

Laragh Parish Newsletter



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- 11. Lavey Centra Annual Breast Cancer Walk:** Our annual breast cancer walk takes place on Saturday 10th November. We are dedicating this walk to the memory of Rita Clarke one of our organisers who died earlier this year. Registration in the Lavey Inn at 11.30am. Refreshments afterwards in Lavey Filling Station. Please support this worthy cause.
- 12. 15 Cavan Laragh Scout Group:** registration for beavers and cub scouts will be on Tuesday 6th November at 8pm in Laragh Hall.
- 13. Laragh Camogie Club:** Cumann na mBunscol Final on Wednesday next at 4pm on the 3G Pitch at Breffni. Laragh NS v Ballinagh. Please come and support.
- 14. Day Trip to Aviva Stadium:** including lunch and luxury coach on Wednesday November 21st. Coach leaves Castlemanor Community Centre at 10am with pick up at The Lavey Inn at 10.15am. If interested please contact Positive Age 049 4380725 or 086 3614382 as soon as possible.
- 15. Positive Age:** have another 8 Day Trip to Dubai from March 4th – March 11th 2019. If interested please contact the Positive Age Office without delay 049 4380725 or 086 3614382.
- 16. Laragh United:** are looking for people who would have an interest in starting underage ladies football in the club for next year. Training will be given. Please get in touch with Ita on 087 7813413.
- 17. Stradone Community Centre/LADG:** Monthly meeting on Tuesday 6th November at 9pm in the centre.
- 18. Cliffferna ICA:** Monthly Meeting on Monday 5th November at 8pm in St Michael's Centre. New members always welcome.
- 19. Whist Card Drive:** in Ballis Hall, Virginia on Saturday night November 10th at 8.30pm. All proceeds to the National Council for the Blind.
- 20. Laragh Foróige Club:** is holding its 4th Annual Christmas Party for Age & Opportunity, Senior Citizens, Over 50s, and many other categories in Stradone Community Centre on Sunday 9th December 2018 from 4.30pm to 7.30pm with music, entertainment, food and beverages as served up by the members of the Foróige Club. Please come along and join us for a fun afternoon. Contact Valerie 087-7949774, Caroline 086-0575728, Vivian 087-6069066, John 087-2111540 to confirm attendance.
- 21. Progressive 25 Card Games:** will continue in St. Michael's Centre, Cliffferna on Thursday nights at 8pm sharp. Please note change of time.
- 22. Laragh United GFC Lotto Results:** No jackpot winner. Numbers drawn were 2, 10, 13, 15. €30 winners Shane O' Rourke, Raymond Maguire, Kathy McKeon, Terry Reilly, PJ Cahill. Next week's jackpot €8,000.
- 23. Boxercise/Circuits:** continues in Stradone Community Centre on Wednesdays at 7:30pm. €6 per night. All welcome male & female with Dominic D.
- 24. THE "BACK TO THE OLD ST. PAT'S" REUNION** will take place on Sunday 2 June 2019 in The Cavan Crystal Hotel, Cavan at 6pm. All former students who studied in the old college building are invited to attend, to renew friendships and share memories. There will be an opportunity to visit the building earlier that afternoon and Mass will be offered for deceased past students and staff in the Chapel at 3:00p.m. Tickets: €50 each. More information to follow soon.

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4th November 2018 – 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Thinking about God

In 19th century Australia, many priests in the outback had to travel round their parishes on horseback. One summer's day a young priest was making his way down a dusty track when he spotted a farmer out working in his sun-scorched fields. 'Fine day,' he called out. 'It's a fine day for *you*,' replied the farmer, wiping the sweat from his brow. 'You can spend your time idling along on horseback thinking about God, while I have to break my back trying to earn a living on this God-forsaken land.' 'I appreciate what you say,' said the priest, 'life isn't easy for you. But thinking about God isn't easy either.' 'How hard can it be?' sneered the farmer. 'Well,' said the priest, 'I'll put a bet on with you. If you can think of God and nothing else for one minute, I'll give you my horse.' 'OK,' said the farmer, 'you're on.' He sat down in the dust, closed his eyes and became very still. Thirty second later he opened his eyes, looked up at the priest and said, 'Does that include the saddle?'

