

MONASTEREVIN PARISH NEWSLETTER BRINGING OUR COMMUNITY TOGETHER.

5th December 2021

Mass Times

Parish Church

Saturday - 6.30 p.m.

Sunday - 9.00 a.m. & 11.30 a.m.

Our Lady's Chapel

Tuesday to Friday 10.00 a.m.

Contact Details:

Fr. Liam Merrigan P.P.

045 525346

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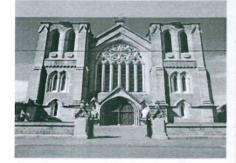
Adrienne McCormack Mary Kilbride Anna Pedrak Brian Ennis

Opening Hours:

Monday- 10.30am to 4.30pm Tuesday - Thursday 9.00 a.m. to 4.30 p.m. Closed for Lunch 1.00 - 1.30p.m. Friday 9.00am to 4.00pm

Safe Guarding of Children Diocesan Designated Liaison Person:

Mr. Michael Daly c/o Bishops House Old Dublin Road Carlow Ph: 085 8021633



Notices & Anniversaries to be left in the Parish Office by Wednesday's @ 1 p.m.

Email: monasterevin.parish@gmail.com, Parish Radio 99FM OUR MAIN CHURCH SERVICES ARE STREAMED LIVE ON LINE VIA OUR PARISH WEBCAM @ MONASTEREVINPARISH.IE

Anniversaries/Birthday Remembrance

Please Pray for the Repose of the Soul of Charlie Meredith, who died in Nottingham UK, formerly of 71 Clogheen Monasterevin on Wednesday, R.I.P.

Saturday 4th December 2021, 6.30 pm Mass

George Domican, Old Kilcullen, Deceased Members of the Domican & Dunne Families, Joe Byrne, Hill View, Ballykelly, Tom Moran, Passlands, Christopher McCormack, Clondown.

Sunday 5th December 2021, 9.00am Mass

Betty Noons, Deceased Members of the Noons & Molloy Families, Elizabeth Connolly, Dublin Street, Deceased Members of the Connolly Family, Dublin Street, John & Elizabeth Melia, Cherryville, Sean Melia, Monasterevin Road, Matt & Noleen Walsh, Maryville, Kildare, John Dempsey, Umeras, Nathan Heffeman, Mountrice, Madeline Lusk

Sunday 5th December 2021, 11.30am Mass

Helen Holohan, Lackagh, Rizalina Villar, (Birthday Remembrance), Connie Martinez, (Birthday Remembrance), Henry Fitzpatrick, Inchacooley, Mary, Patricia & Annette Colfer, M.J. McCormack, Willie Whelan, Drogheda Street,

Wednesday 8th December 2021, 10.00 am Mass

George Domican, Old Kilcullen, Brigid Hannon, Sligo, Deceased Members of the Hannon Family, Sligo, Deceased Members of the Doyle Family, Roscommon, Peter & Josephine Murphy, Br. Maurice Murphy, Deceased Members of the Murphy Family. Closelands, Margaret Behan, Rathangan.

> Friday 10th December 2021, 10.00 am Mass Deceased Members of the Ryan & Flanagan Families



MINISTERS OF THE **EUCHARIST**

Saturday 11th December

6.30pm - Mary Doyle, Dan Clancy, Jacqueline Kennedy

Sunday 12th December

9.00am - Mary Lawlor, Devina Weldon, Dearbhla Fitzpatrick 11.30am - Anna Kelly, Ann Fearon, Fiona Behan

READERS Saturday 11th December 6.30pm:

Ruth Dempsey Sunday 12th December

9.00 am: Grannie Stapleton

11.30am: Gary Farrell

CHOIR

Saturday 11th December 6.30pm Tom Forde Sunday 12th December 11.30 am Tom Glynn

LOTTO - 30th November

Team A

Pauline Duffy, Lily Donoghue

Weekly Collection

Envelope Collection:-€265.00 Basket:-€1,010.00

Monasterevin Parish Lotto Draw Results 30/11/2021 Numbers Drawn 4, 5, 6, 19 Next Weeks Jackpot €5.600 No Winner

Winners Promoter Voucher J. Hennessy R. Mc D. M. Doyle Voucher Sr. A. Scully Voucher P. McGlynn R. Callanan M. Heavey Voucher M. Hickey Voucher L. Donoghue Lilly €20 K. Downey M. Doyle €20 H. Dempsey R. Mc D. €20 B. Lonergan A. Kelly €20 A. Kelly P. Kelly €20 C. Kelly P. Kelly

> Next Draw 07/12/21 Thanks'for your continues support

Ballykelly G.F.C. Lotto Draw Results 29/11/2021 Numbers Drawn: 2 7 11 19 Next Weeks Jackpot €15,000 No Winner

