

Holy Family Parish, Askea

30th October 2022 Vol 32 No 47

Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Mass Times:
Askea 9.30am Mon-Fri.
Sat 7pm.
Sun 9am, 10.30am
& 12 Noon.

Bennekerry
Sun 11.30am.

Tinryland Tues & Wed
9.30am, Fri 7.30pm,
Sunday 10am

Deadline for items for
Newsletter is 5pm on
Wednesday by phone to
059 9142565 or email
to
office@askeaparish.ie
Website:
www.askeaparish.ie

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Keeping in Touch

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St Mary's Parish, Bennekerry

Fr Tom Little PP - Ph 059 9131559. Fr Tommy Dillon PE 059 9142565
Newsletter Items - 059 9143881. **Deadline for News items: - 9pm
Wednesdays** Emergency Number for the Priest on Duty 087 2588118.
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Sunday 30th October 2022

Anniversaries

Margaret Nolan, Friarstown
Jonathan Burroughs, Bennekerry
Mary Deane, St. Killian's Crescent
Elizabeth & Edward Somers, Ghráig Na Spideog &
Palatine

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

You can't fight today's battles
with yesterday's battle plans.

K & L Diocesan Lotto Results for Wed 26th October 2022

Numbers drawn were 02,06,07&24. **There was One Jackpot Winner**

- Roy Malone - Rhode Parish.

22 Match 3s get €46 each. Askea / Bennekerry had NO Match3s.

Winner

Promoter

Next Week's Jackpot €10,000.

Askea Senior Citizens

Bookings and money being taken for our Christmas party on Nov 27th Contact Marian 059 9143010

Carlow Active Retirement Association next meeting takes place at the Cathedral Parish Centre on Wednesday 9th. November 2022 at 2:30 p.m. New Members Welcome.

A woman available to clean house. Monday to Thursday. I can take children to school. I have experience minding children. I can do personal shopping. Please ring Paula 0892781623.

Irish Dancing Mary O'Donohoe School of Irish Dancing returns to Askea Parish Community Centre on Mondays from 6.30pm - for students of all ages from 4 years upwards. Contact Mary at 087 2434717.

Graiguecullen MONSTER Bingo on Tuesday 1st November

St. Fiacc's Hall @ 8.30pm. Jackpot on 50 numbers €3950 Double number €740 Lotto €2650. Great prizes, bring a friend.

Bennekerry National School Clothing Collection with a donation to LauraLynn Irelands Children's Hospital. Drop off point: Old School Hall, Bennekerry, Carlow. Thurs 10th Nov 3pm - 3.45pm; Fri 11th Nov 9.30am-10am and 3pm - 3.45pm; Sat 12th Nov 11am - 12noon; Sun 13th Nov 12noon - 12.45pm; No bedding, duvets, pillows, blankets, towels, cushions, jewellery, books, socks, phones, tablets or underwear please.

The Barrow Valley Art Group is holding an exhibition of members' paintings in the Askea Parish Community Centre in aid of County Carlow Hospice. The exhibition will open on Friday 28th October at 8.00pm with a Cheese & Wine reception. Entry €5. Proceeds go to Co Carlow Hospice. Exhibition continues from Saturday 29th October and will run until Monday October 31st. Opening hours – 11.00am - 6.00pm. Admission is free on Saturday, Sunday and Monday.

Portlaoise Parish Lourdes Pilgrimage

6th to 10th July 2023 – Accompanied by Spiritual Director
5 nights – 4 days – Full board. – St Rose Hotel
Cost €595 per person sharing. Single supplement €140.
Contact Seán 086 3633785 or Frances 0858142666 for details.

Shoebox Appeal – Leaflets for the Team Hope shoebox appeal are available from Askea Parish Community Centre.

Ossory Adult Faith Development Pilgrimage to Rome The Eternal City has a remarkable array of religious works of art – frescoes, paintings, sculptures, mosaics, stuccos. Over the centuries these treasures have inspired, educated and uplifted countless people. Our itinerary will explore the religious and catechetical meaning of some of these masterpieces. Traveling dates March 9th – 14th 2023, €710 pp sharing. For more information and to book your place please contact Kieran and Laura Troy, Myriam Tours at 057-9355050 or email info@myriam.ie

Mary's Meals Mary's Meals is a simple solution to world hunger. In our 20th year, we provide a daily meal to 2,279,941 children every school day in some of the world's poorest countries. It costs just €18.30 to feed a child in a place of education for an entire school year. For more information, please check out www.marysmeals.ie or contact Angela Moore at 089-4339592 or angela.moore@marysmeals.org

Clinical Pastoral Education (CPE)

Clinical Pastoral Education (CPE) will be offered on an on-going basis at University Hospital Kerry from January 2023. CPE can be used as preparation for pastoral ministry in many different settings, for discernment, faith formation, sabbatical. It involves three components - education, supervision and clinical placement. If you feel this is something worth exploring, please contact Dr Margaret Naughton at 066-7184000 or email naughtonmargaret@yahoo.com to begin the conversation.

NEWS FROM CARLOW CENTRAL LIBRARY

Wibbly Wobbly Wendy returns to Carlow Central library!

The very popular Wibbly Wobbly Wendy returns to Carlow Library for her fun interactive Storytime on Saturday 12th November at 10.30am. Booking is a must!, Email library@carlowcoco.ie to reserve your place!

