

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.
Weekdays:
 10.00 a.m. and 7.00 p.m.
 Bank Holiday Monday
 11.00 a.m. only

**Haven Pharmacy
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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
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Clonard Parish Newsletter
Saturday the 4th & Sunday the 5th of August 2018
 Clonard Parish Office, Clonard, Wexford. Tel: 053/9123672
www.clonardparish.ie E-mail: clonardparishoffice@eircom.net
 Facebook: Church of the Annunciation Clonard Parish

Appreciating The Help of Siblings
 We see the care, the patience, the affection that envelop *the weakest little brother or sister*, sick or physically challenged. There are countless brothers and sisters who do this, throughout the world, and perhaps we do not appreciate their generosity enough. And when there are many siblings in a family.....the eldest boy or girl helps the dad, the mom, to take care of the younger children. This work of helping among siblings is beautiful.
Pope Francis, General Audience, February 18, 2015
 Most of us recognise the work that parents do in their families, but in many places in the world siblings do a lot of work for the family, too. Older siblings help care for younger ones; they help out in the home and in that way help both their parents and their brothers and sisters. They can also help the younger children learn.
 The younger children, in turn, keep the older children playing and laughing even when they think they're too grown up. They let them have fun without feeling as embarrassed. This way of life together warms parents' hearts-----and God's as well.
This is brought to you by the Diocesan Pastoral Council

**World Meeting of Families
 Papal Mass**
 The coaches from Clonard Parish will depart Clonard Community Centre at 7.30am sharp on Sunday the 26th of August.
 As we have two coaches departing you will be assigned to either Coach 1 or Coach 2. If you would like to travel on the same coach as a friend but booked separately please ensure to let Karen know by 3pm Tuesday the 7th of August as no changes can be made once your coach is assigned.
 The World Meeting of Families organisation have advised that designated rest zones will be positioned at regular intervals at the transport hubs, along the walking routes to the Mass area and at the gates. Multiple food and drinks stations will also be available, as will medical facilities and toilets. There will be volunteers throughout the venue, at the gates and at the hubs who will be able to help you.
 We are still waiting confirmation if rucksacks are allowed into the venue.
 Please ensure you wear comfortable walking shoes.

Church of the Annunciation Clonard
 The usual Mass times of 9am, 10am & 11.30am will apply on Sunday the 26th of August

Rest in Peace

Our Sympathy and Prayers are offered to the Family and friends of:
Margaret Redmond
 who died during the week

PRIEST ON DUTY
 Tel. 087-1708705
 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., V.F.,
 Rev. Barry Larkin C.C.,

The Weekly Envelopes for the week ending amounted to **€1,120.00**
 Our thanks to everyone who contributes.

Confessions Every Saturday
5.00 - 5.45pm

Clonard GAA
 Congratulations to Mark & Jade on winning €139.00 in this week's Split the Pot draw. Our next draw is on Tuesday 7th August. Seller this week was Mary Kavanagh, envelopes are on sale now. Thanks to all for supporting us weekly.

Clonard guiding unit
 Guiding has been in the Clonard community for 40 years now. The celebrations will start in September and the unit would love to hear from any past members or leaders that have stories or photos to share. Give Michelle Goff a call at 0860567929.
 The unit will be back on the 4th September for another very busy year. Disney on Ice for the Cygnets is already booked and the leaders are already planning events and fun for all the sections. Girls from the age of 5 years and up are welcome give Michelle a call at 0860567929.

Bus to Our Lady's Island leaving at 2pm from Bride Place on 15th August 2018. Please contact Sean Kinsella at 053 9123819 to book your place

Pregnancy Yoga & Baby Massage
 Pregnancy Yoga and Baby Massage Classes for Clonard community centre. Pregnancy yoga Classes start on Wednesday the 22ND of August at 6:30pm. Baby massage classes start on Friday the 24th of August at 10am. All classes are run in blocks of 5. For more information or to book in please contact Angela on 0863019519

A Celebration of our 50 Pilgrimages
 The book which was published to commemorate 50 pilgrimages from the Diocese of Ferns to Lourdes is now available to purchase at a cost of €10 from the parish offices in St. Aidans Cathedral, St. Michaels Church Gorey, Clonard, Wexford Parish, New Ross and Bishops House Summerhill.

Irish Wheelchair Association
***** Volunteers Needed *****
 The Irish Wheelchair Association are opening a new charity shop on crescent quay in Wexford town and we are looking for volunteers. If you have an hour or two a week to spare and would like to join our team we would love to hear from you!!
 Contact Adrienne on 087 2996926.
***** Donations Required ****
 If you're doing a clear out and are wondering where to bring your unwanted **CLOTHES, SHOES OR BRIC A BRAC**, please keep us in mind. We will gladly accept any donations!! We will in a position to start accepting donations from next week!!

Lough Derg One Day Retreat
 This year the Irish Pilgrimage Trust will again participate in the one day retreat on Lough Derg on Saturday September 22nd. We will travel from Wexford on Friday Sept 21st and stay in Dorrians Hotel Ballyshannon Friday night. On Saturday morning we will travel by bus to LOUGH Derg for the retreat and return to the hotel Saturday evening for dinner, bed and breakfast. We will return to Wexford on Sunday Sept 23rd. Total cost including bus travel, 2 nights dinner bed and breakfast and the day retreat on Lough Derg €185. Booking and information from Helen Kirwan 087/6817648

Oxfam
 The Oxfam shop on North Main Street Wexford are appealing for donations of quality clothing, accessories, CD's, DVD's, jewellery and books. We are also seeking a volunteer with a passion for books to help us sort and price books for the shop and a team leader for weekend shifts. Please pop in for a chat and more information on the positions we have available. Thank you for your continued support.

CLONARD LOTTO
 Lotto results for August 1st 2018
No Jackpot Winner
 3 Match 3 Winners receive €217-00 each
Winning numbers: 10 – 25 – 26 - 28
 Jackpot for August 8th 2018 - €4,650
 Seller of winning Jackpot Ticket will receive €465-00
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.