

## RATHVILLY G.A.A. CLUB

**Lotto Results:** No Jackpot winner. Numbers drawn 2-7-8-17

Match 3 win or share €150. 5 Lucky dips

Mary Kelly Haroldstown - Mary Kelly Mary McCall Bough - Tom McCall  
Geraldine Doyle Collins Pk - Ed Brennan Garrett Byrne Knocklishen - Jamie Byrne  
Saoirse Gibbons Station Rd. - Collette & Helen Promoters Prize €20 - Collette Kelly  
Next draw 15 Sept 2020 in Club House **Jackpot €10,000**

**DRIVE-IN BINGO** – Wednesday, 16<sup>th</sup> September at 8.00 p.m. €3,000 in Prizes.

## GETTING BACK ON TRACK FINANCIALLY

Most of us have some level of debt, but when unpaid debt becomes such a burden that it prevents you from getting out of bed in the morning, brings a sense of dread when answering the phone or opening the post, it is time to take control of the situation. The unfortunate reality is that due to the impact of COVID-19 many more people in Ireland may be struggling to pay their debts having recently lost their jobs or struggling to make ends meet on reduced incomes. The effects of problem debt on a person's wellbeing and mental health can be severe and can prevent them coming forward for help but there is a solution to every debt problem and this is where the Insolvency Service of Ireland (ISI) can help. The ISI is the independent government body with four debt solutions to help people with all levels of problem debt - from credit cards to mortgages. It regulates debt advisors called Personal Insolvency Practitioners (PIPs). You could be insolvent if: - you can't pay your bills in full when they are due - You're paying a little off each bill trying to keep creditors at bay - You've had calls and letters about missed repayments and threats of repossession. If you are insolvent and in arrears on your home mortgage you could also be eligible for a free consultation with a PIP under the State-funded Abhaile Scheme. The purpose of that Scheme is to help people in serious arrears to find the best available solutions, with the help of professional advisors. The priority will be to find a sustainable solution that keeps a person in their home, where possible. For more information visit [www.backontrack.ie](http://www.backontrack.ie) or freetext GETHELP to 50015 for a callback.

## RATHVILLY COMMUNITY CENTRE

The new committee have taken the decision to close the Phoenix Centre as they prepare for the re-development of the building as a fully functional community centre for the use by the whole community. The building is not currently Covid-19 compliant and this decision has been taken in the best interest of health and safety. We need your help with the storage of the contents of the Phoenix Centre during the development and we would ask anyone in the locality if they could facilitate the committee to store the contents. Full details of contents is available from Chairperson Janice Joyce 085 8478945.

**Parish Office – Mon-Fri: 10 am – 1 pm - 059 9161114**

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**Diocesan Website: [www.kandle.ie](http://www.kandle.ie)**

**Local Safeguarding Reps:** Eoin Cheasty Mary Phelan Elizabeth Austin David Carton

**Diocesan Designated Liaison Person:** Mr. Mick Daly - Email: [dlp@kandle.ie](mailto:dlp@kandle.ie)

## **RATHVILLY KILTEGAN PARISH**

### **NEWSLETTER**

**St. Brigid's**                      **St. Patrick's**                      **The Assumption**  
**Talbotstown**                      **Rathvilly**                      **Tynock**  
**12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup> September, 2020**                      **24<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Recent Deaths:** James Doyle, Tankardstown, Cross, Ballybitt  
Mairead Corrigan, Ballytore & Bough, Yeon Cassells, Castledermot

### **ANNIVERSARY MASSES**

#### **Rathvilly – Sat/Sun, 12<sup>th</sup>/13<sup>th</sup> September**

Terry O'Brien, Collins Park – 1 <sup>st</sup> Anniversary	James & Ann Leonard, Monavoth
Edward & Ellen Carson, Rathmore	James & Marie Byrne, Sunnyside
Joseph Plant, Rahill	Tony Reilly, Ballyoliver

#### **Talbotstown – Saturday, 19<sup>th</sup> September**

Mai Carthy, 4 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary	Joseph Graham, Rathdrum, 6 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary
James Carthy, 40 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary	Sean & Peg Farrell, Englishtown

#### **Rathvilly - Sat/Sun, 19<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> September**

Jim Breen, Knockboy	Peter Kelly, Waterstown
Sean Kehoe, Mount Lucas	Katie Bulmer, Waterstown
James Kehoe, Mount Lucas	Rita Paisley, Rathvilly
Bridget Kehoe, Mount Lucas	Elizabeth Haberlin, Ballyhackett
Elizabeth & James Dowling, Knocklishen	Patrick & Kathleen Deering, Ballybit

Saturday, 12<sup>th</sup> September

Tynock at 6.00 p.m.

Rathvilly at 7.30 p.m.

Reader – Muireann Gartland.

Reader – Eithne Molloy.

Minister of Holy Communion – Sadie Donovan.

Sunday, 13<sup>th</sup> September

Talbotstown at 9.30 a.m.

Rathvilly at 11 a.m.

Reader – Breedh Murphy.

Reader – Dawn Cheasty.

Minister of Holy Communion – Marie Curry.

Saturday, 19<sup>th</sup> September

Talbotstown at 6.00 p.m.

Rathvilly at 7.30 p.m.

Reader – Joe O'Brien.

Reader – Liz Fitzpatrick.

Minister of Holy Communion – Rita Balfe

Sunday, 20<sup>th</sup> September

Tynock at 9.30 a.m.

Rathvilly at 11 a.m.

Reader – Nigel Byrne.

Reader – Catherine Carroll.

Minister of Holy Communion – Trish Leonard.

**Rathvilly Church** - Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday – Mass 9.30 a.m.

Friday – Mass at 7.30 p.m. Rosary before Mass each day.

