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Enfield Parish Bulletin

Masses this weekend: 2nd/3rd July, 2016

Sat. 7pm. Kathleen Redmond. Deceased members of the Gill family, Ballinakill. Kathleen Reilly. **Sun. 9am. 11am.** Bob Heffernan. Gus McCormack.

Tuesday & Thursday: Service of Readings and Holy Communion at 9.30am.

Saturday: Mass at 10am for Mary and Thomas Conway and John Joe Brady

Next weekend: Sat. 7pm. Tom Reilly, Clegarrow. Charlie Nolan.

Michael Kennedy. **Sun. 9am.** Lists of the Dead.

11am. Pat, Eva, Peter and Kevin Mullally.

Plate Collection: € 1,283 (Peter's Pence). **Building fund:** €116. *Many thanks*
Building fund envelope due this weekend.

Please pray for Paddy Walker, Main St., Enfield, Jackie Lynam, Bantry, Cork and formerly Enfield, Richie Ryan, Longwood, brother of Eugene Ryan, Baconstown, Feargal Maguire, Portmarnock brother of Ronan Maguire, Ballinderrin (funeral arrangements later). R.I.P.

Baptisms after 11am Mass on 1st and 4th Sundays and 3rd Saturday at 2pm. We welcome Matthew James McDonnell baptised this weekend.

Next Baptism meeting on Tues. 5th July at 8.30pm in Enfield Meeting Room.

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

Irish Catholic Newspaper on sale at back of church.

Parish Golf Classic: At present there is approx. €20,000 profit. Many thanks.

Diocesan Pilgrimage To Lourdes: There are still some places available for the Youth section (18-35yrs) going to Lourdes with the Diocese of Meath from the 12th-17th September 2016. Those interested please contact Fr. Robert McGivney at Cathedral House, Mullingar or emailing robert@mullingarparish.ie

St. Camillus: Annual Novena in St. Camillus, Killucan 14th - 17th July. Veneration of the relics of St. Camillus, confessions and prayers for the sick at 6.00pm and Mass at 7pm. **Feast of St. Camillus - 17th July:** Mass at 10.30am Main celebrant Bishop Smith. **Night Vigil** of thanksgiving in the evening. Holy Hour, candle lit procession and Mass from 10pm to 2am.

Enfield Senior Citizens/Active Retirement Club: Annual Fund Raiser sponsored walk on Sunday 7th August at 2.30pm starting from Enfield Parochial House. We look forward to your support.

Jordanstown/Rathmolyon Lourdes Invalid fund would like to thank the South Meath Vintage Tractor Club for their kind donation to the fund.

As the school holidays begin we wish that the children have a happy and enjoyable summer. We wish the children from 6th Class well as they transfer to secondary school. We express thanks to staff in our schools, Boards of Management and Parents Associations for their work during the year.

St. Raphael's, Celbridge: The Annual Fete will take place this Sunday 3rd

Na Fianna GFC: Lotto Nos. 3,4,9,27. Next draw 5th July in Boggans Bar.

Fixtures: Sunday 3rd: Junior Hurling v Clann na Gael at 12.30pm in Drumree,

Thursday: JCFC, Group A, Rd 4 Syddan -v- Na Fianna at 8pm in Dunderry.

GAA Cúl Camps for ages 6-13. 11th-15th July - Hurling/Camogie in Baconstown.

15th-19th August - Football (boys & girls) in Baconstown.

Book online <https://www.kelloggsulcamps.gaa.ie/booking>

A Retreat for young adults 18 - 40 years in St. Columban's, Dalgan Park, Navan from 22-24 July (Fri. evening - Sun. afternoon). **Theme:** Rejoice always in The Lord. An opportunity to step aside from everyday concerns to reflect on the meaning of life. Contact: Sr. Una 0906481666, Cost: Donation only. Includes own room & full board.

Irish Blood Transfusion Service: Knightsbrook Hotel, Trim on Monday 11th and Tuesday 12th July from 4.30pm to 8.00pm.

St. Francis Prayer: Lord, make me an instrument of Your peace. Where there is hatred, let me sow love; where there is injury, pardon; where there is doubt, faith; where there is despair, hope; where there is darkness, light; where there is sadness, joy. O, Divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled as to console; to be understood as to understand; to be loved as to love; For it is in giving that we receive; it is in pardoning that we are pardoned; it is in dying that we are born again to eternal life.

Today's Gospel Pope Francis' watchword for our church today is clear: "The Church has to get out of herself and go to the edges in order to give testimony to the Gospel and interact with others". "We get out of ourselves in order to find poverty". The Pope knows what he is saying. He wants to draw today's Church toward a renovation that is evangelical and profound. It's not easy. "Change causes us to be a little afraid, because we feel more secure if we have everything under control, if we do the building, programming, planning of our life according to our own plans, securities and feelings." But our Pope isn't afraid of "God's newness". He has presented to the whole Church a decisive question which we will need to keep answering in the coming years: "Are we set on running new paths that God's newness presents us with, or will we entrench ourselves in out-of-date structures that have lost their ability to get us anywhere". Luke the evangelist reminds us of Our Lord's instructions. "Get going." Don't wait for anything. We don't have to hold Jesus inside of our parishes. We need to reveal him in our lives "Take no purse with you, no backpack, no extra sandals." Get out into life simply and humbly. Without privileges or power structures. The Gospel does not force anyone. It is contagious because of our faith in Jesus and our trust in the Father. When you enter a house, say: "Peace to this house". This is of first importance. Leave behind the condemnations, heal the sick, alleviate the sufferings there are in the world. Tell everyone that God is near and God wants to see us working for a more human life. This is the great news of God's reign.

Next weekend:

Eucharistic Ministers:

Vigil: T. McGarry. 9am. L. Gallagher, M. O'Malley.

11am. M. Farrell, G. D'Arcy, S. Brady.

Readers: Vigil: H. Walsh, A. McLoughlin.

9am. S. McNally. 11am. A. Deering, M. Heneghan.

Servers: Vigil: Group 6:

9am. Group 7: K. McNally, A. Lennon.

11am. Group 8: K. Gill, J. McNeill, M. Mooney.

