

Parish of Cashel

CHURCH OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN, NEWTOWNCASHEL

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THE THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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"Little girl, I tell you to get up."

- ✠ **Mass** on Saturday (Vigil), 8.00 p.m.; Sunday, 10.30 a.m.; Monday, 8.00 p.m.; Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 9.30 a.m.; Friday, 1.00 p.m., Wedding Mass.
- ✠ **Mass** for the **Intentions of the People of the Parish**, this Saturday, 27th, at 8.00 p.m.
- ✠ Sunday 28th is the Feast of St. Irenæus, 130-200, martyr, Bishop of Lyons in France, defended the faith against the Gnostics who proclaimed the dominance of evil.
Monday 29th, Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles. On the day traditionally observed in pagan Rome as its foundation day by Romulus and Remus we celebrate the feast of the twin founders of the Church in Rome. St. Peter died by crucifixion and St. Paul, a Roman citizen, was beheaded between 64 and 67.
Tuesday 30th, the First Martyrs of the Church of Rome who died under the emperor Nero in the year 64.
Wednesday, 1st July, St. Oliver Plunkett, born at Loughcrew, Co. Meath, 1625; Archbishop of Armagh 1669, martyred at Tyburn, London, 1st July, 1681; canonised, 12th October, 1975.
Friday 3rd, St. Thomas, Apostle, said to have preached the Gospel in India where he suffered martyrdom.
Saturday 4th, St. Elizabeth of Portugal, 1271-1336, unhappily married to the King of Portugal, she persevered in prayer and good works. When her husband died she chose a life of poverty. She is invoked in time of war.
- ✠ **First Friday.** The Holy Communion calls to the sick and housebound, associated with the First Friday, will be made on Wednesday and Thursday of this week. Neighbours and carers are asked to notify those who may not be aware of the changed arrangement.
- ✠ Parents of incoming **Altar Servers** are requested to return completed Child Safeguarding forms to the Parochial House immediately, please.
- ✠ **Readers** are asked to keep an eye on their rosters during the summer. It is not possible to deliver missalettes individually.
- ✠ **The Annual Pioneer Outing** takes place on Wednesday, 15th July, destination Dublin. The cost is: €40.00, payable when booking. That charge includes coach hire, driver/guide, morning coffee, admission to designated places of interest. Contact Peter Hanley, 086 258 9725, or any member of the Pioneer committee.
- ✠ **Fr. Patrick Peyton Memorial Centre**, Attymass, Co. Mayo. A trip to the Centre will take place on Tuesday, 25th August. The cost is €30.00, inclusive of refreshments, lunch and entertainment. The coach will depart from Kenagh Village at 9.30 a.m., returning at 6.00 p.m., approximately. Contact Rose Egan, Kenagh, leaving name, contact details and booking fee of €30.00.

- ✠ **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament** takes place on Wednesdays, 4.00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m. There is room for greater participation. All are welcome.
- ✠ **Cashel Cemetery.** Our thanks to the volunteers who came to Cashel Cemetery on the evening of Monday 15th. They left the burial ground in the condition which befits the resting place of the generations who have gone before us.
- ✠ **Harvest Festival.** A Sponsored 5k Walk takes place on Sunday, 26th July, along the Grand Canal at Kenagh, commencing at 12.00 noon from Gav's Bar. All are welcome. The committee will meet in "The Local", Newtowncashel, at 9.30 p.m., on Friday 24th, to collect cards and sponsorship. It is important that all members attend. **Festival Press Night** on Saturday, 8th August, in Gav's Bar, Kenagh. **The Harvest Festival Field Day** takes place on Sunday 23rd August. Proceeds of all events in aid of St. Christopher's,
- ✠ **Cashel G.A.A. 125 Celebrations** take place on the August Bank Holiday weekend. Events will be held over the three days culminating in the honouring of the 1964 Junior Champions at the Club Barbeque in the Quarry Park. The weekend will also feature music and events illustrating the significant role played by the Club in the social wellbeing of the community during the past 125 years. Plans include a commemorative booklet to mark the occasion. Those willing to be involved in organising and staging the events or in the production of the booklet, are asked to contact Club Secretary, Bernadette Farrell, 087 926 2975.
- ✠ **Ballymahon Library.** "Bunnyhop" storytelling for children aged 4 - 8, takes place on Wednesday, 15th July, at 3.00 p.m. "Paint a picture" with Nicolette, for children aged 8 - 12, on Tuesday, 21st July, at 11.00 a.m. The "summer reading buzz" is happening again! For further details, contact Carmel Kelly, 090 643 2546.
- ✠ **Cycling Group.** The cyclists meet every Tuesday and Friday, 8.00 p.m., at "The Hill". Routes and distances to cater for all cyclists. Helmets compulsory.
- ✠ **Tax Reclaim.** Just 15 people have yet to hand in their forms. The immediate return of the papers would be greatly appreciated, please.
- ✠ **Church Gate Collections** for the Samaritans and the Irish Cancer Society realised €290.00 and €431.00, respectively. The organisations thank the collectors and those who contributed so generously.
- ✠ Contributions to the **Monthly Collection** for July, next weekend, please.
- ✠ Recent collection totals:-
Sunday, 14th June,€585.00.
Sunday, 21st June,€650.00.
Collection for the Holy Land,€450.00. Thank you very much.
- ✠ **Masses for the Dead:-**
Sunday 28th, 10.30 a.m., Fr. Harry Greene, Greenhall Lower.
Saturday, 4th July, 8.00 p.m., Frank and Margaret Fallon, Ballinahinch.
Sunday 5th, 10.30 a.m., Peter Hopkins, Leixlip and Drumnee, first anniversary.
Saturday 11th, 8.00 p.m., Thomas and Annie Murray, Caltramore.
Saturday 18th, 8.00 p.m., Joe and Kate Ann Fallon and Margaret O'Dwyer, Lightfield.
Saturday 25th, 8.00 p.m., Peter, Brigid, Paddy Joe and Eamon Carley, Portanure.
Sunday 26th, 10.30 a.m., John Murray, Claras.
Monday 27th, 8.00 p.m., Lena Kilduff and deceased of the Kilduff Family, Derrygowna.
Saturday, 1st August, 8.00 p.m., James, Margaret (Peg), Annie Mai and Johnny Skelly, Carrowbeg.