

# Ferbane Parish Bulletin

Sunday 9th June 2019

Pentecost Sunday

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## MASSES - CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION, FERBANE

### Saturday 8th / Sunday 9th June

7pm Sat. 1. Mary & John Joe Egan, Creggan.  
2. Pat Moore (30th A), Ballylin.

11am -

7pm Michael & Molly Killian and their son John, Coole.

Mon. 10th & Tues. 11th: 10am

Wed. 12th: 10am - People's Mass.

Thurs. 13th: 10am - Danny Lonican (Months Mind).

Fri. 14th: 10am

Fri. 14th: 7.30pm - Gallen Cemetery Mass.

Sat. 15th: 10am - 1. Bill Judge. 2. Jacinta Barry.

### Saturday 15th / Sunday 16th June

7pm Sat. Thomas & Elizabeth Keegan and their son Thomas.

11am Michael & Catherine Doyle.

7pm -

## MASSES - SS. PATRICK & SARAN, HIGH STREET

### Sunday 9th June

12 noon 1. Noel Quinn and his parents Michael & Margaret and his brothers Michael and Patsy.  
2. Mary Jo and Maura McKeown.

### Sunday 16th June

12 noon 1. Phil & Vincent Kelly.  
2. Michael & Brigid Ryan, Mullaghature and deceased members of the Ryan & Gleeson families.

## MASSES - ST. OLIVER PLUNKETT, BOORA

### Sunday 9th June

9.30am -

### Sunday 16th June

9.30am Martin & Mary Coughlan and their son Marty.

## COLLECTIONS - 1st/2nd June

Offertory: €2,270; Shrine: €380.

ALTAR SOCIETY - Group 2.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL - Meeting on Monday 10th June at 7pm. Helpline 087 9272877.

## PENTECOST SUNDAY

Ludwik Lejzer Zamenhof, a Polish Jew invented Esperanto, an auxiliary International language in the late 19th century. He dreamed of a world without war, and he believed that the first step on this road would be to break down the language barrier between peoples. The experiment failed. On this Feast of Pentecost we remind ourselves that the language of the Holy Spirit does cross all boundaries and speaks to all hearts. It is the life-giving language of love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness and self-control. If people decided to speak this language more frequently they would renew the face of the earth. **Words create worlds.** It's interesting to note that the Buddhist religion promotes the same approach to living: 'better than a thousand hollow words is one word that brings peace.' *Spirit of the living God fall afresh on us.*

**GALLEN UTD - Lotto Draw** (Prize fund €12,200 = Jackpot €2,200; Star Prize €10,000). Winning numbers 3, 6, 14, 22. Bonus 16. No jackpot winner or match 3 winner. Two book prizes. Next draw on Monday 10th June. **Clothes collection:** Clothes can be dropped to Gallen United every Monday evening at 8pm from now until the end of August.

**HIGH STREET / BELMONT ACTIVE RETIREMENT GROUP** - Are going to Kylemore Abbey on Tuesday 11th June. Please call 087 6372787 for more information.

**FERBANE LIBRARY - Open:** Tuesday 10am-1pm & 2-5.30pm. Thursday 12.30-5pm & 6-8pm. Saturday 10am-1pm. My Open Libraries is available from 8am-10pm daily. To avail of this service please contact the Library on 090 6454259.

**THE STOMA SUPPORT GROUP** - Meeting will take place on Tuesday 11th June 6.30-8.30pm in the Dóchas Offaly Cancer Support Group Centre. Please contact Anne on 086 3074846. All are welcome.

**FERBANE G.A.A. - Lotto:** Winning numbers in last week's draw 10, 17, 19, 31. Bonus 11. No jackpot winner. Three match 3 winners. Next draw Tuesday 11th June at 10pm with a jackpot of €4,200.

**COFFEE MORNING** - Continues on Wednesday 12th June in Ferbane Heritage Centre at 10.30am. Bus as usual. All welcome. **Note: Annual Summer**

**Tour** on Monday 24th June to Knock. Refreshments in Roscommon on the way and evening meal on the way back. Anyone interested contact Lily 086 8389820 or Maureen 087 6721166.

**FERBANE PRAYER GROUP** - In the week of the Feast of Pentecost, the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be celebrated in St. Cynoc's Junior School on Wednesday 12th June at 4pm. Everyone is welcome.

**CLEAN UP IN KILREHAN CEMETERY** - Every Wednesday from 7-9pm. With Cemetery Sunday coming up on Sunday 7th July please maintain your graves beforehand. All volunteers welcome.

**CLUAIN CHIARÁIN** - Mass at 7.30pm on Wednesday 12th June on the Anniversary of Fr. Paddy Kenny, M.H.M.

**CARDS** - Progressive 25, single hand, in Ferbane GAA Clubhouse every Wednesday at 9pm.

**ST. JOSEPH'S YOUNG PRIESTS SOCIETY** - Meeting on Thursday 13th June at 7.30pm.

**FERBANE COMMUNITY FIRST RESPONDER GROUP** - Meeting on Thursday 13th June at 8pm in the Wheery Room. Call Rachel on 085 1434963, email ferbanecfr@gmail.com.

