

Ferbane Parish Bulletin

Sunday 14th January 2018

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

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MASSES - ST. MARY'S CHURCH, FERBANE

Saturday 13th/Sunday 14th January

7pm Sat. *Do This in Memory.*

11.00am Seamus Gleeson, Athlone Road (M/M).

7pm Sun. -

Mon. 15th: 10am - (1) Dolores Clarkson.

(2) Arthur McDonagh (1st A).

Tues. 16th & Wed. 17th: 10am

Thurs. 18th: 10am - Kate, Jack & Seamus McCormack.

Fri. 19th: 10am

Sat. 20th.: 10am - (1) Rose & Jack Rigney.

(2) Margaret M. Keena & dec'd family members.

Saturday 20th/Sunday 21st January

7pm Sat. (1) Mary & Peter Kearns & their daughter Ann.

(2) Ultan & Annie McCabe & daughters Lily & Bridie.

(3) Tommie Smollen.

11.00am -

7pm Sun. Johnny & Mary Kelly, Newtown and members of the Egan & Kelly Families.

MASSES - SS. PATRICK & SARAN, HIGH STREET

Sunday 14th January

12 noon William & Margaret Ryan.

Do This in Memory.

Sunday 21st January

9.30am (1) Michelle Kenny & Tom Flynn.

(2) Patrick Feeney. (3) Bertie McKeown.

MASSES - ST. OLIVER PLUNKETT, BOORA

Sunday 14th January

9.30am Molly Dooley, Leabeg and deceased family members.

Sunday 21st January

9.30am Charles Whelehan, his parents Mary Kate & Charlie, grandparents Catherine & Christy Delaney, Angie & Paddy Horan & Margaret Taylor.

PARISH COLLECTIONS - Shrine €590; 6th/7th Jan.: Parish Collection €3,605.

DEATHS - Please pray for the repose of the souls of *May Pilkington, New York* (sister of Breeda Connolly); *Phyllis Guinan, Moate*, (sister of Noleen Mooney, Aughaboy) and *John Behan, Rathangan* (brother of Sr. Benedict). May they rest in peace.

ALTAR SOCIETY - Group 1 this week.

WORLD DAY OF MIGRANTS AND REFUGEES, Sun. 14th Jan. - 'The Church without frontiers, Mother of all, spreads throughout the world a culture of acceptance and solidarity, in which no one is seen as useless, out of place, or disposable.' (Pope Francis).

LOURDES COLLECTION - Our Annual Collection to assist with our Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes will be taken up as a second collection after Communion in all Churches of the Parish this weekend 13th/14th January. Your generous support would be very much appreciated.

FERBANE COMMUNITY ACTION PLAN - Questionnaires will be delivered to households and businesses on January 15th and 16th and collected on January 22nd and 23rd. Alternatively you can return completed forms to a special post box provided inside Ferbane PO from January 15th-23rd. Anonymous and confidential. Your participation counts!

FERBANE G.A.A. - **Lotto**: Winning numbers in last week's draw 6, 17, 22, 24. Bonus 4. No jackpot or match 3 winner. Five book prizes. Next draw takes place in the GAA Clubhouse on Tuesday 16th January at 10pm with a jackpot of **€13,200**.

GALLEN UNITED - **Lotto Draw** (Prize fund €15,300 = **Jackpot €5,300; Star Prize €10,000**). Numbers drawn 6, 18, 21, 27. Bonus number 20. No jackpot or match 3 winner. Two book prizes Next draw on Mon. 15th January.

HIGH STREET / BELMONT ACTIVE RETIREMENT GROUP - *Meeting* on Tuesday 16th January in High Street Hall. All members please attend. *Yoga* continues on Wednesday 17th January in High Street Hall at 11am. Any queries please call 087 6372787.

PASTORAL COUNCIL - Meeting on Tuesday 16th January at 8pm in Fr. Peter's house.

FERBANE PRAYER GROUP - Prayer Meeting time is for giving praise and thanks to God our Creator, for his love and goodness. The next Prayer Meeting is on Wednesday 17th January in St. Cynoc's Junior School at 4pm.

