

# PARISHES OF NARRAGHMORE & MOONE

*The Faith Communities of:*



*Ballymount, Crookstown, Kilmead & Moone.*

Bulletin - 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time - February 9<sup>th</sup>/10<sup>th</sup> 2019

## MASS INTENTIONS

### SUNDAY

**BALLYMOUNT** - Martin Dowling (A)

**CROOKSTOWN** - Paddy Dunne - Irishtown (1<sup>st</sup> A), Kathleen Ann Leigh - Baronsland (A), Rose Devereux (A), Bridie Keogh - Lipstown (A), Juliann Keogh - Grangecon (A), Mary Ging (1<sup>st</sup> A), Tina Nolan (1<sup>st</sup> A), Lil Cullen (A), James Hickey - Narraghmore (A), Anne Houlihan (Birthday Rem.), Thomas & Bridget Doyle (A). Mary Farrelly - (Stradbally) sister of Martha Heffernan (Rec Dec).

**KILMEAD** - Martin Berry (A), Doyle & McDonald families - Burtown (A), Johnnie & Teresa Kelly - Youngstown. Recently deceased - Mary Farrelly - Stradbally (sister of Martha Heffernan)

**MOONE** - John Hipwell (A), Chris Moore - Mullaghmast (A), Paddy & Pat Leigh - Castledermot (A), Donie McGrath (A), Michael O'Neill (A), Dora Kinsella - Hughestown (52<sup>nd</sup> A)

### WEEKDAY

**CROOKSTOWN:** Wed & Fri 9.30am - Donor's Intentions

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**Question:** If I am not 'actively and consciously' participating in mass, in as much as I am able, do I still share in the grace of mass?

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### PARISH VOLUNTEERS & GDPR

All parish volunteers should have received a form requesting your consent to the parish retaining your data for the purpose of communicating with you in accordance with your role as a parish volunteer.

This relates to **ALL** volunteers in our parish - Ministers of the Word & Eucharist, Choirs, Collectors, Baptism Teams, Altar Society, Flower arrangers, Sacristans etc... If you have not already done so, please complete and return the

form as soon as possible.

If you have not received a form please contact either Conor the Parish Pastoral Worker or Ber in the Parish Office. Many thanks for your cooperation.

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### ST LAURENCE'S NS - CROOKSTOWN

Enrolment is now open for this September. For further information or to register your daughter or son, please contact Rosie on 059-8623333

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### DIVINE MERCY CONFERENCE 2019

The conference will take place from February 22<sup>nd</sup> to 24<sup>th</sup> in the RDS, Dublin.

Friday night is given over to young people.

### Speakers include:

Archbishop Diarmuid Martin (Archbishop of Dublin), Archbishop Jude Thaddeus Okolo - Papal Nuncio, Fr Brendan Walsh Pallotine Fathers (Family Tree Healing Ministry) and more besides.

Tickets available from PayPal online or the Divine Mercy Apostolate, 22, Castle Grove, Clondalkin, Dublin 22. Prices are as follows:

€35 for the weekend.

€30 Saturday only

€20 Sunday only.

See [www.divinemercyconference.com](http://www.divinemercyconference.com) for further details.

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### EMMANUEL 2019 AT THE HELIX:

70 Second Level Schools from all over the Archdiocese will participate in the renowned Emmanuel concert series this year, where hundreds of teenagers take part in a live concert in the Helix over

four nights, Monday 25/Tuesday 26/ Wednesday 27 and Thursday 28 of February at 7.30pm each evening. Come along and as a choir or music group to listen to young people praising God with energy in this unique event.

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### K LEISURE - ATHY

**AQUA AEROBICS FOR THOSE WITH ARTHRITIS.**

A six week class for people with arthritis starts in K Leisure Athy on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February at 12 noon. Cost €5 per session. No booking necessary.

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### ANOINTING OF THE SICK

On Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> February Mass with the Anointing of the sick will be celebrated at 12 noon in TEACH DIARMADA CASTLEDERMOT. Please spread the word; thinking ahead - neighbours and friends might need a lift to the Community Centre.

Refreshments served afterwards.

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### VISIT OF CENTENNIAL STATUE OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA

A centennial statue of Our Lady of Fatima will visit Castledermot Church on Weds Feb 13<sup>th</sup>. The statue will arrive in the church around lunchtime. There will be devotions during the day, with Mass at 7.00pm.