Winners Promoter €20 Mary Leonard M. Dowling €20 Maeve Holligan S. Ryan G. Harrison €20 Shannon Donoher €20 John J Behan J. Behan €20 Arthur Lawlor R. McDonnell €20 Daniel Byrne J. Byrne €20 Mary Walsh P. Brereton €20 Pauline Donoher P. Donoher €20 Laura Murphy G. Harrison €20 Tommy O'Connell A.Holligan

Next draw: 6/12/2021 Thanks for your continued support

MONASTEREVIN GFC

1st €100 T. McHale Earlevs 2nd € 50 Mrs Walsh Earleys 3rd € 25 J. Harrison John 4th € 25 K. Kelly Garv Kelly

> Thanks to our supporters & promotors

S.V.D. NATIONAL CHURCH GATE COLLECTION

S.V.D. national church gate collection will take place on Sunday 12th December. Please give generously and support those most in need in our community

PLACING A PETITION BOX OF HOPE! PEACE/JOY/LOVE EACH WEEK INTO THE LITURGICAL SPACE

Each week a gift-wrapped petition box with an open slit on the top and the word Peace (week two) will be placed on the altar rails. Parishioners are invited to add their intentions to the box during the week.



Support for the Parish

Thank you to the many who have found new ways of continuing to support the Parish during this ime of Lockdown. We are very appreciative of the continued support of so many during this difficult time.

Some other ways to contribute to our Parish Donation on line: monasterevinparish.ie Click donate button or Kandle.ie

Parish Envelopes can be dropped into collection boxes in the Church, Letter Box at Fr. Liam's House or the Parish Office. Account details are as follows

Parish Clergy Fund Bank Name & Address - Bank of Ireland, Monasterevin

Name of Account: Monasterevin Parish Clergy IBAN - IE57 BOFI 9012 2030 9932 34 BIC No. - BOFIIE2D)

Parish Development Fund Bank Name & Address - Allied Irish Banks Newbridge,
Name of Account: Monasterevin Parish Committee
IBAN - IE44AIBK93324447309065
BIC - AIBKIE2D

(Please put your Name/Address in ref box)

INTERACTIVE ADVENT CALENDAR

This annual popular offering from the Bishops' Conference goes live on November 28. Full of daily prayers and resources for the home, you'll find it at: www.catholicbishops.ie

MONASTEREVIN PARISH CHRISTMAS MASS TIMES FOR 2021

CAROL SERVICE

Wednesday 15th December Carol Service 7.30pm CONFESSIONS

Saturday 18th & Sunday 19th December At all masses with General Absolution Sat 6.30pm Sun 9.00am 11.30am

(In Confession Box)

Christmas Eve Friday 24th December 10.00am - 12.00pm & 2.00pm - 4.00pm

Christmas Mass Times Friday 24th December - Christmas Eve

4.00pm - Children's Mass 9.00pm - Candlelight with The Gospel Choir

Saturday 25th December - Christmas Day 9.00am 11.30am

Sunday 26th December - St. Stephen's

9.00am 11.30am Tuesday 28th December - Friday 31st

December 10.00am

Saturday 1st January 2022 - New Year Day 6.30pm

Thursday 6th January - Feast of the **Epiphany** 10.00am & 7.30pm

COMMUNION TO THE SICK & HOUSEBOUND Friday 17th December 2021.

Office Admin for Monasterevin Community Centre, Monasterevin, Co. Kildare

Full time position, 39 Hour week, *8.15 to 17.15 (Exclusive of 30 min break) *Some flexibility to the hours may be negotiable.

Salary €22,350 To qualify, candidates must be coming from a social funding role (e.g., CE scheme, Tus Scheme, Jobseekers or similar) Position available until Dec 2022 subject to

Detailed job description available on http://

www.monasterevincommunitycentre.ie Closing date of application is 13.00 on Friday, December 10th. Please email a covering letter and CV to vacancy@monasterevincommunitycentre.ie

FEAST OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Wednesday 8th December is the Feast of the mmaculate Conception and a Holy Day of Obligation mass times are 10am and 7.30pm

Feast of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

On Wednesday, December 8, we celebrate this feast day of Mary. We remember that from the first moment of her existence in the womb of her mother Anne, Mary was preserved free from Original Sin. She was full of grace. See https://www.youtube.com/ watch?v=bqeUpvMXLk8&feature=emb logo for a short video on the meaning of this feast

An Advent Family Prayer at Bedtime for Week 2

We invite you to take a moment before bedtime to pause and thank God for your Advent day. Bring to God any worries or concerns you may have, any places of conflict or disturbance in your life. Pray this prayer in union with the rest of our diocesan family. You might like to light the first two candles of your Advent wreath or your Advent Candle to begin your prayer.

Loving God.

on this Advent night we turn to you in prayer. As we wait for the coming of your Son, we ask you to bless our family. Comfort us with your healing and help us to welcome your light into our lives, a light that gives us the gift of peace. Help us to forgive and to love, and to bring your peace where it is needed. May your peace guard

our hearts, our minds and our home. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Together we pray: Come, Lord Jesus.