SOCIAL DANCING CLASSES - Resume in High Street Hall on Wed. 17th January at 8pm.

CARDS - Progressive 25, single hand, in Ferbane GAA Clubhouse every Wed. at 8.45pm.

FERBANE LIBRARY - *Children's Knitting Classes* resume on Thurs. 18th Jan. at 6.30pm.

BAPTISM - The next meeting for parents in our pastoral area who have a child for baptism will be held in the Parochial House in Ballinahown on Thurs. 18th Jan. from 8-9pm.

CHURCH UNITY WEEK - From Thursday 18th the Church begins a week of prayer for Christian Unity as Jesus desires.

FERBANE MACRA - Next meeting in the Cosy Bar, Ferbane on Thurs. 18th January at 8.30pm. For upcoming events please contact Sarah Kelly on 086-3575915 for details.

CLONMACNOIS PRAYER VIGIL in **Cluain Chiaráin Prayer Centre** - On Friday 19th January and every third Friday. Mass at 9pm. Adoration and prayers follow until 2.10am. All welcome. Enquiries to Dave 085-7746763.

NAOMH CIARÁN - Seeks expression of interests for the position of Senior Team Manager. Please contact Sue Egan in confidence before Friday 19th January - 086 1619577.

FERBANE & DISTRICT CREDIT UNION LTD. - **AGM** of will take place on Monday 22nd Jan. at 8pm in Ferbane Heritage Centre.

SEWING CLASSES / WORKSHOPS AT BELMONT MILLS - Learn how to use your sewing machine and basic stitching. Workshops on Saturday 27th January, 11am-1pm & Tuesday 30th January, 6pm-8pm. Beginners and advanced sewing classes starting in February. Early booking is advised. Limited places. Contact Sandra on 086 3769459.

FERBANE PARISH BAPTISMS FOR 2017

Sean Egan, James Anderson, Aoibhe Mae Kenny, Mollie McCormack, Ella Sear, Alannah Kelly, Rian Liddane, Carter Greer, Áine Heavin, Tyler Costello, Lila Coyne, Billy McCarthy, Sean Guinan, Nevaeh Brennan, Ellie Bennett, Sean Bates, Rosie Egan, Iris Harrison, Ciarán Reynolds-Hickey, Kyle Connolly, Eoin Hyland, Amber McCreanor-Buckley, Ian Mooney, Jack Doyle, Hannah Killian, Steven Heffernan, Evie Mae Kelly, Maggie May Finnerty, Luke Farrell, Jack Moore, Joni Cutler, Georgia Carroll.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS - Meeting in Teach Lea, Boora on Sat. evening at 8.30pm.

FERBANE FOOD CAMPUS - Will be running a **National Hygiene Management Course** in February on Mondays 5th, 12th, 19th & 26th & Monday 5th March. 9am-5pm. Course cost: €475. Payment options. Enquiries call Donal on (085) 8776098 or (090) 6453926.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION - As we begin another new year we encourage more people to take part in our Prayer of Eucharistic Adoration. Contact Iris 090 6454382; Sr. Joseph 087 7912586 or any of the Priests 090 6454309.

INVITATION TO MINISTRIES - Like to get involved in Parish? A New Year can be a time to consider taking up a new role in life. We'd be happy to hear from people who may like to volunteer time or talent in these or many other roles (Readers, Adoration, Choirs, Church Care, Eucharistic Ministry etc). We would be very happy to hear from you.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS - Meetings each week in Ferbane. Contact 01 852 7000.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL - Contact 087 9272877.

BULLETIN DEADLINE - All notices must be in the Parish Office by 3pm on Wednesday. Tel: 090 6454309. Email: parishoffice@ferbaneparish.ie.

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

First Confession: Ferbane: Monday 5th March.

High Street: Tuesday 6th March.

Confirmation: Ferbane Sun. 11th March at 3pm.

First Communion:

High Street: Saturday 28th April at 12 noon.

Ferbane: Saturday 12th May at 12 noon.

Cemetery: Kilrehan: Sunday 1st July at 11am.

High Street: Sunday 8th July at 12 noon.