Parish of Cashel

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EVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 28th July, 2013

The Lord's prayer acknowledges our dependence on God for everything we have and everything we are.

- Mass on Saturday (Vigil), 8.00 p.m.; Sunday, 10.30 a.m.; Monday and Friday, 8.00 p.m.; Tuesday and Thursday, 9.30 a.m.
- Mass for the Intentions of the People of the Parish, *Missa pro Populo*, on Tuesday, 30th July, at 9.30 a.m., and on Sunday 4th August, at 10.30 a.m.
- Monday 29th is the Feast of St. Martha, sister of Lazarus and Mary, a woman who professed her faith in Christ as the Son of God, and in the resurrection. With hospitality she welcomed Christ to her home as a guest.

Tuesday 30th, St. Peter Chrysologus, c380-c450, Bishop of Ravenna, Italy, renowned preacher. **W**ednesday 31st, St. Ignatius of Loyola, 1491-1556, from the north of Spain, founded the Society of Jesus, the Jesuits. Pope Francis is a member of the Jesuits.

Thursday, 1st August, St. Alphonsus Mary Liguori, 1696-1787, born near Naples, founder of the Redemptorists, he taught much on moral theology and the spiritual life.

Friday 2nd, St. Eusebius of Vercelli, laboured to suppress the Arian heresy which denied the full divinity of Christ. He died in 371.

Friday 2nd, St. Peter Julian Eymard, 1811-1868, native of France, established the Blessed Sacrament Fathers; with the help of Marguerite Guillot founded the Servants of the Blessed Sacrament.

- Friday is the First Friday of August. The Holy Communion calls to the sick and housebound will be made on Thursday and Friday.
- ➡ Baptism. Abbie Jade Healy Byrne, daughter of Alan Byrne and Gillian Healy, Derryad, Kenagh, was welcomed into the Christian community on Saturday, 6th July.
- **▼ Congratulations** to Patricia Greene and Darren Egan, who were married on Saturday, 13th July.
- 母 Getting married in 2014? Spaces are available on the ACCORD Pre-Marriage Courses, 7th and 10th October, and 15th/16th November, 2013. For further information contact ACCORD № 043 334 7222 or book on-line, www.accord.ie.
- ▼ Tidy Towns. The committee thank the twenty nine volunteers who left the Village spic and span on Wednesday evening. As the second adjudication is imminent all are asked to be vigilant with regard to litter control and disposal.
- **BBQ.** Cashel G.A.A., in the context of The Gathering 2013, hosts a Barbeque in the Quarry Park on Sunday, 4th August, from 4.00 p.m. Food served. Entertainment for all the family. Admission, €10.00; Students, €5.00; Children under-12, free.

Parish Pastoral Council - Area Representatives

Area 1; Michael Murray, Margaret Boyce. Area 2: Gerard Farrell, Margaret Brennan. Area 3; Brendan Bannon. Colette O'Dowd. Area 4: Thomas Dennigan. Deirdre O'Boyle. Area 5; Michael Egan, Carmel Donlon. Area 6; Tom Fagan, Monica Farrell. Area 7; Gerry Bohan, Nora Nolan. Area 8: Richard Sheehan, Elizabeth Whitton. Area 9: Richard Farrell. Elizabeth Hanley.

- The inaugural meeting of the new Parish Pastoral Council was held on Tuesday, 23rd July. Officers were elected as follows:- Chairperson, Thomas Dennigan; Vice-Chairperson, Michael Murray; Secretary, Deirdre O'Boyle; Assistant Secretary, Margaret Boyce; Treasurer, Gerry Bohan; Assistant Treasurer, Gerard Farrell; Public Relations Officer, Nora Nolan. We thank the members of the outgoing council for their five years of supportive service to the Church and to the community.
- ▼ Toilet Block. Work on the construction of this long awaited facility is to commence on Tuesday, 30th July. The contractors are:- Messrs. Ledwith Builders Ltd., Drumlish.
- The Harvest Festival organisers hold a Table Quiz in the Peer Inn on Friday, 9th August, commencing 9.00 p.m. Entrance fee €40.00 per table. Proceeds in aid of St. Christopher's, Newtowncashel Tidy Towns and Cashel G.A.A. Club. The annual social and raffle in aid of St. Christopher's will not be held in Newtowncashel this year. In lieu, all fundraising energies are being assigned to the Harvest festival. Patrons are asked to support accordingly.
- **Tax Reclaim** forms for 2012 and explanatory letters have been issued. Their early return to The Parochial House is requested. Co-operation with this beneficial scheme is much appreciated.
- ★ Recent collection totals:-

Sunday, 30th June,€725.00.	Monthly Collection, June,€915.00.	
Sunday, 7th July,€500.00.	Holy Land€300.00.	
Sunday, 14th July,€580.00.	Peter's Pence€380.00.	
Sunday, 21st July,€965.00.	Thank you very muc	٠h

Saturday 27th, 8.00 p.m., Jim, Peg, Annie Mai and Johnny Skelly, and deceased members of the Skelly Family, Carrowbeg.

Sunday 28th, 10.30 a.m., John Murray, Claras.

Monday 29th, 8.00 p.m., Lena Kilduff and deceased of the Kilduff Family, Derrygowna.

Friday, 2nd August, 8.00 p.m., Pat, Nan and John Clarke, Curroole.

Saturday 3rd, 8.00 p.m., Peter, Brigid, Paddy Joe and Eamon Carley, Portanure.

Saturday 10th, 8.00 p.m., John & Brigid Kenny, Ballinahinch.

Sunday 11th, 10.30 a.m., Frank Slevin Senr. and Frances Slevin Campbell, Cornadough.

Thursday 15th, Feast of the Assumption, 8.00 p.m., Peter Murtagh, Newpark,

and Seán Murtagh, Newpark and Fermoyle.

Please pray for Angela Casey, Moate, and formerly of Elfeet, who died on 17th July.

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