

Ferbane Parish Bulletin

Sunday 27th May 2018

The Most Holy Trinity

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MASSSES - ST. MARY'S CHURCH, FERBANE

Saturday 26th/Sunday 27th May

- 7pm Sat. 1. Declan Flaherty, his parents Bill & Maureen, his brother Aidan and his sister Carmel.
2. Charlie Devery, his son Peter and grandson Stephen.
- 11.00am James Tigue and dec'd family members.
7pm Sun. 1. Teresa & Patrick Devery, Creggan.
2. Ned Mannion and his wife Roseanne and Mary & Joe Galvin.

Mon. 27th: 10am - Gracie Marriage (3rd A).

Tues. 28th - Thurs. 31st: 10am

Fri. 1st June: 10am - First Friday.

Sat. 2nd: 10am - Kenny Family, Old School House, High Street.

Saturday 2nd/Sunday 3rd June

- 7pm Sat. Canon Hubert Fee.
11.00am Mary Grehan Wyse & her grandson Ciarán.
7pm Sun. Joe Hickey & deceased members of the Cullinan & Hickey Families.

MASSSES - SS. PATRICK & SARAN, HIGH STREET

Sunday 27th May

- 12 noon 1. Owen Egan and dec'd family members.
2. Mary Jo & Maura McKeown.

Fri. 1st June: 8pm - First Friday. (1) Michael Melia, his parents Eileen & Patrick, his son Alan, his brother Gerard & his father-in-law John Connolly.

(2) Annie & James Clancy

Sunday 3rd June

- 12 noon 1. Tom & Mary Breen, Paddy Breen & Ciss Breen and Kathleen Healy Breen.
2. Joseph & Annie Kenny, Fadden.

MASSSES - ST. OLIVER PLUNKETT, BOORA

Sunday 27th May

9.30am Mary Egan (1st A).

Fri. 1st June: 7pm - First Friday. Colin Kenny.

Sunday 3rd June

9.30am

THE BLESSED TRINITY

The Christian teaching on the Most Holy Trinity is Christianity's answer to the question: Who is God? Our God is the Father who cares for us; the Son who works with us; the Spirit who guides us on the road. The Father is my trust; the Son is my refuge; the Holy Spirit is my protection. O Holy Trinity, glory to Thee.

ALTAR SOCIETY - Group 2.

PARISH OFFERTORY -

19th/20th May: €2,450. Shrine: €220.

DEATHS - Please pray for the repose of the souls of **Jimmy Smollen, Leamore** (brother of Elizabeth Wynne, Coolahinch); **Nuala Ryan, Garrymore, Shannonbridge** (sister of Martina Leonard, Blackwater); **Kieron Feeney, Cloghan** (brother of Mary Egan, Coole); **Dympna O'Neill, Castelpollard** (aunt of Michael Corrigan, Ballycumber Road) and **Ned McGee, Dongaol** (brother of Kity Flaherty, Delvin Park and Madge Brazil, Derrica). May they rest in peace.

OFFALY COUNTY COUNCIL FIRE & RESCUE SERVICE

- Will be opening the doors of our new Fire Station in Ferbane on Monday 28th May from 12:00 to 13:30. This invite is open to the community of Ferbane and its environs. **GALLEN UNITED - Lotto Draw** (Prize fund €17,200 = Jackpot €7,200; Star Prize €10,000). Numbers drawn 7, 10, 16, 23. Bonus number 8. No jackpot winner. 3 match three winners. Next draw on Monday 28th May.

FERBANE PARENT AND TODDLER GROUP

Tuesdays from 10.30 to 12.30 in the Heritage Centre. Contact 086 2114855 or 086 8646805.

GALLEN CEMETERY - Clean-up on Tuesday 29th May at 7pm.

Please bring forks, rakes, strimmers, lawnmowers, wheelbarrows, sacks, if you have any of these. All volunteers welcome.

FERBANE AREA COMMUNITY GAMES

ATHLETICS - Takes place on Tuesday 29th May at 7pm at Gallen United pitch. Entry €2 per child.

FERBANE G.A.A. - Lotto: Winning numbers in last week's draw 2, 12, 29, 31. Bonus 3. No jackpot winner. Two match 3 winners. Next draw in the GAA Clubhouse on Tuesday 29th May at 10pm with a jackpot of €17,000.

