

KILCOCK & NEWTOWN PARISH BULLETIN

29th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – 22nd OCT. 2023

PARISH DIARY

Sunday, 22nd Oct. is Mission Sunday. Please use envelope in your development box or the special white envelope located at the back of the Church.

Legion of Mary will be holding a Patrician (discussion) meeting on October 27th. The topic for discussion is 'Rosary and Fatima' It will be held in the meeting room of the parish office at 7.30 pm. All welcome.

Readers for this weekend: Sat 6pm – Philomena Obasi; Sun 9am – Dermot Sheehan & 12 noon – Willie Hughes

Eucharistic Ministers for this weekend - Sat 6pm Breda Hopkins & Tom Doherty; Sun 9am – Cora Walsh & Dymrna Deegan & 12 noon – Jean Rickard & Claire Dunne.

Eucharistic Ministers for next weekend – Sat 6pm Joe Macfadden & Michael Minogue; Sun 9am Margaret Macken & Dermot Sheehan; 12 noon – Claire Dunne & Mary Forde.

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Jesus says, 'Give to Caesar what belongs to Caesar, and to God what belongs to God' We give something to God that we wouldn't give to any earthly ruler. That thing is worship. It is precisely to worship God that we are gathered here. Let us reflect for a moment on the place God has on our lives. Even though God is all-powerful, he exercises his power by showing mercy to sinners.

Lord Jesus, you are kind and full of compassion.

Lord, have mercy.

You are slow to anger, abounding in Love.

Christ, have mercy.

You are faithful in all your words, and loving in all your deeds.

Lord, have mercy.

We can't separate our faith from our actions,

Or our belief from our occupations.

We can't spread our hours before us, saying,

'This is for God and this is for myself;

This is for my soul and this is for my body.'

Our daily life is our temple.

Lord, help us to live in such way that we may be good servants of the state but your servants first.

IN MEMORIAM

We remember in our prayers Kathleen Maher nee Kehoe, Newtown and Wexford who has died this week RIP.

This month, you are continually filled with the knowledge of God's will through all the wisdom and understanding that the Spirit gives, so that you may live a life worthy of the Lord and please him in every way: bearing fruit in every good work, growing in the knowledge of God. Colossians 1:9-10

WORDS OF THANKS

Thank you to all the Communion children who enrolled at last weekend's masses. We welcome all the children for enrolment of Confirmation at this weekend's masses. We would also like to thank the parents who have volunteered in helping the children on their journey in making these sacraments. If any more parents would like to volunteer their time in helping please contact the parish office on 016287406.

SACRAMENTS 2023/2024

Enrolment

Oct. 21st @ 6pm for Confirmation Children from Scoil Choca Naofa, St. Josephs & Scoil Uí Riada
Oct. 22nd @ 10.30am Mass for Confirmation Children from Newtown & Tiermohan

Confirmation Ceremonies

9th March @ 10am – Scoil Choca Naofa & St. Joseph's
@ 12 noon – Newtown & Tiermohan
@ 2pm Scoil Uí Riada

Communion Ceremonies

May 12th @ 10.30am Mass - Tiermohan
May 19th @ 9am Mass - St. Joseph's
@ 10.30am Mass - Newtown
@ 12 noon Mass - Scoil Choca Naofa
May 26th @ 12 noon Mass - Scoil Uí Riada

IN NOVEMBER, WE REMEMBER

Parish List of the Dead and envelopes are now available at the back of both Churches. Please take home and fill out your list and return same, with donation, to Parish Office or at any weekend masses. All names on the Parish List of the Dead will be remembered at all masses during November.

BLESSINGS OF THE GRAVES

*Sun, 5th Nov after 10.30am in Newtown
2pm in St. Joseph's Cemetery
3pm Cloncurry Cemetery*

Collections will be take up at all cemeteries to help with the upkeep and maintenance of said cemeteries. Thank you all for your continued generous support.

PARISH LOTTO – Tue, 17th Oct. 2023

Lotto Nos. 2-4-10-20.

NO Winner **Next Jackpot: €18,000**

(3x€50) Winners: Mary Stack, Marion Flood, Maeve Sweeney.

