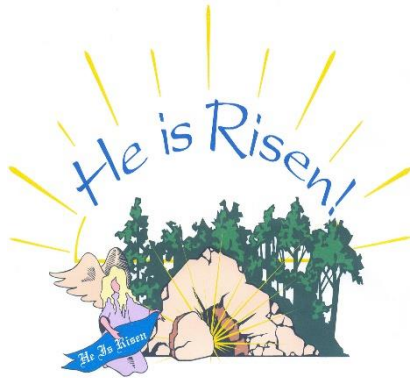


PARISH NEWSLETTER

5th. April 2026

EASTER SUNDAY



The Parish office will be closed next week and will reopen on

Tuesday 14th. April.

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ANNIVERSARIES - WITH LOVE WE REMEMBER

Sunday 5th April Kilquiggan 9.00: 1st Anniversary Ann Blake, Mullinacuffe, also her husband Vincent Blake and his sister Maureen Clifford, Bunclody.

Sunday 5th April Clonmore 10.30: Dan Lawlor, Ballykilduff and all deceased family members.

Saturday 11th. April Ballyconnell 7.30: Joseph and Katherine O'Reilly, Killinure.

Sunday 12th. Kilquiggan 9.00: Jim Grace and his daughter Brigid Ann Grace, Stratnakelly. Robert & Ellen Wilson, Stratnakelly.

Sunday 12th. Clonmore 10.30. Thomas Dowling, Minvaud, Jim Grace and his daughter Brigid Ann Grace Stratnakelly, Robert and Ellen Wilson, Stratnakelly.

Collections: 28/29 March: Bingo: €830

Baskets €416 Envelopes - €489 Envelopes returned - 75

Ballyconnell Bingo: The jackpot this week will be €600.

Coolkenno GAA: 8, 11, 21, 26. - No Jackpot winner. This week's jackpot €13,800 Next draw Monday 6th. April in Crab Lane. Lucky dip winners: - Tim Kearny, Myles Keogh; Joe Maxwell; Alison Donohoe.

PARISH LOTTO: Wednesday 1st. April - Numbers 9, 14, 25, 27

No winner. Next week's Jackpot €12,000. 17 match 3 gets €59 each.

The annual cleanup of the Clonmore area takes place this year on Saturday 11th. April. A skip for all rubbish collected will be available at the pitch at Woodside. Please join us in keeping our countryside and hedgerows litter free.

Fr. John will attend the sick and housebound on Friday 10th. April.

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. Each night a guest speaker will share their own faith story.

13th April Mary Hulgraine: Two-time All-Ireland Football Champion & Woman of Deep Faith

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, former player & winner of Two All-Ireland titles

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

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