FERBANE COFFEE MORNING GROUP

- Continues in the Heritage Centre on Wednesday 30th May at 10.30am. All welcome. Bus as usual.

FERBANE PRAYER GROUP

- A Prayer Meeting brings people together for prayer and sharing the word of God. In sharing the Bible, we come to know Jesus our Saviour, our brother and our best friend. You are welcome to the Prayer Meeting on Wednesday 30th May at 4pm in St. Cynoc's Junior NS.

A TALK - Aimed at the parents of primary school children will be delivered by the National Parents Council entitled "Anti-Bullying Training for Parents" on Wednesday 30th May in High Street Community Centre at 8pm. All parents welcome. (Please note content not suitable for children).

WEST OFFALY LIONS RFC - Will hold its AGM in Ferbane Heritage Centre on Wednesday 30th May at 8.30pm. All support and attendance will be much appreciated on the night!

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

SACRED HEART NOVENA - From Thurs. 31st May - Mon. 8th June. Leaflets to accompany this Novena available (50 cent) in Parish Shop.

TUAR ARD - On Thursday 31st May Big Country TV presents Louise Morrissey, T.R.

Dallas, Liam Kelly and Olivia Douglas live in concert with the Hor Country Band. Tickets: €20. **FERBANE/BELMONT MINOR CLUB - Bag Packing in Centra on Friday 1st and Saturday 2nd June.** Proceeds go towards our U14 Féile football team who are travelling to Down in June. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION - The Procession will take place on Saturday 2nd June immediately after 7pm Mass in the Parish Church. **Router** Assemble in Church car park on to Church Street. Proceed to St. Cynoc's Terrace for prayers and Benediction. We welcome ALL the First Communion children from our Parish (accompanyed by their parents/guardians) to lead the Procession. We would welcome some people to act as stewards along the route to ensure the safety of all.

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

OUR LADY OF CLONFERT MASSES & DEVOTIONS

Sun. 27th: Mass at 9.30am. Rosary & Benediction, 7pm. **Mon. 28th:** Fr. Michael Byrnes (Portumna).

Tues. 29th: Msgr. Cathal Geraghty VC, Loughrea.

Wed. 30th: Fr. Simon Cadam (Mass of Remembrance for all our deceased relatives and friends).

Thurs. 31st: Closing Mass of Thanksgiving. Fr. Declan McInerney, PP.

Mass each evening at 8pm except Sunday evenings.

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 Thursday 14th June from 8-9pm.

FERBANE BANAGHER MACRA - AGM on

Thursday 14th June in Flynn's Bar, Banagher. For upcoming events please contact Chairperson Sarah Kelly on 086-3575915.

FERBANE FEIS CEOL - Will take place on Sunday 17th June. 49 competitions will be held in both classical and traditional sections with 28 perpetual trophies on offer. *Entries must be received by Friday 8th June.* See www.ferbanfeis.com or contact M. Kearns 090 6454146.

CONGRATULATIONS - To the children from our Parish who celebrated their First Communion recently in other Parishes. Clonmacnois N.S.: *Grace Danican, Sam Bracken, Ailish Buckley, Rashina N.S.: Aaron Kenaghan, Ail Foley, Callan Kenny, Keelan Dunnean, Siobhan Egan, Luncheon N.S.: Cathal Lyons, Cian Kenna.*

CONGRATULATIONS - To the children from our Parish who celebrated their Confirmation recently in other Parishes. Clonmacnois: *Leah Mannion, Daisy Marriot, Cathal Daly, Keelan Claffey, Ellen Kennedy, Samuel Slewin.* Banagher: *Karen Healy, Ricky Daly-Lyons, Rashina; Chelsea Corcoran-Corroy.*

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

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL - Contact 087 9272877.

PARISH OFFICE - Wednesday 9am-1pm and 2pm-5pm. Tel: 090 6454309. parishoffice@ferbanparish.ie.

CEMETERY DAYS

Gallen: Friday 8th June, 7.30pm.

Kilkehan: Sunday 1st July, 11am.

High Street: Sunday 8th July, 12 noon.

Tissanam: Wednesday 15th August, 8pm

We would ask those attending to bring a bottle of Holy Water so that together as a people we can ask God's blessing on the resting places of our loved ones. Just as they blessed us by their lives - we can together simultaneously return that prayer to them.