(2x€50) Promoters: Jim Leonard, Parish.

Thank you for your continued support.

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

Newtown Community Group are holding their annual Tractor/Car/Lorry and Motorbike run on Sunday 22nd October.

Registration from 11am in Newtown Hall.

Refreshments served before and after the run.

All profits on the day are being donated by Newtown Community Group to STEPS WITH RÓISON.

Róisín O'Loughlin is an 8-year-old local girl who has been approved for specialist surgery in the USA. She is the daughter of Niall and Mags and the granddaughter of the late Neily O Loughlin.

Parish Hall in Newtown, anyone wishing to use the hall please book through the Parish Office on 01 6287406 to avoid disappointment. Thank you.

AHFI Family Retreat Saturday – Sunday Oct 28th – 29th 9am to 5pm in the Glenroyal Hotel. Retreat Master Fr. Edgardo “Bing” Arellano, to book call Eileen on 0872239227.

CAPPAGH LOTTO – Tue, 17th Oct. 2023

Lotto Nos. 1-12-18

NO Winner **Next Jackpot: €1,800**

(5x€20) Winners: Michael & Michelle Curran, Kay Maguire, Michelle Conrey, Mary & Gareth Preston, Rene Gorman.

Thank you for your continued support.

GAA LOTTO – Sun, 15th Oct. 2023

Lotto Nos. 6-8-17-23

NO Winner **Next Jackpot: €14,800**

(5x€25) Winners: Claire Divilly, Mark Blanchfield, Connor Dunne, Eoin Brennan, Kevin Egan.

Promoters: Stuart Brennan, Ailish Brady

Thank you for your continued support.

Dance Classes for Kids & Teens in Parish Centre Hall, Old Hill, Leixlip – hip hop style, breakdance & Afro every Wednesday; 3.30pm-4.30pm Kids 4-7yrs; 4.30pm-5.30pm Kids 7-13+yrs. Price €13 single class or €50 per month. Call 089 4783813 for details.

St Mary's Band are having a concert in the Church of Ireland Sunday 22nd October 7.30pm where they will be joined by the Maynooth Ceoltas group.

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

St. Coca's, Kilcock

Sat, 21 st Oct	6pm	Annie Hynes (1 st Anniv) James Coffey (30 th Anniv) Joe Blake (Anniv) & remembering Josie Leydon (Anniv) David Houlihan (Anniv)		
Sun, 22 nd Oct	9am	Patrick McDonnell (2 nd Anniv) & remembering his nephews Martin & Ciaran Mai & Paddy Conlon (Anniv) & remembering all deceased members of Conlon & Corcoran families		
	12 noon			
Mon, 23 rd Oct	10am	Shared Mass for the Living		<u>ADORATION - 10.30am-11.30am</u>
Tue, 24 th Oct	10am	Shared Mass for the Deceased		
Wed, 25 th Oct	10am	Joe Mallon, Birthday Remembrance		
Thur, 26 th Oct	10am	Mass of Thanksgiving	7pm-8pm	Adoration
Fri, 27 th Oct	10am			
Sat, 28 th Oct	6pm	Eileen (Bun) Reid (M.M) Mill lane Helen Horan (Anniv) Margaret Mulligan (Anniv) and remembering her husband Matt and son Matt		
Sun, 29 th Oct	9am			
	12 noon	Bernard Tallon, Courtown Park, (1 st Anniv)		

Church of the Nativity, Newtown

Sun, 22 nd Oct	10.30am	Nick McCabe (Anniv) & remembering his father John & all deceased family members Lucy Maxwell (Anniv) & remembering her husband Bartle & all deceased family members Tom Maloney, Knockanally, Birthday Remembrance		
Wed, 18 th Oct	11am	Adoration		
Sun, 29 th Oct	10.30am	Pat & Tyler Mooney (Anniv) and remembering deceased members of the Mooney family Ciss and Ralph Tuite (Anniv) Tom Halligan (14 th Anniv) and his brother Peter, Ciss and Bob Needham, Alice and Bill Garry Birthday Remembrance. Baby Tom Fahey and Debbie Cox (12 th Anniv)		