

Mountmellick Parish Newsletter

**2nd Sunday of Lent
13th March, 2022**

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YOUR PARISH YOUR VOICE

Every Voice Counts

.....we're here to listen.....

Clonaslee, Killeigh, Mountmellick,
Portarlinton and Rosenallis parishes will host an open
gathering to 'Voice & Listen' on Monday March 28th,
7.30pm in the MDA Mountmellick. All welcome.
*...one thing our parish does well? one hope I have for
the Church moving forward? when I hear the word
'Church' who do I think of?*

**Mountmellick Parish
GIVING SUNDAY
MARCH 20 2022
THANK YOU**

Giving Sunday, March 20th

Giving Sunday envelopes will be
available in both churches next weekend. Once
again, because of Covid, it has not been possible to
distribute them parish-wide so if you can help pass
out some to family, neighbours or friends it would be
greatly appreciated. Envelopes can be returned in
the usual way. Every contribution matters and we only
ask that people donate as their means allow. Many
thanks to all who generously support the parish
financially. Your kindness is great. Míle buíochas.



St. Patrick's Day Lá Fhéile Pádraig

Vigil Mass: Weds 16th 7.30pm

Thurs March 17th:

9.00am Clonaghadoo agus

11.00am Parish Church.

Beannachtaí na Féile

Ministers of the Word Saturday/Sunday March 19th & 20th

7.30pm: Carol McAuley

11.00am: Vincent McEvoy

Ministers of the Eucharist Saturday/Sunday March 19th & 20th

7.30pm: Seabstian Kopijka &

Ger O'Mahony

11.00am: Michael Gormley &

Mona Conroy

Covid 19 Covid 19

The wearing of a mask is
ADVISED and **ENCOURAGED**
during all ceremonies in the Church.

Hand sanitiser remains
available for your use.

Thank you for your cooperation.

CONTINUING OUR RECOVERY

Prayer for Peace for Ukraine

Loving God, we pray for the people of Ukraine,
for all those suffering or afraid,

that you will be close to them and protect them.

We pray for world leaders, for compassion, strength and
wisdom to guide their choices.

We pray for the world that in this moment of crisis,
we may reach out in solidarity to our brothers and sisters in need.

May we walk in your ways so that peace and justice
become a reality for the people of Ukraine and for all the world.
Amen.



CELEBRATING SACRAMENTS Family, Parish, School. CONFIRMATION 2022

Mar 26th, Clonaghadoo at 11.00am

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2022

May 14th, Scoil Phádraig at 11.00am and Scoil Iósaif at 2.00pm.

May 21st, The Rock NS at 11.00am and Clonaghadoo NS at 11am.



CONGRATUATIONS

Every blessing and congratulations to the boys
of Scoil Phádraig and girls from Scoil Iósaif who
celebrated their Confirmation this weekend.
Thanks to their parents/guardians, their families and
their teachers who all helped along the way.

SPIRIT OF THE LIVING GOD FALL AFRESH ON US

REMEMBERING OUR FAITHFUL DEPARTED - ANNIVERSARIES

Month's Mind Masses: Mary B. Culliton, Davitt Road, Mary Duggan, Briar Lane, Mass here on Tuesday March 15th at 7.30pm.

For the following whose anniversaries are remembered this weekend and for whom Mass will be offered:

Dolores Crofton, Harbour Street, Mai Flanagan, Irishtown, Nora Lawlor, Chapel Street, Julia Whelan, Salthouse Lane, Christina Byrne, Wolfetone Street, Patrick Conlon, Parnell Street, Denis Delaney, Manor Lane, Mea Farrell, Lord Edward Street, Paddy Connolly, Acragar, Mary & Joseph Conroy, Emmet Street, Jack Doyle, Emmet Tce., Mary Finlay, Bay Road, Patrick & Bridget Hennessy, Lord Edward Street, Emily Philomena & Christopher Dunne, O'Moore Street,

For those whose anniversaries occur at this time and for whom Mass will be offered next weekend Saturday/Sunday 19th & 20th March: Raphael Scott (1st Anniversary), Ballyfin, Mary Rochford, Wolfetone Street, John McDonald, Derryguile,

Masses available on parish webcam or church radio.

MOUNTMELICK PARISH

Collections

Saturday/Sunday 5th & 6th March

Envelopes: €1,345

Baskets: €740

THANK YOU THANK YOU

DONATE ONLINE

You can make your donation to support the parish via the 'Donate' button on our Parish Website, www.mountmellickparish.ie

CHEQUES CHEQUES

Please make all cheques for the parish payable to

"Mountmellick Parish No 1 Account".

CELEBRATING BAPTISM

If you have a baby for Baptism, please make sure we have your "Baptism Registration Form" on file in the Parish Office.

Welcome to our newly baptised....

Tommy Daly, Pattisons Estate,

Fiadh Moore, Grange Hall,

"O Angel of God, my Guardian dear, to whom God's love commits me here, ever this day, be at my side, to light and guard, to rule and guide. Amen."

MOUNTMELICK PARISH LOTTO

Wednesday March 9th

Jackpot Numbers: 6:7:11:20: NO Jackpot Winner:

Next weeks Jackpot is: €17,000. 30 Match '3' - €34

Winner

Betty & Darragh Conroy
Art & Essie

Promoter:

Betty Conroy
Judy Furlong

Weekday Mass Times for Lent - St. Joseph's Church

Monday 10.00am

Tuesday 7.30am & 7.30pm

Wednesday 10.00am - Thursday 7.30pm

Friday 10.00am



Stations of the Cross in Lent

Join us for prayer and reflection at the "Stations of the Cross" every Sunday evening during Lent at 7.00pm in St. Joseph's Church. All welcome.

DAFFODIL DAY

Daffodil Day takes place this year on Friday March 25th. It is the Irish Cancer Society's major fund raiser. If anyone would like to help in anyway please contact Mary Donohue @ 8624758/087 7814754 or Bridie Parkinson @ 086 2065720. All help greatly appreciated.

Kildare & Leighlin SAFEGUARDING

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BINGO

this Sunday evening.

**Bingo begins at 8.00pm.
Check!!**

MOUNTMELICK GAA

Jackpot No's: 1:8:10:24:

€50 - Bernie Dunne.

€25 x 2 - Mac Turner, John

Forde, NW J/Pot: €10,000

ROCK GAA & ROCK N.S. LOTTO

Jackpot No's: 4:18:24:27:

5 x €20 winners: Mrs.

Nolan, Lisa & Cathal

O'Neill, John Conroy,

Gordon O'Neill, Marie

Conlon, NW J/Pot: €10,000

BALCONY CINEMA

showing "King Richard"

Wednesday March 16th at

8pm. Tickets €5. Richard

Williams is determined to write his daughters, Venus and Serena, into history.

Thank You

Our thanks to everyone for their kindness and support when honouring the memory our baby son Odhran. Mass will be offered for your intentions.

*Hilary & Patrick Murphy,
Irishtown.*

LOURDES 2022 LOURDES 2022 PILGRIMAGE

Mountmellick, Ballyfin,
Mountrath.

August 5th/12th (Joe Walsh Tours)

€879pp sharing (Single Room

Supp: €266) Covid Insurance

Included. Information, Booking
and Details now from

Eleanor 087/7670915

Mission Alive

Would like to thank everyone who supported their collection last weekend. Amount collected €970. Donations for Mission Alive can be left into the Parish Office or to Fr. Dunphy.