

DUNAMAGGAN PARISH NEWSLETTER

24/25 FEBRUARY 2018

MASSES DURING THE WEEK:

Monday, Tuesday & Friday: Dunamaggan at 9.30 a.m.
Wednesday & Thursday: St. Joseph’s Home, Kilmoganny at 12.10 p.m.
Saturday: Kilmoganny at 7.00 p.m.;
Sunday: Kilmoganny at 9.30 a.m.; Dunamaggan at 11.00 a.m.

Holy Hour each Thursday from 3.00 - 4.00 p.m. St. Leonard’s Church, Dunamaggan.

ANNIVERSARIES: Jim Burke, Kilmoganny, mass at 7.00 p.m. Sat.24th; Frank Grace, mass at 7.00 p.m. Sat. 24th.

Tom & Anne Murphy, Ballintee, mass at 7.00 p.m. Sat. 3rd; Biddy Fennelly, Rathduff, mass at 11.00 a.m. Sun. 4th; Kathleen Browne, Caherleske, mass at 11.00 a.m. Sun. 4th.

Ministers of the Eucharist

	St. Eoghan’s Church, Kilmoganny		St. Leonard’s Church, Dunamaggan
Feb 24/25	Siobhan O’Donovan	Margaret Enright	Jennie O’Brien
March 3 / 4	Mary Cummins	Ann Flemming	Teresa Leahy
March 10/11	Melissa Enright	Mary Moore	Rita Bergin

READERS

	St. Eoghan’s Church, Kilmoganny		St. Leonard’s Church, Dunamaggan
	Saturday Evening	Sunday Morning	
Feb 24/25	Loraine Moore	Noirin Cummins	Elaine Power
March 3 / 4	Noel McDonald	Willie Kearney	John Holden
March 10/11	Jesica Enright	Clare Byrne	Paschal Grace

SCHEDULE OF SERVERS: St. Leonard’s Church, Dunamaggan

Week beginning Feb 25th Gavin McMahon, Sophie McMahon, Ellen Lahart, Emma Lahart, Seán Rossiter, Cathal Rossiter.
“ “ **March 4th** Aidan Ryan, Eoin Ryan, Emily Ryan, Caitlin Fallon, Hubert Flis, Conor Aylward.
“ “ **March 11th** Sean Lawton, Conor Lawton, David Moore, Liam Davis, Eoin Sheil, Pierce Costello
“ “ **March 18th** John Hayes, Jake Butler, Tommy Steed, Ave Lily O’Neill, Brian Hickey, Shane Delaney.

Wednesdays: Bridge at 8.00 p.m.
Saturdays: Bingo 8.30 p.m.
Sundays: Progressive 25’s at 8.30 p.m.

ANNIVERSARY MASSES: When more than one anniversary is included at a weekend mass, those prayed for will be included in masses during the following week.

DKK LOTTO: The winning numbers of Monday 19th were: **21, 24, 31**. There was no Jackpot winner. The following won €30 each: Mrs. B. Kennedy (Jimmy McCormack); The 5 Cousins (Jimmy McCormack, Kells); Larry Costello (Larry Costello); Donal O’Shea (Aidan Farrell) Phena Heffernan (Mary Heffernan). Next week’s jackpot is €1,150. Venue: Townsend’s

PAT WALSH COMMITTEEMEETING will be held in **St. Leonard’s Hall, Dunamaggan** on **Tuesday 27th February** at **8.30 p.m.**

LENTEN DAILY TEXT Submit your mobile to either 085 – 8313100 or 056 – 77 53 624 or email afd@ossory.ie

PARISH COMMITTEE MEETING will take place on **Tuesday 6th March** in **St. Eoghan’s Centre, Kilmoganny** at **8.00 p.m.**

WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES COLLECTION will be a Second Collection on weekend of **24/25 February**.

INVITATION TO ORDINATION OF BISHOP DERMOT FARRELL: Each parish may submit 8 parishioners' names who will receive invitations. If interested let me know as soon as possible. The ordination is on Sunday 11th March at 3.00 p.m.

Pilgrimage in our Diocese: Join Monsignor Farrell, Bishop Elect, on a pilgrimage to the sites associated with our diocesan Saints: Fiacre, Kieran, Canice and Fergal on the 3rd March 2018. This will be a great opportunity to meet and pray for our new bishop during the days of preparation before his ordination. A bus will bring the pilgrims from St Fiacre's Church Kilkenny to Sier Kieran, Aghaboe and finally to St Mary's Cathedral. Alternatively, why not join the pilgrims at one of the stations near to you: St Fiacre's Church Kilkenny (9.30am), Seir Kieran (11.15am), Aghaboe (1.30pm) and St Mary's Cathedral (4pm). During the pilgrimage the new bishop's Pectoral Cross, Episcopal Ring, Mitre and Crozier will be blessed. Please contact Gemma Mulligan, Pastoral Co-ordinator, to book a place on the bus: 087 7571250

WORLD MEEING OF FAMILIES: A formal announcement that Pope Francis will attend the World Meeting of Families in Ireland is expected shortly. Pope Francis personally chose Ireland to host this event. Parishioners who would like to attend all or part of the event can register now for the three-day Pastoral Congress on www.worldmeeting2018.ie. Places for the Congress are limited and guarantee a ticket for the Festival of Families and the Final Mass which are expected to be led by Pope Francis. Although there will be no charge for any event led by the Pope, tickets for the Festival of Families will be very limited and not released until a later date, along with tickets for the final Mass.

SCHOOL ENROLMENTS: Enrolment of pupils for September 2018 in the three parish primary schools should be done as soon as possible. St Leonard's has a closing date 16th March.

REGISTRATION FOR DUNAMAGGAN GAA CLUB AND LADIES FOOTBALL CLUB will take place this weekend in **St. Eoghan's Centre, Kilmoganny** on **Saturday 24th February** after **7.00 p.m. mass** and in **St. Leonard's Hall, Dunamaggan** on **Sunday 25th February** after **11.00 a.m. mass**.

DUNNA DASH - The 5th Annual "Dunna Dash" 5km Family Fun Run & Walk in aid of St. Leonard's National School will be held again this year on **Sunday 4th March 2018 at 12.30 p.m.** Registration will be from **11.30 am** in the school hall on the day. We are currently seeking sponsorship for the children's medals. If you are interested in or know of anyone or company who would be willing to help with this please let Barbara Rossiter, Aine Walsh or Yvonne Lyons know.

HISTORICAL KELLS DISCUSSION GROUP: The second Historic Kells Discussion night will take place on **7th March at 8.00 p.m. in Kells/Mullins Mill**. Discussion topics will be: **1. Kells/Mullins Mill and the Mullins Family** and **2. Residents of Kells village 1900-2000 or earlier**.

Everyone (including those coming to listen) will be made very welcome.

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