

CLONARD PARISH RADIO
All Church services are broadcast on 92.9 FM.
Please inform people who are sick or housebound so that they can join us over the airwaves.
Masses

Saturday Vigil Mass
6.00 p.m.

Sunday
9.00 a.m., 10.00 a.m. and 11.30 a.m.

**Monday, Wednesday
Thursday & Friday:**
10.00 a.m. and 7.00 p.m.

Tuesday & Saturday
10.00 a.m.

Bank Holiday Monday
11.00 a.m. only

**Service of Holy
Communion**
Tuesday at 7.00 p.m.

**Haven Pharmacy
Murphy's
Clonard**

Opening hours:
Mon. – Fri.
9.00 a.m. – 6.30 p.m.
Sat. 9.30 a.m. – 5.30 p.m.
**Prescriptions GMS DPS
LTI etc.**

Padraig Murphy MPSI
053-9184444

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

**Acorn Shop
Opening Hours**

Monday to Friday
9:30am – 1:00pm

Wednesday
2:00pm – 5:00pm

Gifts
Cards
Mass cards
Statues
Prayers



Clonard Parish Newsletter

Saturday the 29th of February & Sunday the 1st of March 2020
Clonard Parish Office, Clonard, Wexford. Tel: 053/9123672
www.clonardparish.ie E-mail: clonardparishoffice@gmail.com
Facebook: Church of the Annunciation Clonard Parish

Trocaire

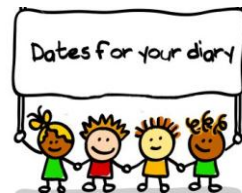
Caoimhe de Barra from Trocaire writes "if you, your parish, school or community has contributed to a Trocaire Box in the past, thank you from all of us here. You make a massive difference.

Today I ask if you will kindly help again. Because fear and evil must not be allowed to win..... there is suffering around the world that needs you now."

Your contribution, no matter how small provides help like: chickens to provide eggs for a family, Solar lamps, school books, medicines, training farmers to grow crops with less water.

If you can help, Trocaire Boxes are available at the back of the Church.

Caoimhe finishes her letter by saying "Please give what you can to help this Lent. We'll use it wisely. And thank you for staying until love conquers fear"



Taize
Sunday the 8th of March at 7pm in the Day Chapel

Weekly Envelopes

If you were unable to collect your weekly envelopes over the last couple of weekends, you can now collect them from the Parish Office. If you are unable to collect your envelopes and would like them delivered to you, please call the Parish office on 053 91 23672.

The Hook of Faith

The homily for this First Sunday of Lent is by Fr Jim Cogley, PP of Our Lady's Island. Since the Gospel this weekend is about Jesus' struggle with Satan in the desert, we explore four strategies the Evil One uses to separate us from God and his kingdom. Bishop Robert Barron offers some practical tips on how to pray better, fast better and be people of greater charity during Lent. We have Pope Francis' message for Lent and finally a special recording of a talk given by one of the visionaries of Medjugorje, recorded during a recent pilgrimage there.

Check out this and other resources available at www.thehookoffaith.com

PRIEST ON DUTY

Tel. 087-3880355

Please inform the priest on duty or the parish office if a family member is in hospital or would like a visit from a member of the parish team.
Right Rev. Monsignor Denis Lennon P.P.,
Rev. Barry Larkin C.C.

Confessions Every Saturday

5.00 - 5.45pm

The Weekly Envelopes for the week ending amounted to **€1,300.00**
Our thanks to everyone who contributed.

Diocese of Ferns, Camino de Santiago,
The Portuguese Way, FATIMA to AGUEDA, 170 Km approx, 15th - 22nd Aug 2020, €599.00 p.p.
(Inc. Flights, Hostel Accommodation, Private Bus Transfers in Portugal & Insurance)
Booking with O'Leary Travel Ltd. 053 9233178

Medjugorje 2020
May 13th - 20th

€685pps
For details contact Mary Curran on 086 3947882

Join sopranos Patricia Goggins and Ruth Gallagher for a beautiful evening of Ireland's best loved songs.
'Irish Airs' Green Acres Gallery Wexford Town March 14th
7:30pm Tickets 15 Euro available from Green Acres or www.greenacres.ie

MEDJUGORJE IRISH CENTRE PILGRIMAGES APRIL - OCT 2020: 7 Night Stay and Airport Shuttle service from Dubrovnik or Split for €266 per person sharing. Book any flight - any time and we provide guaranteed airport shuttle service. Call us for further info and book the dates that suit you. Tel. 01 4434510 or email reservations@med-irishcentre.com.

Diocese of Ferns Lourdes Invalid Fund tickets on sale after each Mass on the 7th & 8th of March. The proceeds are used to assist in bringing Invalids to Lourdes with the Diocesan Pilgrimage in May.
Your support is greatly appreciated.

St. Vincent De Paul

The St Vincent De Paul Society will hold a Furniture and Bric'a'Brac Sale in St Michael's Hall, Thomas St on Friday the 6th of March from 10am - 12:45 pm.

Women from all over the world come together to pray on Women's World Day of Prayer.
Please come and be part of our service, written this year by the Women of Zimbabwe on Fri. 6th of March at 8 pm in St Iberius Church. All are welcome.

Clonard Guiding Unit

The Clonard Guide unit celebrated thinking day in Johnstown Castle last weekend, with lots of games and quizzes. The thinking day ceremony was held in front of the castle beside the lake. The weather was beautiful; the sun even came out for us.
The Guides completed their DIY badge so yet another life skill they have mastered.
The girls are now busy with their enrolment on the 10th of March at 7pm in the centre, everyone is welcome.
Also they will be marching proudly in the parade.
A skin care night and a noisy camp fire night are also planned. Contact us at clonard.cygnetsbrigins@gmail.com

Na Fianna

Boys Hurling U7-U13 from 7-8pm, Camogie from U8-U14 and Academy (4-6yr olds) from 6-7pm. St Peter's College.
Subs €2. New members Welcome.
Winner of Split the Pot was Damien Kennedy, seller was James Gordon. Clothing Collection, we take any unwanted clothing. Drop it to club house on Tuesday evening between 7:30pm & 8pm or call Aidan (0876285254) to arrange collection.

Conference: Being Christian in this Unprecedented time - To What are we called as Women & Men?

Speaker Dr. Fainche Ryan. This day will take place on **March 20th 2020** in Ballyvaloo Retreat & Conference Centre. Times: 10.00 a.m.- 4.30p.m. Cost: €30 (includes lunch), pay on the door. Booking essential. To book your place, call Sara/Catherina at 056 7722870.

Comhaltas Trad and Folk Weekend Thurs 27th Feb – Sun 1st March in Opera House, Arts Centre, Library, St Iberius: Zoe Conway, John Sheahan (Dubliners) Dermot Bolger and more. Check wexfordcomhaltas.ie for details.

CLONARD LOTTO

Lotto results for February 26th 2020
Jackpot Winner – Ciara Edwards

8 Match 3 Winners receive €81-00 each
Winning numbers: 7 – 15 – 20 - 28

Jackpot for March 4th 2020 - €4,000

Tickets are €1.50 at the Parish Office. Lotto draw takes place every Wednesday night at Clonard Bingo at 8.30 p.m.
If you wish to join or be a promoter please call to the Parish Office to have it arranged.

