

Clonard Parish Newsletter

Saturday the 17th & Sunday the 18th of April 2021

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Dear Parishioner,
I trust that you and your family are keeping well during this time, we look forward to being able to meet up at some point in the very near future.

As you know the Clonard Parish Lotto has run for over twenty years, however, due to so many restrictions this past year we have not found it possible to run our Parish Lotto.

The good news is that we plan on having Clonard Parish Lotto available in the coming weeks. Tickets will be accessible through promoters and, something new, tickets will also be available online.

We thank you most sincerely for supporting the Parish through Clonard Parish Lotto in the past and ask you to continue supporting your Parish through Clonard Parish Lotto in the future.

We will have further information well in advance of the re-launch date.

Many thanks,
Fr. Barry

PRIEST ON DUTY
Tel. 087-1708705
Please call the number above if you have an emergency and require a Priest urgently.

V. Rev. Barry Larkin ADM.,
Right Rev. Monsignor Denis Lennon,

Please call the Parish office on 053 9123672 for non-urgent matters.

CHRISTIAN MEDIA TRUST PROGRAMMES on South East Radio 95.2-96.4fm

Simply Divine Saturday 17th April 10.04am - 10.30am
Maria Colfer's guest this week is Dr. Kevin Whelan, professor, lecturer and author who shares his knowledge on the role of the Blackstairs Mountains down through history.

Sounds For Sunday 18th April 9.04am - 10.00am
Sounds for Sunday, is presented by Patricia McNally, with reflection from Reverend Canon Ian Cruickshank, and includes requests, hymns and sacred songs.

Sunday Celebration 18th April 10.00am
Reverend Katherine Kehoe

Sunday Reflection 18th April 8.30pm - 9pm
Reverend Katherine Kehoe shares a reflection on God's faithfulness to His Promises.

Music Box Mon 19th April 8.04pm - 8.30pm
Carla Maria Corless treats us to a selection of musical favourites that have connections to special memories.

Faith Matters Mon 19th April 8.30pm - 9pm
Presented by Reverend Canon Ian Cruickshank on the theme 'Faith that Speaks - Your reputation'.

Thoughts for Tuesday 20th April 8.04pm - 8.30pm
Brother Solanus, Wexford Friary speaks about ' Mary's Garden', 'Donegal Abbey' and ' Kolbes Writings'.

Our Parish Representative and contact person in respect of the Ferns Diocesan Child Safeguarding Policy is:
Tom Aherne Tel: 087-6626915

Due to the ongoing Level 5 Restrictions there will be no Public Masses in the Parish.

Mass is available on the Parish Radio Station 92.9FM and the Parish Facebook Page at the following times:
Monday to Friday 10am
Saturday 6pm
Sunday 10am

The Church is open daily as follows:
Monday to Saturday 10.45am – 5pm
Sunday 11am – 4.30pm

There will be no Adoration at this time but Private Prayer and Devotion can be done by praying privately in front of the Tabernacle.

Baptisms are suspended until further notice.

Contact Us

If you need to contact the office during Level 5 restrictions please e-mail clonardparishoffice@gmail.com or call 053 91 23672 and leave a message.

Weekly Parish Envelopes 2021/2022

The weekly Parish Envelopes for 2021/2022 are still available at the back of the Church. Please pick the box number that you **currently have** and continue with that same number, as it will tally with the Parish System. Your current number is on your current envelopes. If you are unsure of your envelope number or are unable to collect your Parish Envelopes please contact the Parish office on clonardparishoffice@gmail.com or call 053 91 23672

Weekly Envelopes

The Weekly Envelopes for the week ending amounted to **€1,100.00**
Your continued support is greatly appreciated

IDEAS from your parish

A Catechetical Initiative of the Diocese of Ferns

3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER

A wonderful video with the Mass readings and a reflection



Follow this link:
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Pcn6BJGIP4s>

Power over death

Jesus shows his disciples that God has power over death. The resurrection of Jesus, body and soul, shows what God wants for each of us. Death is not the end, but the beginning.

This week pray for family and friends who have died. Name each person you are praying for. Pray that they too will receive the gift of resurrection.

We help those who have died to reach heaven by our prayers.

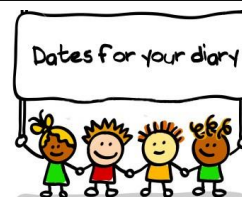
Feast of the Week:

Bl. Maria Gabriella Saghedd was the daughter of Sardinian shepherds. She was always very stubborn as a child and could be lazy. She was also quick to criticize others! She learnt to become patient and to trust God when she felt anxious.

She became a Trappist sister devoted her life to praying for unity among Christians. She died from TB at the age of 24 in 1939.

Her feast day is this Thursday, April 22nd.

Mass Readings can be found on CatholicIreland.net



Taize Service

Sunday the 25th of April at 7pm on the Parish Facebook Page and Parish Radio Station 92.9FM

How to return your Lenten Trócaire Box

If you would like to return a Trócaire Box please place the donation into a secure envelope/bag clearly marked for Trócaire and place it in the letter box. The letter box is located between the Church double doors on the Wexford Park side beside the office.

Please do not leave Tócaire boxes around the Church or in the Church porches.

Mass Intentions

If you would like to have an intention remembered at Mass please put the details in an envelope and place it in the letter box. The letter box will be checked daily, when the office is closed. You can also place weekly envelopes in the letter box.

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The Diocese of Ferns Virtual Pilgrimage to Lourdes 9th to 13th May 2021

The Masses and ceremonies will be on-line only and will come from St. Aidan's Cathedral, Enniscorthy. Join us at www.churchservices.tv/enniscorthycathedral.

Lourdes: a place of grace, peace and resilience

Sunday 9th May @ 10am: Bishop Brennan will celebrate Mass launching the virtual pilgrimage and light the Lourdes Candle.

7pm: Fr Jim Doyle will guide us through a time of gentle prayer and adoration, recalling our quiet times at the grotto.

Monday 10th May @ 10am: Fr Odhrán Furlong will celebrate Mass and short reflection
7pm: Fr Matt Boggan guides us through the mysteries of the Rosary

Tuesday 11th May @ 10am: Fr Ricky O'Connor will celebrate Mass and share a short reflection
7pm: Fr Billy Swan will pray us around the Stations of the Cross

Wednesday 12th May @ 10am: Msgr Joe McGrath will celebrate Mass and share a short reflection
7pm: Fr Billy Caulfield will lead our evening prayer on God's healing grace

Thursday 13th May @ 10am: Fr Brian Broaders celebrates Mass and share a short reflection
7pm: Fr Aodhán Marken will bring the Virtual Pilgrimage to a close with a ceremony of Light