of the Regan family Nora Keating (Anniv) & remembering all deceased members of the Keating family Bridget McKeogh & Edward Lynam & remembering her son Tommy (Anniv)

Kilcock & Newtown Parish Development Fund: 20th Sep. 2020: €1,265.00; Offertory Collection: €755.00. Thanks to all who contributed, collected and counted. **Kilcock & Newtown Benevolent Fund:** A/C 4475: Kilcock Credit Union. All donations welcome!