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Rathmolyon Parish Bulletin

Masses this weekend: 27/28th June, 2015 No. 1149

Sat. 8pm. Gus, Winifred & Rita O'Brien. Mary Forde, Rathflesk. Millie O'Neill.

Sun 10am. Thomas and Mary O'Gorman.

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday: Mass at 9.30am.

Next weekend: Sat. 8pm. Stephanie Carr, 1st anniv. Jim and Eddie Carr.
George Bagnall. Jimmy and Carmel Farrell **10am.** Martin and Mary Kearney.

Basket Collection €390. **Building fund** €100. **Building fund** due next weekend.

Please pray for Brigid Brennan, Navan Road, Dublin and Michael King, Dunboyne and formerly of Isaacstown, laid to rest in the past week. R.I.P.

Parish Golf Classic: At present there is approx. €19,700 profit with some money still to come in from sponsorship. Outstanding sponsorship can be returned to either Church or Parochial House. Thanks to Rathcore Golf Club for the use of the course of the 2 days, to the hard working committee, people who entered teams and played, to all households and businesses who gave sponsorship. **Committee meeting** Thursday 8.30pm

Peter's Pence: This Sunday the Offertory Collection at all Masses will be forwarded to support the Pope in his role of pastoral care in Rome and throughout the world. Please be as generous as possible.

Parish Survey: In an effort to grow and develop our Parish, to strengthen the services that we offer and to help develop our faith we intend to form a Parish Council. Before such a Council is established, we are conducting a survey among Parishioners to find out what you as a Parishioner want from such a Council, to ask for your ideas and help in developing our Parish. **You can collect the survey at Mass today, take it home, complete and return it next week.** This is a real opportunity for you to shape & develop our Parish. Many thanks to those who have already returned the survey. Our Parish depends on us all playing our part, so we hope you can offer your help. **Final weekend for returning completed surveys is next weekend 4th /5th July.**

Friday is the First Friday. The sick and housebound will be attended on Friday. If anyone wants a visit in hospital or at home contact Parochial House.

Meath Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock: Sunday 9th August. A bus will be leaving from the parish. More details later.

South Meath Vintage Club: Tractor run Sunday 5th July starting in Summerhill at 2p.m. supporting local charities.

Rathmolyon Hurling Club: Lotto Nos 13,17,23,25. **Next week's jackpot €10,000**

St. Michael's National School Kill: The Board of Management and Parents Association of Kill school would like to thank all parents, children and members of the community who came along and supported our fun day and sheep shearing fundraiser last Saturday at our school. It was a very successful day and your support is much appreciated. *Thanks again*

Ella's Rainbow Fund: Fundraising Night on this Saturday 27th June in Rapture at The Hamlet Court Hotel. Doors open from 7:30p.m. Live music from "The Supertones" & "Men in Black". Auction, food & raffle on the night. Tickets €20 at the door. All funds to help Ella, Crumlin Hospital, National Rehab, Jack & Jill Foundation and the Springfield Center Mullingar.

Irish Blood Transfusion Service: Kilcock GAA Sports Centre on Thursday 2nd July from 4.40-8.00pm. Further information from John Healy 041 6859994.

As the school holidays begin we wish that the children have a happy and enjoyable summer. We wish the children from sixth 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.

Today's Gospel: Interruptions on life's journey The gospel encourages us to pay attention to the interruptions in life. What can seem like distractions can be where the Lord is calling us to be. When our plans do not work out as we wanted because of some unexpected turn of events, it may not be the disaster that we think it is at the time. Sometimes when our plans do not work out, it can create the space for something else to happen that we did not plan but which, in itself, can have great value for ourselves and for others. In the story we have just heard, Jesus gave himself fully to the interruption. He could have kept walking when the woman touched his clothing, but he attended to her. That was the call of the present moment for Jesus. In answering that call, he was doing God's work, and the task he initially set out to accomplish did not suffer. Jairus had his daughter restored to him. There are times in life when we need to embrace the interruptions, rather than just driving on with our head down towards the goal we have set for ourselves. We can misjudge where the real work lies. We often need to come to a deeper appreciation that the interruptions are our work, especially when they involve responding with compassion to the needs of others. When we set out on a journey, what happens on the way can be more important than arriving at our destination. ([Martin Hogan])

Next weekend:

Readers: 8pm. D. Forde. **10am.** A. Ennis.

Eucharist Ministers: 8pm. G. Halton, I. Connolly.

Sun. 10am. M. Howley, A. Sweeny.

Altar Society: M. Murray, P. Brady.

Cleaners: M. Dixon, M. Kerrigan, A. O'Neill.

Collectors: 8pm. M. McGuane, M. Martin, M. Payne.

10am. S. Quinn, S. Dempsey, M. Forde.