

Church of The Immaculate Conception Castlecomer PARISH NEWSLETTER

21st August 2022

Blessed Are Those Who Die In The Lord

Died Recently

John Rothwell
Firoda & Drimnagh, Dublin.
Michael Doogue
Smithstown/Chatsworth St.
Margaret (Aggie) Kegley (née Doyle)
Malahide, Dublin/Barrack St.
Tommy O'Brien
Limerick/Kilkee, Co. Clare.

Anniversaries

Eileen Sherwood (Sat. 7.00pm)
15 Maryville. also Sherwood and Lawlor
Families.
Noel Dowling (Sun. 11.00am.)
13 Old School Crescent, Moneenroe.
Rose Holden (Mon. 9.00am.) Love Lane.
Patrick (Paddy) Tyrrell (Tues. 9.00am.)
Bowden's Court.
Tommy Loughlin (Wed. 9.00am.) Ardra.
Margaret Ryan (Fri. 9.00am.)
39 Maryville.
Mary Hole (née Reeves) (Sat. 10.00am.)
Kilkenny St./Luton.
Margaret & Joe Walsh Moneenroe.
Tom Shalloe Snr. & Tom Shalloe Jnr.
2 Ballyragget Road.
Christopher (Kit) Weldon 6 Marymount.
Annie Joyce 43 Kilkenny St.
Bridie Jeffers (nee Brennan)
Canada/ Moneenroe.
Nancy Russell (nee Brennan)
Moneenroe/Australia.

Adoration & Prayer in Church

Every Tuesday from 7.00pm – 9.00pm.
Rosary recited at 8.00pm, Divine Mercy
Chaplet at 8.45pm. All welcome.

Readers for next Weekend

Vigil Mass 7.00pm. Mrs. Brigid Coady.
Sunday 8.00am. Mr. Donall Dunne.
11.00am. Mr. John Kelly.

Priests on duty:

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Eucharistic Ministers' Rota

9.00am. Monday 22nd – Fri. 26th

Teresa Hetherington.

10.00am. Saturday 27th August

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7.00pm. Mass Saturday 27th August

Frances Dargan.

8.00am. Mass Sunday 28th August

Margaret O'Neill.

11.00am. Mass Sunday 28th August

Aileen Ferris.

Saturday, 27th August at 7.00pm.

Jim & Alice Dooley, P.J. Dooley &
Billy Dooley.

Cloneen, Crettyard/Smithstown.

Sunday, 28th August at 11.00am.

Month's Mind

Patrick (Pat) O'Meara - 35 Hillside View.

Rose of Tralee Festival 2022

Kilkenny Rose Ms. Molly Coogan, Firoda
Sincerest congratulations to Molly on being
chosen as Kilkenny Rose for this year's
Festival. What an honour for her, her family
and Castlecomer!

Molly is daughter of Anne and Tom and
sister of Tommy and James.
She is a past pupil of Holy Cross National
School, Firoda and Castlecomer
Community School. At present she is
studying Business & Law in U.C.D.
She is a member of Parish Choir, involved
too with the Annual pantomime from an
early age and has played football and
basketball with local clubs.
This weekend through this Parish
Newsletter the whole Parish Community
join in wishing her well in the Festival and
thank her again and her family for bringing
such a high honour to us all.

Prayer to Our Lady of Knock

*Our Lady of Knock, Queen of Ireland,
You gave hope to your people in a time of
distress and comforted them in sorrow.*

*You have inspired countless pilgrims to
pray with confidence to your divine Son,
remembering His promise,
"Ask and you shall receive,
seek and you shall find".*

*Help me to remember that we are all
pilgrims on the road to Heaven.
Fill me with love and concern for my
brothers and sisters in Christ, especially
those who live with me.*

*Comfort me when I am sick, lonely or
depressed. Teach me how to take part ever
more reverently in the Holy Mass.
Give me a greater love of Jesus in the
Blessed Sacrament.*

*Pray for me now and at the
end of my death.*

Amen

Thought for the Day

*The most beautiful thoughts are nothing
without good works.*

St. Thérèse of Lisieux

Talk on Workhouse

John Ryan of the Fassadinin History Society
will give a talk on Castlecomer
Workhouse on Sunday at 3.00pm. Meet in
Castlecomer District Hospital. This talk is
being organised for Heritage Week.

Parish Office

Will be open on Monday & Friday from
9:30am – 1:30pm. Only one person in the
Parish Office at a time. Please use hand
sanitiser in lobby area, and maintain social
distance in the office. Thank you.

Noon (Monday – Saturday)

A group of parishioners come together in
the Church to pray the Angelus and Rosary
and Chaplet of Divine Mercy. You are
welcome to join with them. You may also
join them on the Parish Radio and Webcam.

Every Sunday Afternoon

A group of parishioners will pray the
Rosary and the Chaplet of Divine Mercy at
3.00pm. People may also join them through
the Parish Radio and Webcam.

St. Mary's Cathedral Gift and Bookshop

The Chapter House Bookshop is open
Wednesday, Thursday and Friday,
9.30am – 5.00pm. Situated beside the
Cathedral the shop has a wide range of
books and bibles, cards and prayer books.
The shop has books for teenagers and
Children, including comics and Lego
Bibles, traditional picture Bibles, books
about Irish and Celtic Saints and Heroes in
bilingual versions. Activity and sticker
books are also available for the younger age
group.

Weekly Envelope/Holy Day Collection

Sunday, 14th August - €1,495.00
Sincere thanks.