GENERAL NOTICES

ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH LARAGH

Masses this week:

Sun 4 th Nov	11.00 am	Eugene & Rose O' Reilly, Stradone A/V
Mon 5 th	9.30 am	As Requested
Tue 6 th	7.45 pm	Anna Maria Magee & Dec family mbrs, Edergole A/V
Wed 7 th	10.30 am	For the People of the Parish
Thur 8 th	10.30 am	As Requested
Fri 9 th	7.45 pm	Patrick & Susan Smith and Ellen Magee, Lisigney A/V
Sat 10 th	12.00 pm	Phyllis McKeon, Auhagoldrick M/M
Sun 11 th	11.00 am	Vincent Rudden, Edergole & Brian Rudden, Stradone

Eucharistic Adoration: On Tuesday from 5pm – 7.45pm

Servers for Next Week

Sunday 11th November: Caitlin O, Aoife, Fiona, Kayla G, Paul, Hannah May

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH CARRICKALLEN

Masses this week:

Sun 4 th Nov	9.30 am	Annual Mass for all the Deceased
Sun 11 th	9.30 am	Beesie & Owen Clarke, Tullyinchin A/V

Today we remember those who died since last year and are buried in our cemetery

James O' Brien, Cornasaus
Teresa Higgins, Virginia and Carrickacromin
Helen McCabe, Carrickacromin

We remember those from our area who are buried elsewhere

Bea McGorry, Tievenanass/Maudabawn
Pat Fitzpatrick, Tullyinchin/Liverpool
Mary Brady (nee Clarke), Tullyinchin/Laragh
Sr Teresa Clarke, Tullyinchin/Mauritius
Jimmy Casserly, Tullyinchin/Birmingham
Brigid Donohoe (nee McCaffery), Edrans/Laragh

ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH CLIFFERNA

Masses this week:

Sat 3 rd Nov	7.30 pm	Mairead Cullivan & Dec mbrs of the Cullivan Family, Corfad A/V
Fri 9 th	7.00 pm	Mary Denning, Tierlahood/Cavan A/V
Sat 10 th	7.30 pm	Thomas Donnelly & Dec family mbrs, Kilnacreeva A/V

Eucharistic Adoration: On Wednesday from 2pm – 3pm

- 1. November List of the Dead:** Please hand in lists of the dead for inclusion in the November Masses.
- 2. Confessions:**
Clifferna: After Mass on Saturday 3rd November
Laragh: After Mass on Sunday 4th November
- 3. Sick & Housebound:** will be attended as follows
Laragh on Thursday 8th November
Clifferna and Carrickallen on Friday 9th November
- 4. World Meeting of Families Collection:** will be held next weekend after Communion in all three Churches.
- 5. Wedding Bells:** Congratulations to Róisín Donohoe, Clifferna and Alan Gordon, Killyfassy, who were married in St. Michael's Church Clifferna on Friday.
- 6. Recent Baptism:** The Christian Community welcomes with joy Baby Ben Brady, Drumgur, who was baptised in St. Brigid's Church Laragh on Saturday.
- 7. Remember in November:** Take the Short-Term Pledge for the Month of November for deceased family and friends who have gone before us marked with the sign of Faith. Many people choose to abstain from alcohol for the month of November and offer this prayerful act in honour of their deceased loved ones. You can do likewise!
- 8. St. Michael's NS Clifferna:** Clothing collection on Monday 12th November. Please leave bags before 9.30am on the morning of the collection.
- 9. Laragh Foróige Club:** is holding a fundraiser in aid of Cavan Autism Parents Support (CAPS) and Down Syndrome Ireland in Stradone Community Centre on Friday 16th November at 8pm. We, the members of the club, are appealing for donations of cuddly toys, books, DVDs and CDs in good condition and fit for sale. We are also appealing for donations of new and unused make up and cosmetics (for both ladies & gents).
If you have any unwanted gifts in your home, then get in touch with one of the leaders and we will gladly accept donations of any items which can be sold in order to raise funds for our chosen charities.
We would like to see you all come along and support this community project as it is our contribution to deserving charities. We will also be serving teas, coffees, cakes, buns and other goodies. It will be a chance to meet up with old friends in a relaxed atmosphere. Face Painting, Nail Painting and Kiddies Games are also on our programme of entertainment, along with a raffle for some great prizes. See you all there.