Healthy Ireland at Your Library With the stressful times we live in, Carlow Library are delighted to welcome Dr. Padraic Gibson, Consultant Clinical Psychotherapist and Clinical Director of The OCD Clinic Ireland for a series of seminars over 3 nights, Come along to one or all seminars by booking your place via email to library@carlowcoco.ie Thursday 10th November at 7pm – The Most Common Mental Traps ‘How we fall into them, how we can overcome them’; Thursday 17th November at 7pm – Understanding The 4 Faces of Depression “Only those who surrender are sure to be defeated” Thursday 24th November at 7pm – Obsessions, Compulsions and Reassurances

Lunchtime At The Library

There is a series of Author Talks in Carlow Central Library this November taking place between 1pm to 2pm. Admission is free but places are strictly limited, email library@carlowcoco.ie to reserve your seat. Featured Talks from; Jack Fennell (Wed 9th Nov); Arnold Thomas Fanning (Tues 15th Nov); Kathleen Murray (Wed 16th Nov); Niamh Mulvey (Wed 23rd Nov); John McKenna (Thurs 24th Nov); Sam Blake (Wed 30th Nov)

St Willibrord Biennial Lecture 2022 On Monday November 7th, the St Willibrord Biennial Lecture will take place in St Laserian’s Cathedral, Old Leighlin, starting at 7pm. All are welcome to attend and admission is free. Dr Michel Summer, Heidelberg University, Germany, will speak on ‘From Rath Melsigi To Rome: St Willibrord's Career In Its European Context’. St Willibrord spent twelve years at the famed monastery of Rath Melsigi, Tinryland, before he was ordained at the famous monastery of Old Leighlin. His Relic is displayed in Carlow Cathedral while Carlow County Council and Echternach Town, Luxembourg, have signed a Friendship Agreement. Supported by the Diocese of Kildare & Leighlin, the Diocese of Leighlin, Carlow County Council through Carlow County Museum.

COMMUNITY EMPLOYMENT VACANCIES

CES2249155 – Day Care Assistant – Carlow Day Care Centre, duties to include but not limited to cleaning the centre, serving meals, personal care of client users, taking client users to centre and home again on the bus, entertaining service users etc. For further information please contact Jo on 0858726367 9.30am to 4.30pm Monday to Friday only please.

CES2249156 – Housekeeper – DePaul Hostel, duties to include but not limited to cleaning the common areas of hostel, deep clean service user's rooms, washing floors, hoovering, sweeping etc. For further information please contact Jo on 0858726367 9.30am to 4.30pm Monday to Friday only please.

CES2249158 – Store Person – Vincent's Shop, duties to include but not limited to loading and unloading items, cleaning as per rota, sorting items for sale, arranging items in store etc. For further information please contact Jo on 0858726367 9.30am to 4.30pm Monday to Friday only please.

CES2249159 – Caretaker – Cathedral Parish Centre – duties to include but not limited to closing building at night, ensuring the building is empty, cleaning of the building, setting up rooms, dealing with parish centre users etc. For further information please contact Jo on 0858726367 9.30am to 4.30pm Monday to Friday only please.

CES2249162 – Maintenance – Cathedral Parish Centre duties to include cutting grass, weeding flower beds, picking up rubbish, sweeping, cleaning, setting out rooms, painting etc. For further information please contact Jo on 0858726367 9.30am to 4.30pm Monday to Friday only please.

CES2249163 – Project Assistant – Barnardos- duties to include, cleaning, light shopping, answering the door, light reception duties etc. For further information please contact Jo on 0858726367 9.30am to 4.30pm Monday to Friday only please.

Killeshin GAA Auction – Sunday 30th October at 2pm

In Killeshin GAA Hall. Contact 0852109353 or 0860634949 for details.

CALENDAR

Monday 31st:- **Bl Dominic Collins**:- was born around 1566 in Youghal, Co. Cork. In 1598, after a military career, he entered the Society of Jesus as a Brother. He returned to Ireland in 1601, but on 17 June 1662 he was captured by the English who tried in vain to make him abjure his Faith. Condemned to death he was hanged in his native city on 31st October 1662.

Tuesday 2nd **All Saints**:-”The ultimate object of veneration of the Saints is the glory of God and the Sanctification of man by conforming one's life fully to the Divine Will and by imitating the virtue of those who were pre-eminent disciples of the Lord.

Wednesday 2nd (**The Commemoration of The Faithful Departed**)

Thursday 3rd **St Malachy** was born near Armagh in 1094. He introduced the Cistercians and the Canons Regular into Ireland. He died at Clairvaux in 1148

Friday 4th:-**St Charles Borromeo**, 1538-'84 Cardinal Archbishop of Milan at the age of twenty one, worked for reform in his diocese, drafting the Catechism of the Council of Trent. Patron Saint of catechists and seminarians.

Saturday 5th:-**St. Martin de Porres**:- 1579-1639, became a Dominican lay brother, spending his nights in prayer and penance, his days in the monastery caring for the sick and the poor. He is renowned for his devotion for his devotion to the Blessed Sacrament.

Sonnet 73:

That time of year thou mayst in me behold
When yellow leaves, or none, or few, do hang
Upon those boughs which shake against the cold,
Bare ruin'd choirs, where late the sweet birds sang.
In me thou see'st the twilight of such day
As after sunset fadeth in the west,
Which by and by black night doth take away,
Death's second self, that seals up all in rest.
In me thou see'st the glowing of such fire
That on the ashes of his youth doth lie,
As the death-bed whereon it must expire,
Consum'd with that which it was nourish'd by.
This thou perceiv'st, which makes thy love more strong,
To love that well which thou must leave ere long.

William Shakespeare