

Vol. 30 No. 4 Third Sunday in Ordinary Time 26th January 2020

God teach me to be patient,
Teach me to go slow
Teach me how to 'wait on you'
When my way I do not know
Teach me sweet forbearance
When things do not go right
So I remain unruffled
When others grow uptight
Teach me how to quiet
My racing, rising heart
So I may hear the answer
You are trying to impart
Teach me how to let go, dear God
And pray undisturbed until
My heart is filled with inner peace
And I learn to do your will

REMEMBER

St Brigid's Day: Saturday 1st February

Feast of the Presentation of the Lord 2nd February Candlemas Sunday. The term 'Candlemas' (meaning Candle Mass) refers to the practice of the blessing of candles by the priest during Mass for use during the year in church and in the homes of the faithful. Donations for candles or the donations of candles for use in the churches would be most welcome.

Feast of St Blaise:

Blessing of the throats will take place next weekend after Saturday 7pm mass & after Sunday 9.30am & 11am masses.

Visiting of the sick & housebound will take place this coming week. The parish office will telephone you in advance. Again please let us know if you are not on our list and you or a member of your family would like a visit this month.

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Parish Office Opening Hours

Monday, Wednesday & Friday
9.45am - 12.45pm

Next edition of the Newsletter
Sunday 2nd February 2020

MASSES FOR THE COMING WEEK

Monday Mooncoin 7.30pm
 Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday
 Mooncoin 9.30am
 Sunday 2nd February :
 Carrigeen 9.30am

SAVE THE DATE: The Mooncoin Parish Mens Shed Official Opening will take place on Monday 3rd February. Please see next weekend's grapevine for more details or contact Joe on 087 761 2390.

ALTAR SERVERS & READERS WANTED FOR KILNASPIC
 Contact Katherine on 087 283 1005

WERK SHOW AGM. Monday 27th January. Church service will be held in the Church of the Assumption, Mooncoin @ 7.30pm followed by the AGM at 8.15pm in the Mooncoin GAA complex. All members are requested to attend.

MOONCOIN WOMENS GROUP

Monday mornings from 10am to 12pm in the Parish Hall. All are welcome.

Any **DISTRIBUTERS** who have not collected their yearly envelopes can call to the Parish Office. Your help and support is much appreciated.

If you are interested in volunteering for our **PARISH BAPTISMAL TEAM** please contact the parish office. Your help would be much appreciated.

CARRIGEEN G.A.A. CLUB TALENT SHOW. Details of the show are available on Carrigeen Gaa Facebook page. For all queries please get in touch via Facebook messenger or contact Rex Quinn club chairperson on 0864034348 or Wayne Kelly club secretary on 0838116812.

ASD (Autism) UNIT

Scoil Mhuire NS will open an ASD unit in September 2020 in the Junior Campus. If you have a child or know of a child who would qualify for a place, please contact the school on 051 895 503 for an application form.

CHANGE OF BAPTISM SCHEDULE

From March 2020 Baptisms are celebrated in our parish as follows
 1st Saturday of the Month - Carrigeen
 2nd Saturday of the Month - Kilnaspic
 3rd Saturday of the Month - Mooncoin

MOONCOIN BINGO. Next Monday's Jackpot is up to €520 in 56 calls or less. Please support the bingo.

MOONCOIN TWINNING

Travel to Galway for 2 nights April 20th/21st Dinner Bed/Breakfast. Cost €130. All are welcome. If you are interested contact Angela O'Hanlon 087 684 7691 or Mary Walsh 086 379 0655.

SOUTH KILKENNY HISTORICAL SOCIETY LECTURE

Title: Hitlers voices in Ireland. Thursdy 30th January @ 8pm in Mullinavat Parish Hall (opposite church) Speaker: Dr. David O'Donoghue. Admission €5 (society members free) All welcome.

S.V.P. Monthly Collection next weekend 1st/2nd February. Kilnaspic collection Sunday 9th February. Conference meeting Monday 3rd February in the Nagle Chapel 7.30pm. Thanking you for your continued support.

