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Enfield Parish Bulletin

Masses this weekend 22/23rd August.

Sat.7pm. Eamon Clancy, 1st anniv. Jack Duffy. Tom Healy and relatives, Rathcore.

9am. 11am. Catherine Maloney. Tom and Donal Flynn.

Tuesday-Friday: Mass at 9.30am. **Saturday:** Mass at 10am.

Next weekend: Sat.7pm. Phil and Mary Smyth and John Reeves. Seán Keogh.

9am. Lists of the Dead.

11am. Walter Hendrickx, 1st anniv. Michael and Bridget O'Neill.

Plate Collection: €890 (inc. Holy Day) **Building Fund:** €130. *Many thanks.*

Irish Catholic Newspaper on sale at the back of church. Price €1.60

Eucharistic Adoration: *Tuesday:* 10am-9pm. *Thursday:* 10am-1pm & 7pm-10pm.

Baptisms: 1st and 4th Sunday and 3rd Saturday of the month. Next Baptism Meeting on Tuesday 1st September at 8.30pm in Enfield Meeting room.

We welcome Taylor Quinn Byrne, Denny Nickolas Solovyou and David Promise Okojia baptised this weekend.

Please pray for Finian Mitchell, Killyon, John McLoughlin, Newtown, brother of Kieran McLoughlin, Possetown, Michael Boner, Isaacstown and Kathleen Osbaldeston, sister of Claire Butler, Johnstown Way, who died in England.

Jordanstown Church Windows: Work will continue on remaining windows in need of repairs. Total cost of all work is €34,685. Many thanks for your support.

Enfield Senior Citizens/Active Retirement Club: Annual Fund Raiser Sponsored Walk on this Sunday 23rd August at 2.30pm. starting from Enfield Parochial House. We look forward to your support.

Meath Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes: 12th - 17th Sept. Led by Bishop Smith. Prices from €689 all inclusive. Booking forms from Parochial House or tel. 01-6359300

Enfield Celtic F.C. Club Funday/Fundraiser: Sunday 30th August, 12am - 6pm Soccer Pitch, Enfield.

Congrats to Christine Boggan and Laurence O'Shaughnessey married on Friday.

Maynooth University are looking for Home Owners and Landlords, did you know you can let your spare room to a student and earn Tax Free Income (up to 12k)? Please call us to discuss on [01-7084729](tel:01-7084729), www.maynoothstudentpad.ie and register for free.

Novena to pray for the Beatification of Ven. Matt Talbot and for those who suffer with addictions will begin on Thursday 3rd September and continue each Thursday until 24th September at 8pm in Rathmolyon church.

Pioneer Association: Church Gate Collection this weekend. *Application* for membership of the Pioneer Association - contact: 046-9541580 / 046-9555215.

Pioneers of Meath Diocese Gathering Spirituality Day: Bloomfield House Hotel, Mullingar Sunday 4th Oct. 10.30am - 6.30pm. Lunch/evening tea included - tickets €25

Na Fianna GFC: Lotto Nos. 9,11,15,19. No winner. **Next week's jackpot: €10,000.**

Fixtures: *24th Aug:* JHC Group B -Round 6 NF v Kildalkey in Boardsmill at 7pm.

Best of luck to Claire and Emma Coffey on Sat. 22nd with the Meath Intermediates Camogie Team against Waterford in Nolan Park, Kilkenny.

Live Concert by the Hummingbyrds -Harmonic Folk Group Musical (all female). Friday 17th Sept. at 8 pm in Rathmolyon Church of Ireland. Tickets €10 from Dorothy Hughes or David Ferris.

Shalom Nursing Home: Care Assistant required. FETAC qualification/care of older persons. Experience an advantage. Application and CV to Marie Duke, Presentation Convent, Kilcock. shalomrgn@gmail.com or 01 6287285. .

M.S. Thanks for €635 received last weekend in Jordanstown.

Church of Assumption Jordanstown - Welcome Prayer: You have come to this house where God lives. Whoever you are, He welcomes you. With your gladness and sadness, your success and failures, your hopes and disappointments be Welcome! Before you generations have loved this place, helped to build it and make it beautiful and they have prayed here. Respect it, be silent, if you believe, pray! If you are seeking, think! If you are doubting, ask for light! If you are suffering, ask for strength! If you are joyful, give thanks to God, and may your happiness continue. In this house you may meet others and be able to pray with them. May your stay in this place remain in your heart! Whoever you are, He welcomes you. Welcome Him too.

National Eucharistic Congress Knock Shrine 26th - 27th Sept.

"CHRIST, OUR HOPE" (Col. 1:27) The National Eucharistic Congress will serve both as a spiritual preparation for the fifty-first International Eucharistic Congress 2016 in Cebu next January and as an opportunity to focus, in the light of our Eucharistic communion, on some of the important pastoral questions in the life of the Church at the present time. The theme for the National Congress, echoing the theme of IEC2016, is 'Christ, our Hope' (Col 1:27). The Congress, which is free of charge, will have a particular focus on marriage and the family as well as the Year of Consecrated Life 2015 and the upcoming Jubilee of Mercy. The Eucharistic Congress website is now live www.nec2015.ie and you can continue to get more information from it for the weeks leading up to the Eucharistic Congress.

Today's Gospel: Will you also leave me? When many of his disciples were leaving him, Jesus turned to the apostles and said "Will you also leave me?" These words are addressed to us too. It's not the Lord who leaves us, but we who may leave him. But why would we want to leave the Lord, who alone has the words of eternal life? We need to make our own Peter's profession of faith. Every Sunday we get a chance to do so. We need the Lord to strengthen our faith. We also need to confirm one another. Lord, confirm our decision to stay with you. Draw us closer to you in bonds of trust, so that we may follow you in love and freedom.

Next weekend:

Ministers of the Eucharist:

Vigil Mass: T. Greaney, C. Berry. 9am. T. Walsh.

11am. M. Reilly, M. Gleeson.

Readers: Vigil Mass: M. Moore, J. O'Hara.

9am. K. O'Lone, F. Smyth. 11am. E. Jordan, C. Forde.

Servers: Sat. 7pm. Group 5: N. Mulvihill, C. Malone, E.O'Hara

9am. Group 6: S. Wynne, A. Wynne, M. Ni Fhaogain O'Kelly, P. Flynn .

11am. Group 7: D. Fawcett, N. O'Donovan Hamilton, K.. Jordan Ojukwu.