

Parish Newsletter



28th Sunday of Ordinary Time – 11^h October 2015 Fr. Merlyn Kenny 043 3325112

Mass Times:

Saturday (vigil) 8pm; Sunday 10.30am; Monday at 8pm, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday 9.30am. No Friday evening Mass because of the Station Mass.

Masses for the Dead:

Saturday 10th Spm: Brendan Bawle, Loughawn.
Sunday 11th 10.30am: P.J. Delaney, Carrowbeg.
Saturday 17th Spm: Della Murray, Tipper.
Sunday 4th 10.30am: John Finnegan (Cormaglava) and his beloved wife Teresa.

- Station Masses: will continue on Friday 16th October in Nuala & Paddy Casey's for Newtownflanagan, at 8pm. Please note there will be no Mass in the Church on Friday evening.
- October Month of the Most Holy Rosary: In this month of October, let us consider this beautiful prayer of the Rosary as a means that we too can use in order to draw closer to Jesus and Mary by meditating on the great mysteries of our salvation. Rosary recited at 7.30pm on Friday evenings in the Church.
- Eucharistic Adoration: continues every Wednesday from 4pm to 8pm.
 "Could you not keep watch one hour with Me?" Matthew 26:40
 Jesus waits for us in the Blessed Sacrament. He waits for our little Acts of faith, adoration, love, thanksgiving, repentance, reparation and charity, that we can offer him as we contemplate His Divine Majesty in the Blessed Sacrament.
- Thank you for last weekend's offertory collection of €663; Harvest Dues: €1770 Monthly Collection: €315.
- Best Wishes to Michelle Casserly & Kevin Butler who are to be married on Saturday next.
- Readers' Roster: Copies of the new Readers' Roster are now available and may be collected from the Sacristy. Please collect the missalette in advance of your turn to read.

- Pioneers: The annual Longford Regional Pioneer Dinner Dance will take place in the Rustic Inn Abbeyshrule on Friday night 13th November. Dinner at 9pm – music by T.R. Dallas. All are welcome!
- ** Badminton: Lanesbror/Ballyleague Badminton Club would like to welcome back and invite new members for the season to experience the health and wellness benefits of what badminton has to offer. Any adults who missed our open night, please feel free to drop in on any Tuesday or Thursday night from 9-11pm in St. Mary's Hall Lanesboro. Our junior registration takes place this Saturday 10th October at same venue from 5-7pm, 8 to 12yrs from 5-6pm and 12 to 18yrs from 6-7pm.
- * Cake Sale: The cake sale and raffle in aid of St, Joseph's Young Priests' Society raised €1,367. Thanks to everyone who subscribed in any way. Raffle winners as follows:

1st Karl Dermody.

2nd Dorothy Fagan.

A special word of thanks to the dedicated committee who are doing so much good to promote vocations – Fr.Merlyn.

- * Newtowncashel Defibrillator Group: held their AGM on Wednesday 7th October and only 3 people were present. It would appear that the future of the group is uncertain. We are appealing to the community to support the group and its activities. Refresher Training will resume on Wednesday 14th October in "The Hill" at 8thm.
- Cemetery Collection 30th August 2015: The Cemetery Committee wish to acknowledge the recent collection total of €1,771.28. All monies donated will be used entirely for the upkeep of both Graveyards: Saints Island and Cashel. Your support is greatly appreciated.
- Childline Breakfast: The Annual Cheerios Childline Breakfast will be held in 'The Hill on Tuesday October 13th from 7.30am 11.30am. Support would be greatly appreciated. All welcome! Also, weather permitting, a 'walking school bus' will go from 'The Hall' to the national school after breakfast in time for school!