

PARÓISTE Naomh Fionán

14ú Bealtaine 2023 - An Séú Dohmnach den Cháisc - A

The Gift of the Holy Spirit

Just as the first followers of Jesus proclaimed and announced the good news of his resurrection, we in our time and in our way are called to do the same. Today, we are the people who are called to be witnesses and messengers of the resurrection. We do this in our homes, our communities and in our workplaces; wherever and however we can.

In his letter, *The Joy of the Gospel*, Pope Francis says to each of us, 'because of their baptism, all members of the people of God have become missionary disciples....every Christian is challenged here and now, to be actively engaged in proclaiming the good news'.

As we prepare to shortly celebrate the Feast of Pentecost, may we recall and remember our own baptism and confirmation. May the Lord help us to realise that we are called not only to believe in his resurrection, but also to live and proclaim this good news through the quality of our daily lives with each other.

Michael Moore OMI



Cuimhneacháin Báis:

James Campbell, Ballina, whose funeral took place here on Sunday last.

John McGee, London and Killult who died in London. (Brother of Manus McGee, Church Road and Joe McGee, Ballintemple).

Anniversaries:

Owenie Ferry. Mary Ruddy. Pat McClafferty. Michael McGinley and Ellen McLean.

MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday 13th	7: 00 pm	Owenie Ferry Mary Ruddy Pat McClafferty	Anniversary Anniversary Anniversary
Sunday 14th	9: 00 am 11: 00 am	Aifreann don Phobal Mass	
Monday 15th	9: 30 am	Michael McGinley	1st Anniversary
Tuesday 16th	7: 00 pm	Special Intention	
Wednesday 17th	9: 30 am	Ellen McLean	Anniversary
Thursday 18th	9: 30 am	Private Intention	
Friday 19th	7: 00 pm	Special Intention	
Saturday 20th	11: 00 am 7: 00 pm	Mass Mass	
Sunday 21st	9: 00 am 11: 00 am	Aifreann don Phobal Mass	

Confessions

Available on request

Eucharistic Adoration

Wednesday:

Holy Hour: 9- 10 pm

Thursday: 10: 00 am – 9: 00 pm.

Thursday adoration includes the

Diving Mercy @ 5: 30 pm and

concludes with Rosary

@ 8: 30 pm

All Masses are available live on:

www.naomhfionan.com

& Parish Radio @ 106.5 FM

Please scan the QR code below to donate to either Falcarragh Church or Graveyard Collection

Church Collection



Graveyard Collection



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Freagra an tSailm:

Alleluia.

Ways to donate to parish funds

You can now make a donation to the Parish online by scanning the QR codes on the front of this newsletter, with your mobile phone camera. One QR code is for the Sunday Collection and one QR code is for the Graveyard Collection. You can also make donations by going to the parish website and clicking on the DONATE button. All donations are gratefully accepted.

The Brown Scapular

The Brown Scapular is popular with Catholics because of the Promises attached to it.

On 16th July, 1251, Our Lady promised St Simon Stock "Whoever dies clothed in the Scapular shall not suffer eternal fire".

The devotion has been recommended by numerous Popes. In 1981, when St. John Paul II was shot, he asked the attending surgeon not to remove his scapular.

Scapulars and explanatory leaflets are available, phone 086 3626257.

Enrolment by the Parish Priest will take place in the Church at an appointed time.

Service of Remembrance

The management, staff and chaplains of Letterkenny University Hospital invite you to their annual ecumenical service of remembrance for families who have suffered miscarriage, stillbirth, neonatal death of a baby and for those who have suffered the loss of a child. This service will take place on Sunday the 14th of May at 3pm in the Church of the Irish Martyrs in Letterkenny

Raphoe Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage

The last few remaining places are available for The Raphoe Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 2023, which departs from Derry Airport on Tuesday 23rd May for 5 nights. If you would like to join the Pilgrimage please contact Joe Walsh Tours Directly on 01 2410800 to book a place."

Lough Derg

Pilgrimages to Lough Derg are ongoing. For further information please see notices in Church porches.

Buíochas

Thanks to everyone for their generosity at the Church Gate Collection last weekend for Aontu (A Prolife Party).

A total of €408 was raised. Maith sibh.

Falcarragh Fire Service

Falcarragh Fire Service are recruiting Fire Fighters, closing date for applications is 15/05/2023, If you have any queries contact Joe 0877961494 or Kevin 0879350554.

Community Employment Scheme

Falcarragh Community Organisation have vacancies for Environmental Workers, Caretakers, Youth Workers, Meals on Wheels Delivery

Workers, Receptionist/Administrators and Tour Guides in Dunlewey, Falcarragh and Magheroarty. Please contact Kevin or Marion on 074 9165782 during office hours, or call to the office (above the Barber's) in Falcarragh.

Pobal Eascarrach Meals on Wheels

Are you free for a few hours during the week and would like to support a vital community service? Pobal Eascarrach is currently looking to involve new volunteers to help with the delivery of meals to the elderly, for our growing meals on wheels service, in the Cloughaneely area. Contact John at 074-9126740 for further information, or click on the link.

<https://www.i-vol.ie/volunteer-opportunity/...>

Cloughaneely Junior Band

Winning numbers 2,3,5,14,16 and 17. 1 Match 5 winner: Jean McFadden €100. Next week's jackpot €9,550. Thank you to all the businesses for helping to sell our tickets and to everyone who buys them. You can now play band lotto online. Klubfunder.com cloughaneely junior band. Last entries by 5pm every Thursday.

Pobail Le Chéile

Gardening Group: Interested in gardening? We are looking for new members to come and enjoy Garradh Cholm Cille. Get in touch with us if you want to get your hands dirty and grow some veg, learn new tips and have the craic along the way. Email coord-pobailc@gmail.com or call Pól Penrose 074 9180111 or text 086 455 7519 to get involved. Full spring program of events at Garradh Cholm Cille coming soon.

ARTSPACE Spring exhibition is open to the public during the week so please come along and see the artworks and each piece of work we have on display is up for sale. If you are interested in buying any works in the exhibition, please contact the Pobail le Cheile office 0749180111 or Eve on 0860683715.

Ionad Naomh Fionnan

50/50

Congratulations to Alannah McHugh, c/o Celine Mc Fadden, Bloody Foreland Gweedore who won the 50/50 prize this week of €880.

Thank you to everyone for your continued support

We will have our next Social Dancing Night with Josie Cannon on Friday 19th of May 9pm-11pm, Social Dancing, Jiving & Ceili Dancing. €5 Admission includes Tea/Coffee

'The Power of Positive Thinking' course continues on Friday at 10am - Kindly supported by Donegal ETB.

Summer Camps will start on July 10th for children aged 4 - 12 years. Call us to book your child's place 0749165750.

Do you want to take the stress out of your child's Birthday Party? - why not host it here at Ionad Naomh Fionnán, Saturday & Sunday afternoon slots available for kids parties - call 0749165750 for more information.

CLG Chloich Cheann

The jackpot is now €5,450. Tickets are available in various outlets throughout the parish or online at the following link:

<https://clubforce.com/clubs/gaa-clg-chloich-cheann-fhaola/>

Parish Newsletter

All notices for inclusion in newsletter to be in by 12 noon on Thursdays. Thank you.

Dates for your diary :

Ballina Estate Mass - Sunday 11th June, 11am.
Graveyard Sunday - Sunday 6th August, 1pm.



St. Vincent de Paul: Local number: 087 1443464

Cloughaneely Food Bank: 083 348 9749

MABS Gweedore: 0818 072650