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### ANAM CARA

South Dublin the organisation that supports bereaved parents' is holding a Bereavement Information Evening on

Monday 11 February at 7:20pm in the Maldron Hotel, Tallaght, Dublin 24.  
This is a free event and open to all bereaved parents. Information Line on 085 2888 888

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**ACCORD ANNUAL COLLECTION**

The annual collection for ACCORD, the Diocesan Agency for Marriage and the Family, will be made at all Masses on the weekend of 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> February. The collection for ACCORD will replace the usual Share Collection.

ACCORD Dublin offers Marriage Preparation Courses, counselling for couples and individuals experiencing difficulties in their relationships and a Relationship and Sexuality Programme for primary and secondary Schools.

ACCORD Dublin needs your support. Please give generously

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**CROOKSTOWN/BALLYMOUNT MONTHLY PARISH LOTTO - JANUARY RESULTS: Numbers 6-7-23.**

**€20 winners:**

Pat Mackey c/o M. Cullen

6 O S c/o M. Cullen

Anne O'Reilly c/o M. Cullen

Sheamus Byrne c/o Nancy Dowling

Michael Finnegan c/o Nancy Dowling

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**ATHY PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES**

26<sup>th</sup> June - 1<sup>st</sup> July Staying in Hotel Padeue  
Price €757

Contact Maureen Ryan, William St.

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**SICK & HOUSEBOUND PARISHIONERS**

Do you have a relative or neighbour who is sick at home or housebound and who might benefit from a visit from the Pastoral Worker or would just like to receive Holy Communion? If so please contact Conor.

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**THE PRIORY INSTITUTE:**

Registration is now open for Spring Semester we offer a number of theology courses through distance education (beginning on 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2019).

For more information on our courses contact us by email:

[enquiries@prioryinstitute.com](mailto:enquiries@prioryinstitute.com)

Phone: (0)1 404 8125

or [www.prioryinstitute.com](http://www.prioryinstitute.com)

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**CHRONIC OBSTRUCTIVE PULMONARY DISORDER - (COPD)**

A COPD support group meets every Wednesday in the Cathedral Parish Centre in Carlow from 12 noon until 1pm. This is an exercise group aimed specifically at those with COPD. For further details please contact: Mick Dooley on 087-6708179.

There is also a Stoke Support Group which meets on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday of every month from 2:30pm - 4pm in the Sacred Heart Hospital in Carlow, further details available from Mick Dooley

Stores Baltinglass.

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**MASS & CHURCH SERVICE TIMES:**

**BALLYMOUNT:**

Sunday 8.30am

**CROOKSTOWN:**

Saturday 7pm (Vigil)

Wednesday & Friday: 9.30am

Tuesday & Thursday: 9.30am - Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion.

Tues. 7-8pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

**KILMEAD:**

Sunday 10.30am

Thursday 9.30am - Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion.

Prayer Meeting - Wednesday 7.30pm

**MOONE:**

Sunday 12noon. Holy Day: 11am

Tuesday & Friday 10am - Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion.

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**THE PARISH TEAM:**

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**PARISH SECRETARIES**

BER MURPHY & TRISH HOLLIGAN - .

Mon, Tue, Wed & Fri 10am - 4pm.

S.s. Mary & Laurence Church, Crookstown, TEL: 059 8623154. Email: [stlaurenceschurch@gmail.com](mailto:stlaurenceschurch@gmail.com)

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**TAKE TIME.**

Take time to think - it is the source of power.

Take time to play - it is the secret of perpetual youth.

Take time to read - it is the fountain of wisdom

Take time to pray - it is the greatest power on earth.

Take time to love and be loved - it is a God given privilege

Take time to be friendly - it is the road to happiness

Take time to laugh - it is music to the soul

Take time to give - it is too short a day to be selfish

Take time to work - it is the price of success

Take time to do Charity - it is the key to heaven.

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**SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT**

LESS	MORE
Talking	Listening
Planning	Doing
Fizzy Drinks	Water
Junk Food	Healthy Food
Complaining	Encouraging
Worrying	Hoping
Doubting	Believing
Lazing Around	Exercising
Frowning	Smiling
Insecurity	Trust
Weakness	Confidence
Ignorance	Understanding
Hate	Love
Ungratefulness	Gratitude

**ANSWER:** Did you know that the church teaches that in order that the liturgy 'may be able to produce its full effects it is necessary that the [we] come with proper disposition...' 'that our minds [and hearts] be attuned with our voices'. And while the Church teaches that personal prayer & private devotions are essential and of great benefit to the life of the Christian, '...the liturgy (especially the Eucharistic Liturgy) is far superior to any of them...' The Eucharist is the source of all Christian activity and the summit to which all Christian activity is directed. (Taken from the document of Vatican II on the Sacred Liturgy)