

Ferbane Parish Bulletin

Sunday 21st October 2018

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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MASSES - ST. MARY'S CHURCH, FERBANE

Saturday 20th / Sunday 21st October

- 7pm Sat. 1. Nuala, Michael and Bridget Lonican and Maureen Larkin.
2. Tom Dunican, his daughter Carmel, John Holly, Eileen Cooke and John Hayden.

Confirmation enrolment, St. Cynoc's.

11.00am Brendan Dermody and deceased family members of Angela & Brendan.

7pm Sun. Bridget & Monahan Egan.

Mon. 22nd, Tues. 23rd, Wed. 24th: 10am

Thurs. 25th: 10am - People's intentions.

Fri. 26th: 10am

Sat. 27th: 10am - Rhyanna Barry.

Saturday 27th / Sunday 28th October

- 7pm Sat. 1. Teresa Mooney.
2. Paddy Egan, Coole & his son Patrick.
Do This in Memory Mass.

11.00am 1. Katie Buckley Curraghlassa (1st A) & deceased family members.
2. Pat Claffey.

7pm Sun. -

MASSES - SS. PATRICK & SARAN, HIGH STREET

Sunday 21st October

12 noon Ellen McCormack (M/M) and Peg & Jim Flannery & deceased family members.

Confirmation enrolment, High St. NS.

Sunday 28th October

12 noon James & Annie Flynn.

Do This in Memory Mass.

MASSES - ST. OLIVER PLUNKETT, BOORA

Sunday 21st October

9.30am John & Mary Kenny, Leamore.

Sunday 28th October

9.30am -

ALTAR SOCIETY - Group 2.

PARISH OFFERTORY -

13th/14th October: €2,325; Shrine: €110.

IT'S MISSION SUNDAY 2018

Today we come together for a truly incredible celebration of solidarity and unity within our Church - World Mission Sunday! Today, every single parish worldwide - and YOU - share what you can so the life-transforming work of missionaries overseas can continue. Today, through your prayers and contributions, you are fully appreciating the dedication of our missionaries who live and work in communities that are struggling and often war-torn. Today, your prayers and generosity are helping spread the peace and love of Christ. If you have already given, we send our heartfelt thanks. If you have yet to give, please dig a little deeper and share what you can. To donate €4 you can text the word 'Mission' to 50300. (Texts cost €4. World Missions Ireland will receive a minimum of €3.60. Service Provider Like Charity. Helpline 076 6805278. Rep. of Ireland only). You can call 01 4972035 to donate over the phone Mon-Fri.

29th Sunday of the Year

When you enter the newly restored St. Mel's Cathedral in Longford you will see the beautiful Baptismal Font in the centre aisle, just inside the main door. It calls us to pause and reflect on the significance of our Baptism, the dignity it confers on us, and the responsibility it imposes on us to be witnesses of our faith in the world. All four Gospels tell us that the final exhortation of Jesus to His disciples was that they should be His witnesses to the ends of the earth. Pope Paul VI, who was canonized by Pope Francis on Sunday last in Rome proclaimed in 1975 that **'modern man and woman listen more willingly to witnesses than to teachers, and if they do listen to teachers it is because they are witnesses'**. On Mission Sunday every year we are reminded once again, that the greatness of our Church consists, not in how many it seats, but in how many it sends-out to be witnesses. God had one Son and He made Him a missionary!

DEATH - Please pray for the repose of the soul of *Margaret Casey, Ballydaly*. Rest in peace.

BAPTISMS - We welcome into the Christian community *James Foley* and *Fiadh Louise Egan*.

GOOD LUCK - To the Ferbane Intermediate football team in the County Final today.

JOHN PAUL II AWARDS - Congratulations to the 12 young people from our Parish who will be presented with their John Paul II awards by Bishop Francis Duffy in St. Mel's Cathedral, Longford on this Sunday, October 21st. We acknowledge the many services of these young people to our Parish as Readers, assisting with the Play and Pray Group, and updating our Church notice board. It is significant that on Mission Sunday we acknowledge their contribution to the Mission of the Church in their local parish.