**Mass** on Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday at 9.30 a.m. in **Kiltegan Oratory**.

## **FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2020**

First Holy Communion will be celebrated on Saturday, 19<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> September.  
Church of the Assumption, Tynock on Saturday, 19<sup>th</sup> September at 11 a.m.  
St. Brigid's Church, Talbotstown on Saturday, 26<sup>th</sup> September at 11 a.m.  
St. Patrick's Church, Rathvilly on Saturday, 26<sup>th</sup> September at 11 a.m. & 2 p.m.

## **PRIESTS' HARVEST COLLECTION**

Collection for the Priests of the Parish this weekend. Please use the envelope in your box or one with your name and address. Thank you for your continued support.

## **EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION –**

**Thursday** after Mass – 10.00 – 11.00 a.m. **Friday – 6.00 p.m. – 7.00 p.m.**

**CONFESSIONS** will take place during Adoration in the Day Chapel adhering to 2 meter distance. Please wear a face covering.

## **GOSPEL READINGS – 13<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> September, 2020**

Sunday: Mt 18: 21-35      Mon: Jn 3: 13-17      Tues: Jn 19: 25-27  
Wed: Lk 7: 31-35      Thurs: Lk 7: 36-50      Fri: Lk 8: 1-3  
Sat: Lk 8: 4-15      Sunday: Mt 20: 1-16

All the Sunday and Daily Mass Readings can be accessed from our website.

## **WEEKEND COLLECTIONS – Sat/Sun, 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> September, 2020**

We thank all our parishioners who contribute to the weekly Collections.  
Rathvilly: Offertory Collection €110.62    Envelope Collection - €423.50  
Kiltegan: Offertory Collection - €33.95    Envelope Collection - €244.00

## **THE IRISH CATHOLIC**

Last week and this weeks issue is of special interest to our Parish and our Diocese. An article in last weeks issue about Fr. Paul Dempsey, Parish Priest of Newbridge who was ordained Episcopal Bishop of Achonry and this weeks edition contains an article about Kevin Barry written by his grandniece Siofra O'Donovan.

## **SAFEGUARDING MESSAGE FOR SAFEGUARDING SUNDAY 2020**

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time – 13 September 2020  
*The place of young people in the heart of our diocese, our parishes, our church*  
Last September we celebrated our very first Safeguarding Sunday in the diocese. This year to coincide with Safeguarding Sunday in the middle of the Covid-19 pandemic we are also offering a Video Message.

Full message from Bishop Denis Nulty is available on a separate sheet at the back of the Church and is also available on our Parish Website & the Diocesan Website.

## **GRANDPARENTS PILGRIMAGE, KNOCK SHRINE 2020**

The 2020 pilgrimage is this Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> of September at the Shrine of Our Lady of Knock taking place virtually at 3pm at Knock Basilica. The Ceremony can be viewed at - [www.knockshrine.ie](http://www.knockshrine.ie)

## **SEASON OF CREATION, 1<sup>st</sup> Sept – 4<sup>th</sup> Oct – continued from last week**

### *A Time to Remember*

We are invited to remember above all that creation's ultimate destiny is to enter into God's eternal Sabbath. This journey, however, takes place in time, spanning the seven-day rhythm of the week, the cycle of seven years, and the great Jubilee Year that comes at the end of the seven Sabbath years.

A Jubilee is indeed a time of grace to remember creation's original vocation to exist and flourish as a community of love. We exist only in relationships: with God the Creator, with our brothers and sisters as members of a common family, and with all of God's creatures within our common home. "Everything is related, and we human beings are united as brothers and sisters on a wonderful pilgrimage, woven together by the love God has for each of his creatures and which also unites us in fond affection with brother sun, sister moon, brother river and mother earth" (*LS*, 92)  
A Jubilee, then, is a time of remembrance, in which we cherish the memory of our inter-relational existence. We need constantly to remember that "everything is interconnected, and that genuine care for our own lives and our relationships with nature is inseparable from fraternity, justice and faithfulness to others" (*LS*, 70).

## **LIVING WELL**

This is a free group online Self-Management programme for adults with long term health conditions. For more information please contact Ciara number 087 4088325 email: [SelfManagementSupportsSECH@hse.ie](mailto:SelfManagementSupportsSECH@hse.ie) Website: [www.hse.ie/LivingWell](http://www.hse.ie/LivingWell)

## **SLANEY ROVERS A.F.C.**

**LOTTO** - No jackpot winner. Winning numbers were 4 - 10 - 24 - 25  
Match Three: win or share €150

V Rev John McEvoy PP, Rathvilly      Shirley Jackson, Hacketstown  
Mona Corcoran, Ballyhackett, Tullow      Kyle c/o Bruno, Rathvilly  
K + K c/o Theresa Lawlor, St. Patricks Park, Rathvilly  
Promoter prize Declan Clarke

Next draw will take place in the Parish Meeting Room on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> September at 7pm with a jackpot value of **€10,800**.

Tickets are on sale in Bruno's, Mace and the Post Office, as well as online <https://clubforce.com> Thank you for all your support.

## **Fundraising To Erect Fencing Continues Unabated**

Fundraising to erect fencing around both pitches continues unabated, with the club looking for teams to enter its GOLF SCRAMBLE to be held in Baltinglass Golf Club on 2nd October. Team of 4 - €100. Please contact Figgis as soon as possible if interested in entering a team- 0874122530.

## **VIEW ALL MASSES AND PRAYERS ON OUR WEBSITE -**

**[www.rathvillykilteganparish.ie/our-parish/webcam/](http://www.rathvillykilteganparish.ie/our-parish/webcam/)**

## **The Irish Catholic Newspaper is available each week at €2 each**