

# Church of The Immaculate Conception Castlecomer

## PARISH NEWSLETTER



18th September 2016



### Blessed Are Those Who Die In The Lord

### Died Recently

Joseph (Joe) O'Shea Dysart.  
Seamus Doyle Kilkenny St./Boston.  
Seamus (Shem) Bergin  
Grange, Ballyragget.

### Months Mind

Alice Dooley & P.J. Dooley (Sat. 7.00pm.)  
Smithstown.

### Anniversaries

Matthew (Matt) Buckley (Sun.10.00am.)  
Loon.  
John Dillon (Sun.11.30am.)  
The Corner House.  
Ned & Molly Brennan (Fri. 9.00am.)  
Knocknadogue.  
Maureen Green (Sat. 10.00am.)  
The Square.  
Patrick (Paddy) Dunphy 32 Kilkenny St.  
Thomas (Tom) Booth Glenmullen.  
Alice Kennedy Skehana.  
Annie Boran Donaguile.  
Isabella Dix Conway Devon, England.  
James (Jimmy) Joyce Aughamuckey.  
Joseph Phelan Mayhora.  
James Brennan Moneenroe.  
Bridie Jeffers Canada/Moneenroe.  
Josephine Brennan 41 Kilkenny St.

**Saturday, 24<sup>th</sup> September - 7.00pm.**

### Months Mind

Annie O'Neill - 308 Ballyhemmon.

**Mgr. Michael Ryan P.P.** Tel: 4441262

Mobile: 086-3693863

**Fr. Joseph Campion SAC, C.C.** Tel: 4441263

Mobile: 086-1775172

Secretary: 056-4441969

Website: [castlecomerparish.ie](http://castlecomerparish.ie)

### Readers for Next Weekend

**Vigil Mass** 7.00 pm. Mrs. Eithne McKenna.  
**Sunday** 8.00 am. Mrs. Brigid Coady.  
10.00 am. Ms. Muireann McSweeney.  
11.30am. Ms. Teresa Farrell.

### Parish Pastoral Council

September meeting will be held in Parish Centre on Monday, 19<sup>th</sup> September, at 8.00pm.

### Members Please Note

### Adoration of Blessed Sacrament

#### Parish Church

**Every Tuesday from 7.00pm. – 9.00pm.**  
*All are welcome to come for a short or longer period to join in this time of Adoration and Prayer to the Praise and glory of God and for a renewal of Faith in the Blessed Sacrament.*

### Church Gate Collections

*We wish Parishioners to know that the Parish has no control over Church Gate Collections. This is a matter entirely for the Gardaí and the organisations involved. A permit is necessary in order to hold such a Collection and parishioners are entitled to ask to see it at anytime.*

### Prayer to Blessed Virgin Mary

*O my God, in union with the Immaculate Heart of Mary, I offer Thee the Precious Blood of Jesus from all the altars throughout the world, joining with It the offering of my every thought, word and action of this day.*

*O my Jesus, I desire today to gain every indulgence and merit I can and I offer them, together with myself, to Mary Immaculate, that she may best apply them in the interests of Thy most Sacred Heart.*

*“Precious Blood of Jesus, Save us!  
Immaculate Heart of Mary, Save us!  
Sacred Heart of Jesus,  
have mercy on us!”*

### This Weekend

**Please return Family Collection Jars for Restoration of Church Organ and place in Basket at the Altar.**

*Sincere thanks for your support*

### Legion of Mary

#### Pilgrimage to Knock Shine

**Sunday, 25th September**

**Bus leaving from the main Church Gate at 8.15am**

**Enquiries and Name to Angela (Sacristan) Tel: 087-2109631**

### Harvest Songs of Praise

In the Colliery Church, next Sunday, 25<sup>th</sup> September at 7.00pm.

**All are Welcome**

### Collection during Mass

Should the person who usually takes up the Collection be absent we appeal to someone else to take their place either in Church or Gallery. *Sincere thanks*

### Hospitality Group

The Hospitality Group provide a wonderful and much appreciated service in the community. New volunteers (men and women) are urgently needed. Please give your name to the Co-ordinator Mrs. Peggy Power 086-3937996.

### Organ Restoration

We wish to acknowledge with sincere thanks a recent donation of €500.00 from a parishioner.

### Castlecomer Athletic Club

A.G.M. in Dillon's meeting room on Wednesday, 21<sup>st</sup> September at 8.15pm. Training resumes in Community School on Tuesday nights at 6.30pm. for over 10's also on Friday nights at 6.30pm in Discovery Park for over 10's. Fit4life has returned on Wednesday nights in the Community School at 7.00pm.

*New members welcome*

### Senior Help Line

This a confidential listening service for older people for the price of a local call anywhere in Ireland –  
**LoCall 1850 440444**

### Weekly Envelope/Church Collection

Sunday, 11<sup>th</sup> September - €1,785.00

*Sincere thanks*

### Parish Centre - Open on

Monday – 10.30am. – 5.00pm.  
Wednesday – 10.00am. – 1.00pm.  
Friday- 10.00am. – 5.30pm.

### Lotto Jackpot - €3,600.00

**Monday - 9.30pm.**

**Shortall's**