

PARISHES OF NARRAGHMORE & MOONE

The Faith Communities of:



Ballymount. Crookstown. Kilmead & Moone.

Bulletin - 19th Sunday of Ordinary Time - August 10th/11th 2019

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY & SUNDAY

BALLYMOUNT - Bridget Byrne - Merville (A)

CROOKSTOWN - Jim Flood (A), John Halloran (A), Matt Farrell (A), Maria Harmon (A), Bridget Byrne - Merville (A), Declan Duffy (A), Mary Kelly (A), Stephen & Phyllis Wright (A).

KILMEAD - Jim Flood (A)

MOONE - Eugene Lawler (A)

WEEKDAY

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



Question: What is transubstantiation?

FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION

Thursday August 15th is the Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. It is a Holy Day of obligation.

Mass times across the Parish Grouping are as follows:

Wednesday Aug 14th

Vigil Mass: Crookstown 7pm

Thursday August 15th

Athy: 9.30am & 7.30pm

Moone: 11am

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION:

At the start of the Rosary we usually offer one Our Father, three Hail Mary's and one Glory Be for the Pope's intentions but we often do not know what the intention is. Each month the Pope has different intentions that he asks us to join with him in praying for. The intention for the month of August is:

Families, Schools of Human Growth.

That families, through their life of prayer and love, become ever more clearly

"schools of true human growth."

COMMUNITY CAFES

Across our parishes we are blessed to have two community Cafes: The Old Hardware in Narraghmore and The Piers Café in Moone.

These two local enterprises are community initiatives to keep our villages alive.

Please give them your support by dropping in and having a cuppa and a chat.

They are run by volunteers for the good of the community and worthy of our support.

MOONE SHINE ON THE ROSES



Street Party - Tuesday
August 20th at 11:30am

Come & Meet the Rose of Tralee contestants when they visit Moone and Timolin.

Street Feast with BBQ,
Afternoon Tea and treats for
the children.

Live Summer Sounds from the
CARLOW UKULELE COLLECTIVE
as well as live Traditional
Music by the LAWLER FAMILY.

Come and meet your
neighbours and friends, enjoy
seeing the Roses and share
some delicious food and live
entertainment

Everyone is welcome

REMEMBERING BROTHER ROGER, TAIZÉ

EVENING PRAYER:

Join us to celebrate the 14th anniversary of the death of Brother Roger with a contemplative chanted Taizé Evening Prayer which will take place in St Paul's Church, Arran Quay, Dublin 7, on **Friday 16th August @ 7.30pm.**

It's hosted by members of the St Kevin's group. All are welcome. St Paul's is close to the Smithfield LUAS stop and there's free parking available in the Smithfield area after 7.00pm.

SOUTH EAST REGION - CHARISMATIC CONFERENCE

The Rhu Glenn Hotel, Slieverue (via
Waterford)

Speakers: Ros Powell & Fr John Keane.
Saturday 7th & Sunday 8th of September
at 10am.

Cost €25 pre booking not necessary
Further information available from: Síle
086-8590394 & Mossy 087-2136812.

FAMILY INSPIRATIONAL PUBLICATIONS:

The Council for Marriage and the Family introduce two new Family Inspirational Publications. The renewed 'Family Prayer Book' and inspirational phrases from Pope Francis', The Joy of Love – On Love in the Family, in 'The Family is Good News', from the Council for Marriage and the Family of the Irish Episcopal Conference, are available from Veritas

For information contact:

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**KNOW YOUR FAITH – PATHWAYS –
EXPLORING FAITH AND MINISTRY** An Adult Faith Development Programme - *Pathways* is a two-year one night a week course for adults of all ages who wish to explore their faith. It runs from late September to May each year, with breaks for Christmas, Easter and mid-

terms. There are no exams and no written work. The only requirement is an openness to listening to others and to participate. For Further Details please contact Conor McCann.

VOLUNTEERS

ST VINCENT DE PAUL urgently need volunteers in the areas of Dublin, Wicklow and Kildare to work in assistance with individuals and families for just once a week.

This will be for about 3 hours, day or night, (whatever suits you best). Full training and support provided - for more information Tel: 01 8198405 or www.SVP.ie/volunteer@svp.ie/

PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND

Join us on this special pilgrimage where you will have an opportunity to walk in the Footsteps of Jesus by visiting Bethlehem, Nazareth, Cana, Sea of Galilee, Mount Tabor, Jerusalem and much more. Join a Dublin Parish on this trip of a lifetime from 13 - 21 September with direct flights Dublin - Tel Aviv return €1695 p.p.s. Limited Places available - Contact MAP Travel - call Patricia on (01) 8783111 or email: Patricia@maptravel.ie or visit: www.maptravel.ie

PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA

Last remaining seats for this October's Dublin to Fatima Pilgrimage leaving on the 10th October for 7 nights ex Dublin for Feast Miracle of the Sun in Fatima.

For more information contact James Treacy on 086-0572216.

PILGRIMAGE TO OUR LADY'S ISLAND

15th August 2019

Mass, Procession around the Island, Rosary.

Moone Parish: leaving after 11am mass on the 15th

Athy Parish: Bus departs from back of Emily Sq. at 11 am.

Return time 7.15 pm approx. There are a number of places still available, to book Contact Elaine at 085 1801 391

GOLF CLASSIC

To help repair the roof of Ballybrack church (Sts. Alphonsus and Columba) Ballybrack-Killiney parish will host a Golf Classic on Thursday 12th September in Woodbrook, Shanganagh, a stunning golf course in

the garden of Ireland.

Teams of four to cost €600, €150 each.

Great prizes and gala dinner in the evening.

If you are interested in playing, or just attending the dinner, please contact Fr Tom Dalzell or the Ballybrack-Killiney parish office at 01 2822657 or ballybrack.killiney@gmail.com

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.

Holy Hour - Wednesday 7.00pm

MOONE:

Sunday 12noon. Holy Day: 11am

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

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

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

It is alarming to think that "where your treasure is, there your heart will be also." To find out where my treasure is I need to look not at what I think but at what I do. How do I choose to spend my time? Where does my best concentration go? What "things" in life provide me with the greatest challenge and the greatest fulfilment? When am I most truly myself?

Even more, to know myself spiritually, introspection is only a limited guide.

What I really need to do is to take account of how I act. What about the last week, for example? What does that tell me about myself?

Prayer: Lord Jesus, let me know myself and know you, and desire nothing, save only you. Look upon me, that I may love you. Call me, that I may see you, and for ever enjoy you. Amen.

St Augustine

ANSWER: Did you know that Transubstantiation is the term used to explain what happens to the Bread and Wine at the consecration of the Mass? The term, Transubstantiation, was first used by the Fourth Lateran Council in 1215.

The priest does not change the bread and wine into the Body & Blood of Jesus, the priest consecrates the bread & wine and it is the action of Christ Himself who causes the real and substantial change to occur.

What does that mean? It means that although the bread & wine, look the same, taste the same, feel the same, smell the same, their substance, that which makes them bread and wine, has changed. Their outward appearance is the same but their inward substance, 'their bread-ness and wine-ness' have changed. There are many miracles of the Eucharistic which have borne out this reality. There are many websites where you can learn more about them.

As early as the 4th century the Church Fathers, like St Ambrose & St Chrysostom were writing about this real and substantive change.

Belief in the 'real presence' or the 'Eucharistic Presence' is one of the key distinctive features of Roman Catholicism.

If you would like to learn more about Transubstantiation and the real presence then look up the Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC) Part 2, Section 2, Chapter 1 especially paragraphs 1373-1381.