

Aghaviller Parish Newsletter

(Hugginstown and Stoneyford Churches).

21st. and 22nd. April 2018

“Fourth Sunday of Easter - Vocation Sunday”

Priests in the Parish:

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Mass Times in Aghaviller Parish: - Monday 23rd. to Sunday 29th. April 2018

Hugginstown: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 9.30a.m.

Vigil - Saturday 28th. at 8.00p.m.; Sunday 29th. at 11.00a.m.

Stoneyford: Wednesday at 7.00p.m..

Vigil - Saturday 28th. at 6.30p.m.; Sunday 29th. at 10.00a.m.

Wednesday 25th. Feast of St. Mark (Evangelist)

Pray for:

Anniversaries: Seamus Connolly and Michael Dunne, Stonecarthy. Mass in Stoneyford Church on Saturday 21st. April at 6.30p.m.

Ned and Julia Halloran, Hugginstown. Mass in Hugginstown Church on Saturday 21st. April at 8.00p.m.

Katie McDonald, Stoneyford. Mass in Stoneyford Church on Sunday 22nd. April at 10.00a.m.

Nora and Kathleen Sadlier, Sheepstown. Mass in Hugginstown Church on Sunday 22nd. April at 11.00a.m.

Nicholas Duggan, Ballintesklin.

Rota for next week-end: 28th. and 29th. April 2018: (Fifth Sunday of Easter)

Readers:

Stoneyford: Saturday 6.30p.m. Declan Lennon; Sunday 10.00a.m. Pat Fennelly.

Hugginstown: Saturday 8.00p.m. Eileen Aylward; Sunday 11.00a.m. Lily Burke

Eucharistic Ministers:

Stoneyford: Saturday 6.30p.m. Maria Reid; Sunday 10.00a.m. T. J. Mills

Hugginstown: Saturday 8.00p.m. Patricia Barron; Sunday 11.00a.m. Ruth Crowley.

Months Mind Mass:

In Stoneyford Church on Saturday 28th. April at 6.30a.m. - Bridget McCarthy, Knockdrinna.

Anniversary Masses next weekend:

In Hugginstown Church on Saturday 28th. April at 8.00p.m. - Paddy Farrell, Kyleva.

In Stoneyford Church on Sunday 29th. April at 10.00a.m. - Angela Lee, Cerrymount.

Baptism:

Congratulations to Millie Mae Butler, Lismatigue and her parents Fiona and John.

Millie was baptised in Hugginstown Church on Saturday 14th. April.

Bingo:

Bingo Session in the Community Centre, Stoneyford on every Tuesday at 8.30p.m.

Dates to Remember for 2018:

First Holy Communion:

For Stoneyford School on Sunday 13th. May at 11.00a.m. in Stoneyford Church.

For Monroe/Newmarket Schools on Sunday 27th. May at 11.00a.m. in Hugginstown Church.

Cemetery Masses:

Calvary Cemetery Mass on Friday 1st. June at 8.00p.m.;

Kilkeasy Cemetery Mass on Friday 29th. June at 8.00p.m.

Stoneyford Cemetery Mass on Friday 6th. July at 8.00p.m.

Hugginstown Cemetery on Saturday 7th. July at 8.00p.m.;

Parish Finance Committee:

Meeting will be held in the Parish House, Hugginstown on Thursday 26th. April at 8.00p.m.

Easter Offerings:

Many thanks to all who contributed to the Easter offerings during the past weeks.

These offerings are for the support of the priests of the Parish and Diocese.

Collection:

Many thanks to all who contributed to the ‘St. Vincent de Paul’ collection held recently.

Homes for the Elderly:

House Number 5 is vacant in Hugginstown, if interested please contact: 086 168 7073

Lotto Results:

Draw: Monday 16th. April 2018 Numbers: 05; 08; 04. Bonus No: 11.

No Match 3 Winner: No Match 4 Winner: No Jackpot Winner:

5 x €30.00 Winners: Kerrie Dunne, Aghaviller; Frank Creaney, Oldtown.

Pudsy McNamara, Harristown;; Pat Holden, Red Acres; Martin Molloy, Aghaviller.

3 x Sellers €15.00 each: James Irish; Pat Dwyer; Tom Hoyne;

Next week: Match 3: €1,000.00; Match 4: €2,000.00; Jackpot: €13,000.00;

Next Draw on Monday 23rd. April 2018. **Please submit returns by 8.30p.m. Draw at 9.00p.m.**

South Kilkenny Historical Society:

A Lecture on “Putting Ireland on Four Wheels” by Dr. Austin O’Sullivan will be given on Thursday April 26th at 8.00p.m. in Mullinavat Parish Hall.

A Coach Trip to Dublin (The Little Museum of Dublin and EPIC - The Irish Emigration Museum) will take place on Saturday, May 26th. Booking and further information from either Brigid Barron (brigidbarron@hotmail.com) or Eddie Synnott (edsynnott@yahoo.co.uk).

Family Carers Ireland:

A Mini-Marathon takes place on the Bank Holiday, Monday 7th. May, beginning from the Aspect Hotel, Waterford Rd. Kilkenny at 11.00am. Register online at www.runireland.com, or at the Centre at The Springhill Medical Centre, Waterford Rd., Kilkenny from Monday to Friday up to 5.00p.m. You can also register on the day before 11.00a.m.

Special Pop Up Sale:

Sale in aid of the Irish Pilgrimage Trust was deferred during the snow. It will now take place at St. Patrick’s Parish Centre, Loughboy after 6.15p.m. Mass at St. Fiacre’s Church on Saturday 21st. April and from 10.00a.m. to 1.30p.m. on Sunday, 22nd. April. Lots of new quality items and unwanted gifts in original wrappers for sale at amazing prices. Special offers available. Proceeds will be used to defray the cost of the recent Easter Pilgrimage to Lourdes for young people with Special Needs.

Why is Cherishing Human Life so important?

The Catholic Church’s teaching on the dignity and value of every person is very special. Every human life is precious and beautiful. Some people feel the right to life of the unborn should be a matter of personal choice for the mother. Others maintain, while they are opposed to abortion as a general principle, there are some children to whom the right to life does not apply because they have been diagnosed with a serious medical condition or because they have been conceived as a result of rape. The Church’s belief, based on reason as well as faith, is that there is no such thing as a human life without value. www.ChooseLife2018.ie

Reflection - Vocation Sunday:

Like St. Peter all of us who are Baptised and Confirmed are filled with the Holy Spirit - it is the Holy Spirit who enables us to respond to the call of Jesus Christ to be his witnesses each day in so many different ways. It is the Holy Spirit who enables all of us to follow the path God invites us to follow in life. It is the Spirit who is the source of every vocation, who kindles the flame of love of God and his people in our hearts. Let us trust God’s Spirit especially when he calls us to serve in a way that involves giving of ourselves, that involves trusting that the Lord who calls us will not abandon us.

Newsletter:

All notices for the Newsletter to be left in before 5.00p.m. on Thursdays please.

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