**GALLEN CEMETERY - Clean up** on Monday 10th and Tuesday 11th June from 6.30pm (weather permitting). We request people to maintain graves in the lead up to Cemetery Evening, Friday 14th June. Collection on same evening for upkeep of cemetery.

**THE APOSTOLATE OF ADORATION** - Invites parishioners to the Adoremus National Eucharisti and Marian Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine on Friday evening 14th and/or all day Saturday 15th June. See website [www.eucharisticadoration.ie](http://www.eucharisticadoration.ie) or text 087 2478519 for full details.

**CARDS** - Each Sat. night at 9pm in High St. Hall.

**FERBANE FEIS CEOIL** - Will take place on Sunday 16th June. 48 competitions will be held in both Classical and Traditional sections with 28 perpetual trophies on offer. Full details from [www.ferbanefeis.com](http://www.ferbanefeis.com) or from Marion Kearns on 090 6454146.

**LYNX CYCLING CLUB - Bike Week** from Monday 17th June. Organised cycles and other activities during the week. Contact 087 8255220/087 2926365.

**FERBANE/BANAGHER MACRA** - Next meeting is on Friday 20th June at 8.30pm in the Railway Bar, Banagher. Contact Sarah Kelly on 086-3575915.

**JUNE RETREAT DAYS AT GLENSTAL ABBEY - Monday 24th:** One Day Retreat for Men. **Tuesday 25th:** Silent Retreat Day for Women. **Wednesday 26th:** Day Retreat for Women (not silent). Meals and refreshment breaks are included. Registration 10am. Finish 5pm. Cost €45. For more information contact 061-621005, [www.glenstal.com/abbey](http://www.glenstal.com/abbey).

**TRADITUDE FESTIVAL IS FAST APPROACHING** - It takes place on Sat. 29th & Sun. 30th June in Ferbane. It promises to be a fantastic weekend of the best in music, comedy, arts

and many other unexpected pleasures. Visit our Facebook page for details. Weekend tickets on sale.

**BHM COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT GROUP** Are pleased to announce that Belmont has been entered in the 2019 Super Valu National Tidy Towns competition. Judging takes place in early June and we would be very grateful if the village is kept clean and tidy for the judges visit.

**RALLY FOR LIFE** - Takes place on Saturday 6th July in Dublin city centre at 2pm. For more information go to the website [www.rallyforlife.net](http://www.rallyforlife.net). There will be a local bus travelling to this event, arrangements to follow.

**ARDAGH AND CLONMACNOIS DIOCESAN ASSEMBLY, 9th & 10th May 2020** - Bishop Francis is calling together an Assembly of the Diocese for 9th and 10th May 2020. The purpose of the Assembly is for lay people, priests and religious to consider and offer views on how best the diocese can respond, at this time, to the pastoral challenges and opportunities. This parish will be selecting five delegates to take part in the Assembly and its preparations. In preparation for the Assembly there is a Prayer Card "*Shaping the Future with Hope*" available in each of the churches which you are invited to take home and pray during the year for the success of this Assembly.

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS** - Meetings each week in Ferbane. Contact 01 8527000.

**CLUNY APPEAL FOR MOZAMBIQUE** - Your contribution may be given into the Sisters in St. Joseph's Convent. Thank you.

**THANK YOU** - A word of sincere thanks to all who supported the Table Quiz in Kelly's, Belmont in aid of Cluny Sisters Mozambique Appeal. Thanks to Kelly's pub, those who gave donations, raffle prizes and helped on the night. A total of €1,180 was raised and given to the Cluny Sisters, Ferbane.

**FERBANE PARISH WEBSITE** - Is now available to view on [www.ferbaneparish.ie](http://www.ferbaneparish.ie).

**PARISH OFFICE** - Wed. from 9am-1pm and 2pm-5pm. T: 090 6454309 • [parishoffice@ferbaneparish.ie](mailto:parishoffice@ferbaneparish.ie).

**Notices for Bulletin:** Please note that notices for June 16th bulletin must be in the Parish office before 12 noon on Wednesday 12th next.

## CEMETERY MASSES

Gallen Cemetery, Friday 14th June, 7.30pm.

Kilrehan Cemetery, Sunday 7th July.

High Street Cemetery, Sunday 14th July.

Tisaran Cemetery, Thursday 15th August at 8pm.

## PRAYER FOR STUDENTS SITTING EXAMINATIONS

Lord, pour out your spirit of wisdom on these students: Help them to remain calm, to attend carefully to the questions asked, to think clearly, to remember accurately, and to express themselves well. Grant that they may reflect on the best of the work they have done and the best of the teaching they have received. Accept their best efforts in these examinations and in the great test of life on earth. May your love be upon them, O Lord, as they place all their trust in you.