CHOIR PRACTICE - On Monday 22nd October in Ferbane Church at 8pm.

HIGH ST./BELMONT WOMEN'S GROUP *Monday 22nd October*: Card making variety with Rosemary Lantry in High Street Hall at 8pm.

GALLEN UTD - Lotto Draw (Prize fund €19,300 = Jackpot €9,300; Star Prize €10,000). Winning numbers in last week's draw 2, 6, 23, 27. Bonus 12. No jackpot winner or match 3 winners. 2 book prizes. Next draw on Mon. 22nd October. **€40 tickets due for renewal on October 29th.**

FERBANE PARENT & TODDLER GROUP Continues every Tues. from 10.30am- 12.30pm in Ferbane Heritage Centre. 087 1747946.

FERBANE G.A.A. - Lotto: Winning numbers in last week's draw 2, 9, 12, 19. Bonus 25. No jackpot winner. Six match 3 winners. Next draw in the GAA Clubhouse on Tuesday 23rd October at 10pm with a jackpot of **€20,000**.

COFFEE MORNING - Continues on Wed. 24th October in Ferbane Heritage Centre at 10.30am. Everyone welcome. Bus as usual.

HIGH STREET / BELMONT ACTIVE RETIREMENT GROUP - *Yoga* continues on Wed. 24th October in High Street Hall at 11am.

FERBANE APOSTOLIC WORK - Meeting on Wed. 24th October at 7pm in the Presbytery.

FERBANE PRAYER GROUP - A Prayer Meeting is a joyful time of prayer and songs of praise to God our Creator, our God who loves all His people. You are welcome to the Prayer Meeting in St. Cynoc's Junior School on Wed. 24th Oct.

SOCIAL DANCING CLASSES - No dance class this week due to dance in Rath. *Annual Dance in Rath* on Thursday 25th October from 9.30pm - 12.30am. Adm. €10. Music by Brendan Magee.

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

FERBANE BANAGHER MACRA - Our next Club meeting is on Thursday 25th October in McIntyre's pub in Shannon Harbour at 8.30pm. Please contact Sarah Kelly 086-3575915 for more details.

FERBANE LIBRARY - Will be closed Friday 26th and Saturday 27th October, Thursday 1st, Friday 2nd and Saturday 3rd November. Regular staffed hours will apply for the remainder of the month. **New staffed hours** will be implemented from Tuesday 6th November. **The Library will be open** on Tuesday from 10am-1pm and 2-5.30pm; Thursday 12.30-5pm and 6-8pm, Saturday 10am-1pm. **My Open Library hours** will remain the same for this period which are 8am-10pm 7 days a week. To avail of this service please bring a photo ID and proof of address to the library during staffed hours.

FERBANE FORÓIGE - Fri. 26th October: Inter Club Disco in Cloghan. Bus leaves Church car park at 8.45pm, returning approx. midnight.

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

BRIDGE LESSONS - For beginners in Ferbane Bridge Hall commencing on Monday 5th November at 8pm.

FERBANE OUTDOOR CRAFT & FARMERS MARKET - Commencing Sat. 10th Nov. (and every second Saturday of the month) at the Heritage Centre. All stallholders welcome. Call 086 1210200 for info.

SCOR NA nÓG - 50th anniversary on November 17th. More details next week. Contact 087 2864293.

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

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL - Contact 087 9272877.

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PARISH OFFICE - Wednesday from 9am-1pm and 2pm-5pm. Tel: 090 6454309. Email: parishoffice@ferbaneparish.ie. Bulletin deadline is 3pm on Wed.

MISSION PRAYER

Christ has no body now on earth but yours, no hands but yours, no feet but yours. Yours are the eyes through which Christ's compassion is to look out to the world. Yours are the feet by which he is to go about doing good. And yours are the hands by which he is to bless us now. Amen. St. Teresa of Avila.