SUNDAY OF THE WORD OF GOD: Making the scriptures part of our everyday lives. Pope Francis is inviting Catholics across the world to deepen their appreciation, love & faithful witness to God and his Word. That's why the third Sunday in Ordinary time, January 26th is to be observed as a special day devoted to the 'celebration, study & dissemination of the Word of God'.

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK 26TH JAN - 2ND FEB

2020 The theme for Catholic Schools Week is 'Catholic Schools: Living in Harmony with God's Creation' and we invite Catholic Schools to reflect on and celebrate the important relationship within the context of home, school & parish throughout participation in two catechetical moments.

Proposed Cemetery Masses 2020:

- Carrigeen - Friday 5th June
- Mooncoin (new) - Saturday 6th June
- Mooncoin (old) - Friday 12th June
- Kilnaspic - Saturday 27th June

*** TIMES TO BE CONFIRMED ***

January 2020 Red = Carrigeen 9.30am Green = Kilnaspic 9.30am
 MASS SCHEDULE FOR MOONCOIN PARISH CHURCHES

M	T	W	T	F	S	S
27	28	29	30	31	1	2

MOONCOIN	DATE / TIME		NAMES			
CLEANERS	January	29th	Bridget McGrath Pauline Tobin		Kitty Grant Eithne Ponce de Leon	
FLOWERS	February		Ann Crowley-O'Neill		Katrina Foskin Una Foley	
COLLECTORS	February	7.00pm	Therese Walsh		Paul Butler	
		11.00am	Peter Purcell		Seamus O'Brien	
READERS	Feb 1st	7.00pm	John Lennon		Grace Murphy	
	Feb 2nd	11.00am	Tom Grant		Mia Ponce de Leon	
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	February	7.00pm	Hannah O'Shea	Monica Hassett	Bridget McGrath	
		11.00am	William Doyle	Catriona Cooney	Tom Grant	

CARRIGEEN	DATE / TIME		NAMES			
CLEANERS	February	1st	Marion Walsh		Mary Murphy	
COLLECTORS	February		Joe Dunphy		Frances Dunphy	
READERS	Feb 2nd	9.30am	Breda Walsh		Frank Hogan	
E. MINISTERS	Feb 2nd	9.30am	Mary Dalton		Eileen Dowling	

KILNASPIC	DATE / TIME		NAMES			
CLEANERS	February	1st	Margaret Rochford			
COLLECTOR	February	9.30am	Pat Kinsella / Tomas Kinsella / Jim Hearne			
READERS	Feb 9th	9.30am	June Long			
E. MINISTERS	Feb 9th	9.30am	June Long Evelyn Kinsella			

RECENTLY DECEASED: Jim Haugan, Florida. Julie Kelly nee Delahunty, Viewmount. Conor Croke, Dangan, Kilmacow / Melbourne
ANNIVERSARIES 18th / 19th January: Brenda Holden, Polerone. Elizabeth Power, Kilcraggan. Anna Walsh, Clogga. John Crowley, Riverquarter. Nicholas 'Claus' Walsh, Ballincur. Fr Matt McGauran, Longford/Cornwall. Willie Doyle, Skelpstown. Ellen Norris, Clogga. Liam Griffin, Middleton/Luton. Patrick 'Paddy' O'Keefe, Carrick Road. Martin Howley, Ballytarsney. Mickey Doherty, Glenmore. Mary O'Brien, Ballincur. James O'Brien, Ballincur. Maureen Ryan, Rathkieran. Johanna Walsh, Williamstown. John Tobin, Main Street.
MONTHS MIND: Charlie Brophy, Aisling B&B.

SAFEGUARDING CONCERNS If you have a child safeguarding concern or wish to raise a matter from the past you may contact any of the following: Diocesan Designated Persons Mr. Cathal Cullen 087 100 0232 or Ms. Rose Brophy 087 331 4330