



PARISH OF CASHEL NEWSLETTER
THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY & JOSEPH / C
30TH DECEMBER 2018
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Mass Times & Masses for the dead as follows:

Sat	29th	Dec	8.00pm	Phyllis Dowler, (2nd Anniv.)
Sun	30th	Dec	10.30am	Michael Whitton, Forthill, (4th Anniv.)
Mon	31st	Dec	8.00pm	Special Intention.
Tues	1st	Jan	10.30am	Solemnity of The Mother of God - Mass for the people of the Parish.
Wed	2nd	Jan	8.00pm	No Mass.
Thu	3rd	Jan	8.00pm	Rosie Healy, Clearaune, (1st Anniv.)
Fri	4th	Jan	8.00pm	Johnny & Mary Kate & Mary Liz Skelly, Clearaune, & D.F.M. Also Jane Hudson & D.F.M. Clearaune
Sat	5th	Jan	8.00pm	Bridge Mulvihill, Loughfarm, (1st Anniv.)
Sun	6th	Jan	10.30am	John & Margaret Muldoon, Aughadeen. Also Jimmy Kennedy, Aughnacross.
Mon	7th	Jan	8.00pm	Mary Fagan & D.F.M. Dermacar.

Please note: Eucharistic Adoration will resume on Wednesday 9th January.

Eucharistic Roster

8.00pm	Sat	5th	Jan	Monica Farrell & Kathleen Clarke.
10.30am	Sun	6th	Jan	Dermot Healy & Anne Kenny.

Readers' Roster

8.00pm	Sat	5th	Jan	Lauren Casey.
10.30am	Sun	6th	Jan	Margaret Boyce.

Baptism: We welcome into our Christian community baby Tadhg Damien McIntyre who was baptised on Saturday last. Congratulations also to his parents Damien & Niamh.

Envelopes for 2019 can be collected in the Children's room. Thank You.

A Very Special Thank You To:

You - most loyal and generous Parishioners for your faithful dedication to Church and your financial and personal support in so many ways;

To the: Pastoral Council, Choirs, Senior and Junior Choir Directors, the Flower arranging and Artistic Displays, Servers, Readers, Eucharistic ministers, Collectors, the arrangers of the Crib & Star & Lights;

To the: Adoration and Rosary Participants and Committee; Safeguarding Representative, people who do the Church laundry, Cleaning and Polishing of the Church, the Toilets and Parochial House, Gardening and cutting of the grass, Building and Maintenance, Accounts, Secretarial Assistance, Those who arrange rotas, Cemetery Committee;

School Chairperson, Principal, BOM, Teachers/Parents/Parents' Association/Children/Do This In Memory Programme assistants, The Hill Committee and Caretaker;

All who support and work behind the scenes ensuring everything runs smoothly especially those who have saved me in emergencies at the drop of a hat - even on Saturdays and Sundays - eg. power failures, plumbing failures, boiler failures and much more ... and refusing my attempts at recompense.

St. Mary's N.S. Enrolment for September 2019, takes place from Friday 11th January to Friday 18th January 2019. Enrolment pack can be collected from the school and relevant forms returned during this period.

To the Pastoral Council

Finally, I wish to express my sincere gratitude to all the members of the outgoing Pastoral Council. I thank you sincerely for your wonderful generosity and kindness especially in assisting me in every way possible in these my first three years in the Parish.

It was a pleasure to work with each and every one of you. You have made a great contribution to the pastoral life of the Parish over the past 5 years.

I know you will support our next Pastoral Council and many of you have expressed the wish to assist in distributing boxes and doing the count on an ongoing basis. I cannot thank you enough for that. We will get a chance to thank you a little more formally at a special dinner early in the New Year.

I want to thank Tom Dennigan most particularly for the marvellous work he does behind the scenes regarding Church affairs. It is fair to say that no one wears Cashel Parish more on his sleeve than Tom. His whole heart and soul is invested in the Pastoral wellbeing of the Parish. From organising young people to lead the Stations of the Cross to going ... to leading them on pilgrimage to Taizé ... to leading Diocesan youth activities ... to getting them involved in reading in Church ... to sourcing and setting up the Christmas lights and candles in the Church ... to being available to turn to at all hours for crucial advice on a whole range of matters ...

I could go on and on. Suffice it to say that I will be forever grateful to Tom for his contribution over the last three years. And I hope to make it up to him in some way.

Wishing you all a very Happy New Year.

