



ABBAYFEALE PARISH NEWS



18th Sept 2016 Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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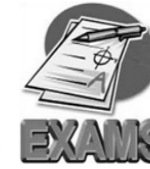
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A meeting of the Pastoral Council will take place on Monday 19th @ 7.30pm after the 7pm Mass

Congratulations to all students who received their examination results this week. Lord bless the children and youth as they begin yet another year of school. Give them peace when they feel nervous, focus when they feel distracted, energy when they feel tired.



Open their minds to the lessons they will learn both in and outside the classroom. Help them to make friends that build one another up, and be friends to those who need them. Guide them in making good choices as they grow in wisdom and maturity.

Be ever-present with them in the classroom, on the school bus, on the playground, and at home, and may they feel your loving care in all they do. Amen."

Ministers for 18th Sept Team D,E,F

Readers for Sept 18th Team 6
7pm Megan Meehan, Knocknasna
9.30am Mary Harnett, Kilconlea
12noon Norma Healy, Dromtrasna

Readers guide The readers guide is available in the sacristy for all readers to collect this weekend

LEGION OF MARY PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE: A bus will travel from Abbeyfeale on Sunday, September 25 at 7am. Book your seat €20 from members; Sean Broderick 068 31213 Bernard Broderick 068 31565 Gerard O'Callaghan 087 2980841 Michael Lane 087 9639775 David Davy 087 0994272.



Prayer for vocations

Father, in the power of your Spirit. You sent your Son to bring hope to all peoples. We pray that you will give the same Spirit to young men and women, so that they, like Jesus, may answer your call to bring Good News to the poor, give new sight to the blind, and announce that the Kingdom of God has come.

St.Ita's Reading Group will meet in the small chapel on Wednesday September [21st.@2p.m.](#) WE are looking forward to seeing our regular readers and hopefully some new ones.

Epilepsy Ireland will hold a church gate collection on 1st & 2nd Oct. Anna Kelly (Mid West HSE area) The social service centre, Henry St. limerick Tel 061/313773 Email akelly@epilepsy.ie

A collection in aid of the Town Park will take at the gate on Sept 24/25th Sept.

Irish Cancer Society wish to thank you for your support to their recent collection. The amount collected was €1119.75 which will go towards making a difference in the lives of people affected by cancer.

Centred in God

This Sundays readings begin with the words: "Listen to this, you who trample on the needy, and try to suppress the poor people of the country,..." and ends with "No servant can be the slave of two masters: he will either hate the first and love the second, or treat the first with respect and the second with scorn. You cannot be the slave both of God and of money." Strong words! They challenge us to really look at how we live and how our lives impact others.

As [Rev. Catherine Rolling](#) writes:

Sometimes God we take ourselves so seriously - our opinions, our emotions, our needs, our entitlements -

that we fail to notice our effect on others. And we do not make connections between our limitless wants and the resources left for others. We do this without knowing it.

Bring our awareness to Justice for all to the common good, to your universality of blessings. Remind us you love all.

So this week, as we prepare to gather with our community of faith, may we take time to notice how we are living May the way I speak to the person in the street reflect my commitment to be Christs gentle mercy in the world. May the way I look at the stranger be a witness to the love of God for all people. May the way I treat my environment reflect Pope Francis call to 'care for our common home'.

In a world that pulls us in all directions, may we be centred in God.

Masters, two and more, competing for our money clamouring for our time creating chaos in our lives. Master, one God, quiet us and draw us near.

Intentions for this weekend

7pm Connie, Eilish and Bridget Harnett Kilconlea Upper Anniv

9.30am
12noon Margaret Lane Ballaugh Anniv.

Intentions for next week

Mon 7pm Deceased members of the Active Retirement Association

Thurs 10am Michael O'Shea, Anniv

Fri 10am Donie Cahill, Brosna / Knocknasna

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7pm Patrick Moriarty, Caherlane Anniv.
Dan Murphy, New Street 1st Anniv.
Michael & Ellen Quille, Ballaugh Anniv.

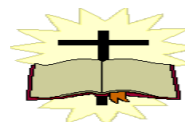
9.30am Special Intention
12noon Special Intention

Pilgrimage to Lourdes Sept 22nd .

The bus to Shannon Airport will leave from the church yard on Thursday 22nd @ 4.30am sharp.

UNCOVER THE HIDDEN TREASURES OF THE BIBLE! Join us for a **CRASH COURSE IN THE BIBLE** and see the bible brought to life

VENUE Limerick Pastoral Centre, Denmark Street, Limerick TIME 7.30 - 9 pm BOOK NOW - Limited places available! Commencing Monday 26th September -5th December (excluding break for bank holiday)



A concert of inspirational music

IRELAND'S GREATEST VOICE

Red Hurley

How Great Thou Art

Red Hurley has always been highly acclaimed for his excellent concerts and this visit to The Church of the Assumption is eagerly anticipated by his legions of fans. This show will feature Red's breathtaking individual voice. His songs are haunting, evocative and beautifully presented as only Red can. "How Great Thou Art" "I Believe" "Love is All" are just some of the many treats that are in store for you on this night of nights.

Church of the Assumption, Abbeyfeale
FRIDAY 14TH OCTOBER 2016
Starts 8pm Tickets €15

ABBAYFEALE PARISH CHURCH MOBILE 089 4356981
TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM THE FOLLOWING OUTLETS:
• Sean Broderick's New Street • David Ward Accounts Office • Heavenly Gifts
• O'Donoghue's Spar Shop • Moss Harnett's Spar • Pat Buckley's Shop

Tickets available from the Church 068/51915 during Mass times.

Office 068/31133 11am—1pm Tuesday -Friday
COFFEE MORNING FOR KERRY HOSPICE: The Wednesday Club are holding a coffee morning in the Ploughman on Friday, September 23 from 11-1pm. Your support will be greatly appreciated.

ABBAYFEALE BRIDGE CLUB: Abbeyfeale Bridge club will be playing cards again after the summer break Thursday, September 22 at the Railway Bar, Abbeyfeale starting 7.30 pm.

JOB OPPORTUNITY: CareBright are looking for people to train as Healthcare Assistants in Abbeyfeale and North Kerry. They offer a 4 week internship programme which will commence in Croom on Monday, October 17. Further details and application forms from Monica Hanley on 087 8310999 or email training@carebright.ie

AFTERNOON TEA DANCE: Tralee/West Kerry MS Society are holding an Afternoon Tea Dance on Sunday, October 9 at Fr. Casey's Clubhouse. Dancing 3-6pm. Music by Pa Quade. Admission €5. Teas served. Raffle on the day for selection of gifts. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

SALE OF PRODUCE FROM PARISH COMMUNITY GARDEN: A big thank you to all those who supported us on Sunday last. We raised €307.55 for the Brothers of Charity Outreach Service in Mountmahon.

GALA CONCERT: A Gala concert in aid of Pieta House will take place Ardagh Church on Sunday, October 16. Tickets available from 086 8123855.
Night classes in Colaiste Ide Agus Iosef this Autumn

1. Games night: -A NEW AND EXCITING WAY TO KEEP FIT!!!!
START DATE: TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 20TH TIME: 7:30—9 PM
2. Indoor soccer: looking to improve your fitness and get out of the house on the long winter nights? why not come along to our indoor soccer nights? this will be a popular course, so please book early if interested.

All courses €50. For more information please call 068 30631.