KILCOCK & NEWTOWN PARISH BULLETIN EASTER SUNDAY 20th / 27th April 2025

PARISH DIARY

Readers for this weekend: Sat 9pm – Patsaí Ui Chathain, Asling Bracken, Pat Barrett, Christine Obsai; Sun 9am – Ray manning, Dermot Sheehan. - & 12 noon – Derek McSweeney

Eucharistic Ministers for this weekend - Sat 9pm - Joe McFadden & Michael Minogue; Sun 9am - Margaret Macken & Dermot Sheehan & 12 noon - Claire Dunne & Mary Forde.

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

Easter Collection for Priests of the Parish will be taken up at all masses thank you for your continued support. Please use envelope from your dev box or white envelope in church.

Trocaire boxes can be left in the box provided at the back of the church.

The Annual Church Gate Collection for Spina Bifida Hydrocephalus Ireland, Kildare Branch, is scheduled to take place in Kilcock/Newtown on weekend of 26th / 27th April 2025 at masses, we would appreciate your support.

No Lotto on 22nd April Lotto will resume 29th April. Parish office closed from 21st April to the 25th of April

IN MEMORIAM

We remember in our prayers Mary Farrington, Boycetown, Kilcock who died and whose funeral took place during the week. May she rest in peace

PARISH PASTROL TEAM

We would like to welcome Liam Doyle, Gregory Reket, Karl Lynam, Máire McCormack, Eilís Walsh, Kulli Adamberg, Fr Kolwani Nyoni, Michael Murphy, Mirriam Peter, Loida, Peter Muliigan, Philomena Obasi, our new members to our Pastoral team we look forward to working together.

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EASTER SUNDAY

Easter Day is the greatest day in the Church's calendar. Jesus has overcome death, not only for himself, but for all of us. The joy of Easter fills all the earth, the joy that death has been conquered. We open our hearts to receive this great joy.

Lord Jesus, through the grace of your resurrection you show us that light is stronger than darkness.

Lord, have mercy.

You show us that good is stronger than evil.

Christ, have mercy.

You show us that life is stronger than death.

Lord, have mercy.

On Easter Day we still feel pain, our own pain and the pain of others. But a new element has been introduced. It doesn't remove the pain, but gives it a meaning and lights it up with hope. All is different because Jesus is alive and speaks his words of peace to us. Therefore, there is a quiet joy among us, and a deep sense of peace. Jesus has broken the power of death, and given us the hope of eternal life. Lord, guard this hope with your grace, and bring it to fulfilment in the kingdom of Heaven.

WITH THANKS

Many thanks to all who helped us with different ministries this week – to the readers, Eucharistic ministers, servers, collectors, counters, choirs, secretaries, sacristans with a special thanks to Liz who is in all our prayers, altar society & flower arrangers; to our children and parent leaders for helping out at the Children's mass; to all who volunteered for the Washing of the Feet; to all who organised the outdoor Stations of the Cross & Prayers around the Cross; to Kilcock Scouts for the Easter Fire for our Vigil mass; to Books & Gifts for the flowers for the Altar of Repose & to all who helped organised the Dawn Mass in Cappagh GAA - we really do appreciate all that you do, many thanks

Thank you also to all priests for helping us at our Penitential Service.

Pilgrimage to Medjugorje

4th June – 11th June 7 nights, €875 PPS €170 extra for a single supplement.

For booking and details contact Maria Buckley on 0876651339.

Kildare Carmelite Lourdes Pilgrimage Kildare Carmelite Lourdes Pilgrimage takes place Sep 24th to Sept. 29th 2025.People wishing to travel can avail of our savings club. Monies can be paid in after Sunday masses, 10 & 12 am in the Carmelite church, committee members will be on duty. Contact: Esther 087 6732848/Martin 087 2553582

Fr. George Fr. Kolwani Parish Office : 01 6287 406; <u>info@kilcockandnewtownparish.ie</u>. 01 6287 448 01 6757 311 Parish Shop : 01 6287 499 Mon – Fri : 10.30am – 12.30pm

PARISH LOTTO –TUE, 15th APRIL 2025

Lotto Nos. 1-12-16-22

NO Winner Next Jackpot: €12,300

(3x€50) Matt Grogan, John Murphy, Cora Davey.

(2x€50) Promoters: Brendan Leonard, Mary Murray.

No Lotto Tuesday 22nd April.

Thank you for your continued support. Yearly/half-yearly lotto tickets - ideal gifts for any occasion.

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Pilgrims of Hope in Lent Pilgrims of Hope in Lent...follow and like the Kildare and Leighlin Diocese Facebook and X (@KANDLEi) accounts for daily posts on hope in Lent.

GAA LOTTO – SUN, 13th APRIL 2025

Lotto Nos. 2-11-29-32

NO Winner Next Jackpot: €20,000

(5x€25) Paul O'Brien, Gus Bourke, Tommy Byrne, Camilla Byrne.

(2x promoters:) Gus Bourke, Fara Hoolan.

Thank you for your continued support.

CAPPAGH LOTTO – TUE, 15th APRIL 2025

Lotto Nos. 8-14-31

NO Winner

Next Jackpot: €1,800

5 x €20 Alan/Kevin Duff, John Grogan, John Wynne, Rachel Byrne, Amy Carter.

MASSES FOR TWO WEEKS

St. Coca's, Kilcock

Sat, 19th Apr 9pm Easter Vigil Mass

Anna Lithur (Anniv)

Sun, 20th Apr 9am

12 noon Pat & Annie McLaughlin (Anniv) & Ita O'Looney

Nancy & Brian Sheridan (Anniv)

Mon, 21st Apr 12 noon Shared Mass for the Living 'NO ADORATION

Tue, 22nd Apr 10am Shared Mass for the Deceased

Wed, 23rd Apr 10am Billy Doyle (41st Anniv) & remembering his wife Mary & deceased family members

Thu, 24th Apr 10am Cathy & John McMahon celebrating their Golden wedding Anniv

Bridgie & Peter Daly (Anniv)

Fri, 25th Apr 10am

Sat, 26th Apr 6pm Robert Nolan (22nd Anniv) & remembering deceased members of the Nolan family

Oliver Grehan & remembering his wife Susan

Sun, 27th Apr 9am

12 noon Emily Lynam (6th Anniv)

Thomas & Annie Yallop & remembering deseaced members of the Yallop family

Mon, 28th Apr 10am Shared Mass for the Living ADORATION 10.30am-1pm

Tue, 29th Apr 10am Shared Mass for the Deceased

Wed, 30th Apr 10am Thu, 1st May 10am

Fri, 2nd May 10am

Sat, 3rd May 6pm Pat McFadden (14th Anniv) & Mary McFadden (4th Anniv)

Tom, Mary, Seán & Alan Fay (Anniv)

Aidan O'Rourke (9th Anniv) & remembering Billy Fitzpatrick (2nd Anniv)

Sun, 4th May 9am

12 noon Susan McArdle (1st Anniv)

Paul Keegan (2nd Anniv)

Church of the Nativity, Newtown

Sun, 20th Apr 10.30am Michael Mullane (Anniv) & remembering his wife Teresa, son Gerry & his daughter Teresa

Wed, 23rd Apr 11am Adoration

Sun, 27th Apr 10.30am Bob Needham (53rd Anniv) remembering Cis Needham & Birthday remembering for Tom Halligan &

remembering his brother Peter also remembering Alice & Bill Garry & Tom Fahey

Anne & Tadgh Walsh (Anniv) & remembering the Tyrell family

Wed, 30th Apr 11am Adoration

Sun,4th May 10.30am