

PARISH NEWSLETTER

19th. April 2026

Third Sunday of Easter



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ANNIVERSARIES - WITH LOVE
WE REMEMBER

Saturday 18th Ballyconnell 7.30: Jack Carroll and his parents Ciss & Peter Carroll.

Sunday 19th. Kilquiggan 9.00am. Deirdre Dolan, Ballynultagh. Hugh Doyle- Chicago USA- formerly of Ballynultagh.

Sunday 19th. Clonmore 10.30am: William Deay, Crookstown, his brother Barney & his wife Peg and William's sister Sr. Mary Winnifred.

Sunday 25th Ballyconnell 7.30pm : Leo Healy, Killinure

Sunday 26th - Kilquiggan 9.00am - Ann & Anthony Bailey

Sunday 26th Clonmore 10.30am - Fintan Murray, Bellshill

Collections: 14 /15 April : Bingo: €870

Baskets €266 Envelopes - € 355 Envelopes returned - 49

Ballyconnell Bingo: The jackpot this week will be €625.

Coolkenno GAA: 15,7,5,1. - No Jackpot winner. This week's jackpot €14,000 Next draw Monday 20th. April in Crab Lane. Lucky dip winners: - Kevin Gahan, Paddy Farrell, Robbie Carter, Linda Keogh

PARISH LOTTO: Wednesday 15th. April - Numbers 2,16,20,26

No winner. Next week's Jackpot €14,000. 17 match 3 gets €59 each.

SOLEMN NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

The 21st Annual Solemn Novena will take place in St. Clare's Church, Graiguecullen commencing on Monday 13th April and will run for nine consecutive Monday nights until 8th June. Each night we begin by praying the Rosary at 7pm led by our beloved Poor Clare sisters followed by Mass at 7.30pm celebrated by our Parish Priest Fr. John Dunphy. All are welcome.

20th April Br. Tom Walsh: De La Salle Brother and Teacher

27th April Bernard Dunne: Former World Boxing Champion

4th May Jim Breen: Founder of Pulse Learning & Cycle Against Suicide

11th May Davy Fitzgerald: Hurling Manager.

18th May Br. Richard Hendrick: Capuchin Franciscan priest-friar and mindfulness teacher

25th May Edward Hayden: TV Chef and Broadcaster

1st June Katelyn Cummins: Rose of Tralee 2025

8th June Bishop Denis Nulty: Bishop of Kildare and Leighlin Diocese

Note for your diary- Tuesday 21st April - Finance Committee meeting at 6.30pm in Parish Centre - 7.30 Meeting of Parish Pastoral Council in the Parish Centre.

Ballyconnell I.C.A are hosting a Flower Arranging Demonstration with Betty Cumiskey in the hall on Monday 20th April at 8.30pm. Adm. €5 All very welcome.

Mini Sale of Work - Saturday 25th April - Littlewood Hall, Coolkenno R93 FC78 - from 2pm - Proceeds towards Mullinacuffe Parish Church - Cake Sale, Bric-a-Brac - plants etc. and Teas.

Thought for the week.

All Relative! An old story! A family going home from mass and the wife said the church was really cold. The husband said the priest preached for far too long and made little sense. The wife commented on how out of tune the choir was and the husband said he couldn't hear the reader. The child in the back, put his head in between them, and said: "I thought it wasn't a bad show for 50cent"

HAVE A WONDERFULL WEEK