

Laragh Parish Newsletter



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10. Creative Kids: Art and Craft Camp on 13th/14th April in Cliffern Hall from 10am – 2pm, for all children aged 4 – 12 years. For a cracking time or more information please contact Nici McCormack 086 1013357 or Lisa Gillick 087 316 3009.

11. Laragh Senior Social Club: Day Outing to Causey Farm on Tuesday May 14th. Anyone interested please contact Rose Smith without delay as we have to book now. We need names by April 25th. Tel 049 4330191 or 087 6321495.

12. Spring 5 Day Break: to the Lake District in the UK from Thursday May 2nd to Monday May 6th. If interested please contact the Positive Age Office on 049 4380725, 086 3614382 or 049 4330148 as soon as possible as places are limited. First come first served.

13. East Cavan PTAA: Monthly meeting on Tuesday 9th April in Laragh Hall at 8.30pm. All members please attend.

14. Ceili Dancing Classes: in Stradone Community Centre on Monday nights at 9pm. Contact number 049 4330148.

15. Cliffern Gun Club: Round table quiz on Easter Saturday night, April 20th, in The Cross Lounge. Tables of 4 €40. Spot prizes galore on the night. All welcome.

16. Tractor Run: in aid of Down Syndrome Support Cavan on Sunday April 14th. Run will leave Billis Hall, Virginia at 1pm. Registration from 11am. All tractors and vintage vehicles are welcome. Raffle and refreshments on the day.

17. Laragh United GFC:

- **Lotto Results:** No jackpot winner. Numbers drawn 20, 21, 22, 23. €30 winners were Annette Smith, Angela Callaghan, Ann Crowe, John Reilly, Frank Smith. Next week's jackpot €5,600.
- **Couch to 5K:** continues on Thursday evening starting at 7.30pm. All club members are welcome to take part. U16s **MUST** be accompanied by an adult. New members welcome.

Your Prayers are requested for the soul of the late:

- **Paddy Farrelly, Carrickacromin**, whose funeral took place on Monday in St. Patrick's Church Carrickallen. We extend our sympathy to his sister Mary, brother Michael, sisters-in-law Margaret and Maura, nieces, nephews, neighbours, friends and entire family circle.
- **Paddy Smith, Ballyjamesduff**, whose funeral took place in Upper Lavey yesterday. We extend our sympathy to his nieces Rosaleen Leddy and Marina Sexton and family circle.

Clergy & Pastoral Care

Fr Brian Flynn	049 4330142	Mobile	086 0422996
Fr Liam Kelly	049 5553035	Mobile	087 9877739
Fr John Cooney	049 5552163	Mobile	086 8755695

Emergency Numbers

Cavan Gardai	049 4368800	Doc-on-Call	1850 777911
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7th April 2019 – 5th Sunday of Lent

No Fishing

There was a priest in the Philippines who carried the burden of a secret sin he had committed as a young man. He had repented and confessed but still had no sense of God's forgiveness. In his parish there was a woman who claimed to have visions in which she spoke with Christ and he with her. The priest however was sceptical. To test her, he said, 'The next time you speak with Jesus, I want you to ask him what sin your priest committed when he was a student in college.' The woman agreed to do so. A few days later the priest met her again. 'Well,' he asked, 'did Jesus visit you in your visions?' 'Yes, he did,' she replied. 'And did you ask him what sin I committed in college?' 'Yes' she said. 'Well, what did he say?' the priest asked. She replied, 'He said he couldn't remember.'

God buries our sins in the depths of the sea and then puts up a sign that reads 'No Fishing'.

GENERAL NOTICES

ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH LARAGH

Masses this week:

Sun 7 th April	11.00 am	Mary Brady, Drumnagar A/V
Mon 8 th	9.30 am	As Requested
Tue 9 th	7.45 pm	John & Mary Ann Magee & Dec mbrs of Magee Family, Lisigney & Dec mbrs Brady Family, Artina A/V
Wed 10 th	10.30 am	For the People of the Parish
Thur 11 th	10.30 am	As Requested
Fri 12 th	7.45 pm	Andy Rahill & John Matthews, Artina A/V
Sun 14 th	11.00 am	Mary & John Patterson & Dec mbrs of Donohoe Family, Cornakill A/V

Eucharistic Adoration: On Tuesday from 5pm – 7.45pm

Servers for Next Week

Sunday 14th April: Orlaith, Cian, Kaylah B, Kathlyn P, Aimee, Lucy

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH CARRICKALLEN

Masses this week:

Sat 6 th April	7.30 pm	Annie & Michael Clarke, Carrickacromin A/V
Sat 13 th	7.30 pm	Philip O' Donoghue, Carrickallen A/V

St. Patrick's Cemetery: has been cleared of all rubbish from the ditches and behind trees. All rubbish must be taken away. Grave diggers and stone masons please note.

Signed: The Cemetery Committee

ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH CLIFFERNA

Masses this week:

Sun 7 th April	9.30 am	Dec mbrs of The Reilly Family, Corfad A/V
Fri 12 th	7.00 pm	Terence F Sexton, Greaghgibney A/V
Sun 14 th	9.30 am	Benny & Denis McDonald & Dec family, Drumuck A/V

Eucharistic Adoration: On Wednesday from 2pm – 3pm

1. **Defibrillator:** Reminding everyone that in the event of an emergency, there is a defibrillator in the porch of Laragh Hall. Twist box firmly to the left to open.
2. **First Confessions:**
In Laragh on Wednesday 10th April at 11.30am. Parents or other family members are welcome to attend.

In Clifferna on Wednesday 1st May at 11.30am. Parents or other family members are welcome to attend.
3. **Irish Graveyard Surveyors:** Final call for any corrections to be made to graves. Please hand in any changes by next week to the sacristy. A map will be erected over the coming weeks.
4. **Evening of Formation For New Ministers of the Eucharist:** will be held in the Diocesan Pastoral Centre Cavan on Tuesday 9th April at 7.30pm. If you are interested in attending, please give your name to Fr Brian.
5. **Walk with Rita:** 4K & 7K Walk in memory of Rita Clarke on Sunday 14th April. Registration from Laragh Hall at 11.30am. Walk commencing at 12noon. €10 per person or €20 per family. In aid of Cuan and CAPS. Refreshments afterwards.
6. **A Lenten Evening of Prayer:** Led by Fr Sean Maguire, will take place in The Pastoral Centre on Thursday April 11th at 7.30pm with Mass and Eucharistic Exposition and Benediction. Mr Morgan Sharpe, will also give a talk on Lourdes and St. Bernadette. Blessings with First Class Relic of St. Bernadette.
7. **Lough Derg Pilgrimage Season:** Opens Saturday 4th May. One day Retreats in May, August and September. See Notice Board for list of days. Admission €45. Three Day Pilgrimage in June, July and August beginning on Friday 31st May and ending on Thursday 15th August. Admission €75. Concessions available for students, seniors and groups. See Notice Board.
8. **Laragh Childcare Services AGM:** in Stradone Community Centre on Wednesday 8th May 2019 at 8pm. **Please note that this is a different date to that previously advertised.** Enrolment forms for our Preschool and Afterschool services will be available on the night. Thanks to all those who generously supported our Church gate collection last week.
9. **Free 5 Week Training:** for iPhone, iPad, Smart Phone or Tablet Classes available in all areas. For further information, call Angela 046 9280790.