

Aghaviller Parish Newsletter

(Hugginstown and Stoneyford Churches).

21st. and 22nd. December 2019.

“Fourth Sunday of Advent”

Priests in the Parish:

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Mass Times in Aghaviller Parish: - Monday 23rd. to Sunday 29th. December 2019.

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

Tuesday 24th. at 7.00p.m. Wednesday 25th. at 10.00a. m.

Sunday 29th. at 10.00a.m.

Stoneyford: Tuesday 24th. at 5.30p.m. Wednesday 25th. at 10.00a. m.

Vigil - Saturday 28th. at 6.30p.m.

Wednesday 25th. Feast of the Nativity of Our Lord Jesus Christ.

Thursday 26th. Feast of St. Stephen (First Martyr)

Fridayday 27th. Feast of St. John (Apostle and Evangelist)

Saturday 28th. Feast of the Holy Innocents (Martyrs)

Pray for:

Anniversaries: Mary McGrath, Norelands. Mass in Stoneyford Church on Saturday 21st. December at 6.30p.m. **William Dalton, Lismatigue**

Walter Aylward, Catstown. Mass in Hugginstown Church on Sunday 22nd. December at 10.00a.m. **Richard and Mary Burke, Croan.**

Rota for next week-end: 28th. and 29th. December 2019 (Feast of the Holy Family)

Readers:

Stoneyford: Saturday 6.30p.m. Sheila Raggett; Hugginstown: Sunday 10.00a.m. Deirdre Rohan

Eucharistic Ministers:

Stoneyford: Saturday 6.30p.m. Bernie Grace; Hugginstown: Sunday 10.00a.m. Mary Cahill

Note: The New Rota for Readers and Eucharistic Ministers are available in the Sacristies.

Eucharistic Adoration:

No Eucharistic Adoration in Hugginstown Church on Thursday 26th. December.

Safeguarding Contacts:

Diocesan Designated Liaison Person: Mr. Cathal Cullen Tel: 087 100 0232 or dlp@ossory.ie.

Aghaviller Parish Representatives are: Teresa Broderick and Carmel O’Toole

Sacrament of Healing and Reconciliation:

The Sacrament of Healing and Reconciliation for Christmas will be celebrated during Mass in Stoneyford Church on Saturday 21st. December at 6.30p.m.

and in Hugginstown Church on Sunday 22nd. December at 10.00a.m.

Collection:

The “Offertory” Collection on last weekend amounted to €445.00. Thank You.

Christmas Offerings 2019:

Envelopes for your Christmas Offerings 2019 may be collected in the Church Porch, and your contributions may be handed in during the coming weeks.

Many thanks for your support and contributions during the past year.

Baby Massage Classes:

Baby Massage Classes available in Hugginstown G.A.A. Hall on Tuesday from the 7th. January for 5 consecutive weeks.

For further information please contact: Helen on 083 857 9883.

Family Christmas Masses:

There will be a Family Mass for Young Families, Parents and Children on Christmas Eve

Tuesday 24th. December.

In Stoneyford Church at 5.30p.m. In Hugginstown Church at 7.00p.m.

Many of the children will be taking an active part in these celebrations. They will be involved with the Choirs, Readings, Prayers, Gifts, Servers etc. All children are invited to bring a little gift for others who are in need. We ask parents to come with their children and to join in the singing of the Christmas Carols and to celebrate as family.

Mass Times on Christmas Day 25th. : In Stoneyford Church at 10.00a.m. In Hugginstown Church at 10.00a.m.

Be Safe this Christmas:

If you are leaving your home even for a short time, do lock all external doors and windows. Make sure all candles and naked lights are out before you leave or before you retire to bed. Be extra careful on the roads during the Christmas season and do show care for others. Safe Driving! With the ‘Text Alert’ in operation please be vigilant and always be aware there is always Garda help close at hand.

Medjugorje Irish Centre Pilgrimages:

Pilgrimages will be held from April to October 2020: Seven Night Stay and Airport Shuttle service from Dubrovnik or Split. Book any flight - any time and we provide guaranteed airport shuttle service. Call us for further information and book the dates that suit you.

Telephone: 01 443 4510 or email reservations@med-irishcentre.com.

‘Text Alert’ for Newmarket/Hugginstown Area:

The Annual Subscription is now due. This may be paid by dropping the money in an envelope with your name and mobile number, into Fitzgerald’s or Irish’s in Hugginstown. This year, we plan to add additional Text Alert signs around the community and work on raising the overall profile of Text Alert in our area. We appreciate your co-operation on this.

Bingo:

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

Lotto Results: - **Aghaviller Parish and Carrickshock G. A. A.**

Draw: Monday 16th. December 2019 Numbers: 16; 18; 28; Bonus No: 24.

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

€100.00 Winner: Joe Daly, Jerpoint, Thomastown.

5 x €30.00 Winners: Margaret Irish, c/o James Irish; Paddy & Breda, c/o James Irish; Pat Dwyer, Croan; Billy Brenner, Hugginstown; Maggie Walsh, Hugginstown.

3 x €15.00 (Sellers): John Power; Breda O’Meara; Walshe’s Shop.

Next week: Match 3: €1,000.00; Match 4: €2,000.00; Jackpot: €20,000.00;

An extra €100.00 prize will be drawn each week until such time as the Jackpot is won.

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

Revised Mass Times:

Saturday Vigil: Stoneyford 6.30p.m. Bigwood 6.30p.m. Ballyhale 7.30p.m.

Sunday: Hugginstown 10.00a.m. Knockmoylan 9.00a.m. Mullinavat 10.00a.m. Knocktopher 11.00a.m.

Newsletter:

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

Contact: Telephone: 056 776 8693 or email liamcassin@ossory.ie.

A VERY HAPPY AND HOLY CHRISTMAS TO ALL: