IRISH KIDNEY ASSOCIATION

ANNUAL CHURCH GATE COLLECTION - SAT 18th & SUN 19th AUGUST Please support. Thank you.

TULLOW AGRICULTURAL SHOW - This Sunday 19th August 2018

SLANEY ROVERS A.F.C.

CONGRATULATIONS TO LIZ KIRTON, Woodgrove Avenue on winning the jackpot of €11,900 with the numbers 4, 7, 11 and 23. A lifelong supporter of the club lotto, Liz`s choice of 23 as her fourth number proved the lucky one which separated her as the outright winner while nine others made a different choice along with the popular combination of 4, 7 and 11. Promoter of the winning ticket was Peg Kehoe. Next draw takes place on Monday August 20th. **Jackpot €1,000.**

RATHVILLY G.A.A. CLUB

Lotto Results: No Jackpot winner. Numbers drawn 7-9-13-15

Match 3 win or share €150

Manus Molloy Knockavagh 7-9-11-13 Molloy's

Promoters Prize €20 Tom McCall

Next draw 21 Aug 2018 in Molloy's Bar. Jackpot € 8,400

MEMORY TECHNOLOGY RESOURCE ROOMS

Memory Technology Resource Rooms that are now open every Thursday on the grounds of Sacred Heart Hospital, Carlow. The MTRRs are for people with dementia & memory difficulties, their families and carers. The MTRRs showcase a wide range of assistive technology equipment that promote independence, safety & quality of life. It is free to attend and provides individuals with the opportunity to see and discuss the benefits of assistive technology with an occupational therapist. Individuals can access the MTRRs by telephoning Aoife Regan 087 7201503.

BABY LOSS REMEMBRANCE

A special Mass will be celebrated in the Church of the Assumption, Tynock on Wednesday, 5th September at 7.00 p.m. in remembrance of all babies who died before birth, in infancy and in early childhood.

A 'Remembrance Quilt' is being prepared for this Celebration and we invite people to embroider their child's name/children's names on an eight inch square patch and put it in the box in Tynock or Talbotstown Church or the Parish Office in Rathvilly before 25th August. For further information contact Fr. Pat O'Brien 059 6473211 or Mary Kelly on 086 2261264.

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RATHVILLY KILTEGAN PARISH

NEWSLETTER

St. Brigid's St. Patrick's The Assumption
Talbotstown Rathvilly Tynock
18th & 19th August, 2018 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

We include in our Mass this Saturday the following people who have died recently. Johnny Kelly, Tullow, father of John Kelly, Ballybit.

Angela Cahillane, Knockananna, sister in law to Debbie Rahilly, Ballyoliver. Nancy Lawler, Ballytore, mother of Caroline Flinter, Ballyraggan.

Anniversary Mass

Saturday, 18th August at 7.30 p.m.

Alice Carson, Raheendaw

Saturday 25th August at 7.30 p.m.

Months Mind Mass for Kathleen Burke, Bough on Saturday 25th August at 7.30 p.m.

MASS TIMES THIS WEEK

Communion Service – Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday at 9.30 a.m. Saturday – Mass at 9.30 a.m. Our visitors for the WMOF will attend this Mass.

WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES

Our visitors from Belarus, Poland and Russia will arrive from Monday, 20th August. You are cordially invited to Our Official Launch on Monday evening at 7 p.m. in St. Patrick's Church, Rathvilly for Vespers (Evening Prayer) followed by Light Refreshments and Entertainment.

THE IRISH CATHOLIC

On 30^{th} August, a commemorative edition that is sure to be a keepsake for decades to come will feature coverage of the 9^{th} World Meeting of Families due to take place in Dublin from $21^{st} - 26^{th}$ August. Copies available in the Church for 1.80.

WEBCAM – LIVE STREAMING BROADCASTING FROM CHURCH

A Webcam has been installed in St. Patrick's Church, Rathvilly and all Services in the main Church will be broadcast on the Internet. Log onto www.rathvillykilteganparish.ie

WEEKEND COLLECTIONS – Sat/Sun, 4/5 August, 2018

Offertory Collection €214.38 Envelope Collection €523.60. Many thanks.

GOSPEL READINGS – 19th – 26th August

Sunday: Jn 6: 51-58 Mon: Mt 19: 16-22 Tues: Mt 19: 23-30 Wed: Lk 1: 26-38 Thurs: Mt 22: 1-14 Fri: Jn 1: 45-51

Sat: Mt 23: 1-12 Sunday: Jn 6: 60-69

WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES Schedule of Events – 20th – 27th August

Monday – 20th August

Vespers (Evening Prayer) at 7 p.m. followed by Light Refreshments and Entertainment.

Tuesday – 21st August

9 am - Whistle Stop Tour of Carlow; Ducketts Grove, Carlow Museum, Dolmen.

