



PARISH NEWSLETTER 28/29 SEPT 2019
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Blessing for Animals:

Blessed are you, Lord God, maker of all living creatures. You called forth fish in the sea, birds in the air and animals on the land, You inspired St. Francis to call all of them his brothers and sisters. We ask you to bless our pets. By the power of your love, enable them to live according to your plan. May we always praise you for all your beauty in creation. Blessed are you, Lord our God, in all your creatures! Amen."

Feast Day Friday 4th October - St. Francis of Assisi

NOTICES

Blessed John Henry Newman Canonisation

There will be a special Mass to celebrate the Canonisation of Blessed John Henry Newman in Ballybrown Church on Sunday 13th at 10.00am.

Live television broadcast from Rome of the canonisation ceremony for Blessed John Henry Newman (and four other Blesseds) will also take place on

Sunday 13th, Channel: RTE1. Time: From 9.05am until 10.45am

Also on RTE+1 one hour later i.e. 10.05am until 11.45am

Delayed transmission on Radio 1 Extra, and on Longwave 252 at 11.00am.

Diocesan Assembly Saturday 5th Oct 9.30am to 4pm in Rathkeale House Hotel.

The theme of the Assembly is '**One Diocese, Many Stories**'.

There will be 3 rounds of storytelling throughout the day so each person can choose 3 different stories to join. It is hoped to have some representatives from the Parish attend, we may learn from the stories of other parishes. If you are available and interested please **register with Pauline in the Parish Office before 12noon on Thursday 3rd** giving the 3 stories you are most interested in. Full listing of all Stories at the back of the Church.

Coffee Morning in aid of Team Hope Shoebox Appeal: *In order to raise funds for this appeal we are holding a coffee morning in Patrickswell Church this **Sunday, 29 September** after 11.30am mass. All welcome.*

Patrickswell Community Planning Survey: Meeting held on Tuesday last in the Cú Chulainn was well attended. The public are now invited to give their views and comments through the survey, all comments are anonymous, and the final report will be based on everyone's feedback. The survey can be completed in two ways, on this link <https://forms.gle/TpAfbmsgdBYum4317> or by paper format, there are copies of the paper format available at the back of the church in Patrickswell, when completed please drop them into the Community Resource Centre. For further information contact 061-320303

Ireland's Biggest Coffee Morning for the Hospice - Sunday 06th October at 10.45am after mass in the Ballybrown/Clarina Community Centre. Every cup counts! Come along, donate whatever you can and help make a life brighter. All donations to Milford Hospice, Castletroy, Limerick. Thank you.

Limerick Mental Health Week 2019 starts on **Friday October 4th** running until **October 11th**. A wide variety of events planned, we look forward to an impactful week. See LMHW.

- **The Samaritans (24hr listening service)** Free phone: **116 123. Text: 087 260 9090**
- **Aware (Depression & Anxiety)** Free phone: **1800 80 48 48** Mon-Sun 10am – 10pm.
- **MyMind (Counselling & Psychotherapy)** Call **076 680 1060 (press 3)**
Mon – Sat 9 am- 7pm
- **Suicide Intervention Response in Limerick.** Call **085 1777 631** 5pm – 6am distress calls only
- **National Suicide Helpline (Pieta House)** Call **1800 247 247**
Local house **061 484444** Mon – Fri, 9am – 5pm.

Mass Intentions

Ballybrown: **Sat 28th** Paddy Dore, James Morrissey. **Sun 29th** Maurice Noel Fitzgerald, John Fitzgerald, Christopher O'Dea. **Wed 2nd Oct** James Cusack.

Fri 4th Elizabeth Halpin

Sat 5th Patck & Peg Hartigan, Mary Carroll,

Christina Cleary and Hugh O' Neill. **Sun 6th** Claire Madigan.

Patrickswell: **Sat 28th** Jason Griffin, Anthony Murray.

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE

MASSES FOR COMING WEEK

Patrickswell: 9.30am - Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday.
Saturday Mass - 6.30pm. Sunday 11.30am.
Adoration: Thursdays from 7.00 to 9.00pm & Saturdays 8.00am – 12noon.
Baptisms: 2nd & 4th weekends of the month on Sat at 5.00pm and Sun at 12.30pm.
Next Baptismal Gathering Tues 8th October in the Church Meeting Room at 7.30pm.

Ballybrown: 9.30am – Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday.
Adoration Wednesday at 7pm. Mass at 8.00pm.
Saturday - 8.00pm. Sunday 10.00am
Baptisms: 1st & 3rd weekends of the month on Sat at 5.00pm and Sun at 12.30pm.
Next Baptismal Gathering is Monday 20th October at 7.30pm in the Church.
Baptisms to be booked one month in advance with Parish Office.

Friday 4th October - First Friday: Calls to the housebound as normal, if you wish to put your name on the list please advise the Parish Office or Sacristans.

Offertory Collection Weekend 15/09/2019 - €1626.40
Offertory Collection last Weekend - €1620.10