12.30 pm - Mass in St. Patrick's Kiltegan followed by lunch.

2 pm - Visit to St. Patrick's Well. Weather permitting.

3 pm – Trip to Rathwood.

6 pm – Supper in Carlow hosted by the Cathedral Parish

7 pm – Prayer Service in Carlow Cathedral to announce World Meeting of Families

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday - Conference Events in RDS Dublin

Saturday – 25th August

Mass at 9.30 am in St. Patrick's Church.

10.15 am – Exhibition football and hurling games at GAA field

12.30 pm - Lunch followed by bus to Croke Park. Pope Francis will address the crowd.

Sunday – 26th August

8 am – Bus to Phoenix Park for the Mass with Pope Francis.

Monday – 27th August

Pilgrims return home.

WEEK - 19th - 26th August

Altar Servers – Aoibhínn Doyle, Anna Doyle, Orlaith O'Sullivan, Aoife O'Sullivan.

Church Readers -

Saturday, 25th August – Esther Murphy, Lilly Keogh.

Sunday, 26th August – Elizabeth Fitzpatrick, Susan Tobin.

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion -

Saturday, 25th August – Eithne Molloy, Anne Marie Kehoe, Antoinette Kelly.

Sunday, 26th August – Laz Cullen, Marie Curry, Katie Kehoe.

RATHVILLY FIRST RESPONDERS

Many thanks to all the Parishioners of Rathvilly. Our Recent Church Gate Collection raised €302.76. This money will go towards buying two training defibrillators for the group.

THANK YOU

A very special 'Thank You' from the Doyle Family Bough to the people of Rathvilly and Kiltegan Parish for all your prayers, thoughts and support for Kathleen Doyle during her recent illness.

RATHVILLY TIDY TOWNS ASSOCIATION – 6 WEEK DRAW

Draw Results – Week 1 – 13th August 2018

 1^{st} Prize $- \in 100$ – Anto Kelly. Promoter - Anto Kelly. 2^{nd} Prize - $\in 50$ – David Burgess. Promoter - Trevor Jones. 3^{rd} prize - $\in 20$ – Eddie Kelly. Promoter – Post Office.

Promoters Prize €20 – Peg & Lauren Kehoe.

Countdown to the World Meeting of Families ...

We are now in the final days of preparation before the Diocesan Opening of the World Meeting of Families in the Cathedral in Carlow on Tuesday next at 7.30pm. Refreshments available in St. Leo's College from 6pm on Tuesday.

In the coming days we will host pilgrims from Belarus, Brazil, Poland, Romania and Russia. We will welcome Cardinal Peter Turkson, our special guest on Tuesday evening. He will arrive in the Diocese on Monday at lunchtime and leave from here for the RDS on Wednesday.

Wednesday is our Diocesan Day at the RDS, I look forward to meeting many of you there. We have a Diocesan Stand in the RDS exhibition hall, make sure to drop in and say hello.

Great patience has been evident as we await the pre-booked tickets coming from the World Meeting. Now that the parish allocations for Croke Park Festival of Families have just arrived, if having received yours, you need more, let us know at Bishop's House in case spare tickets are returned. Equally if you are not using your allocation, make sure a neighbouring parish uses them.

The relics of St. Therese and her parents, we might call them 'the relics of a saintly family' arrive to the Cathedral on Monday after the 10am Mass, they will leave at 7pm Monday evening for the Carmelite Church in Kildare.

The Diocese through the parishes has prepared hugely for this World Meeting. It would be great to encourage the flying of papal flags and bunting in parishes during these special days. I am very grateful for all you have done. May we all receive great blessings from the coming days as Pope Francis walks amongst us.

Bishop Denis

COMMUNITY GAMES

We have 21 Track & Field athletes travelling to Limerick to represent area & county in the Community Games National Finals in UL.

U12 100m Leila Colfer U12 Ball Throw Emma Nolan U14 100m Rachel Hickey U14 Long Jump Adam Nolan U16 200m Tadgh Walsh U16 Discus Kiana Nolan U16 Discus Sean Corcoran

Relays: U12 Girls Leila Colfer, Aine Hickey, Emily Lawlor, Emma Nolan, Mischa Cassells & Anna Doyle

U14 Girls Laura Wade, Ella Molloy, Amalita O'Donoghue, Rachel Hickey, Aoibheann Doyle & Ciara Byrne

U16 Boys Padhraic Byrne, Tadgh Walsh, Pauric Whyte, Conor O'Neill, Cory Murphy & Dara Curran. Best of luck everyone & enjoy the experience.

Thanks to Mary Walsh & Ann Marie Molloy for all their hard work with the relays teams over the past couple of weeks.

We would also like to welcome the families from Poland, Belarus and Russia and hope you enjoy your time in Rathvilly.