

## GENERAL NOTICES

- Sick & Housebound:** will be attended as follows  
**Laragh** on Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> August  
**Clifferna and Carrickallen** on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> August
- Recent Baptism:** The Christian Community welcomes with joy Baby Daire Peter Reilly, Lisatoo who was baptised in St. Brigid's Church Laragh on Saturday.
- Wedding Bells:** Congratulations to Philip Cullivan, Corfad and Julianne O' Reilly, Thurles, who were married in The Holy Cross Abbey, Thurles on 13<sup>th</sup> July. Also Anita Smith, Caulfield and Andrew Cullen, Castleknock, who were married in Castleknock on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> July.
- National Novena at Knock Shrine:** August 14<sup>th</sup> to 22<sup>nd</sup>. See notice board for list of speakers.
- Cystic Fibrosis Collection:** Thanks to all who contributed to the Church Gate collection held on 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> July at Clifferna and Laragh for Cystic Fibrosis (Cavan Branch). Amount collected was €384.
- Age & Opportunity:** Day trip and lunch to Ballyconnell on Thursday August 1<sup>st</sup>. Meet at Stradone Community Centre at 1pm. As we need to know numbers for lunch and transport, name are to be submitted to Rose Smith, without delay on 049 4330191. No monthly get-together in Stradone in August.
- Date for Your Diary:** By special request, Social Dance with Afternoon Tea in Stradone Community Centre on Sunday August 25<sup>th</sup> from 3pm – 6pm. Music by Brendan Jermyn. All proceeds to Positive Age. All ages most welcome, dancing partners not needed, plenty of spares available!!! Your support will be much appreciated. Enquiries to 086 3614382.
- Laragh United GFC Lotto Results:** No jackpot winner. Numbers drawn were 2, 17, 25, 30. €30 winners were Marie Brady, Lavey, Seamus Fay, Cootehill, Patricia O' Reilly, Laragh, Ciara & Lisa Mannering, Caulfield and Tara Leddy, Aughagoldrick. Next week's jackpot €8,800.
- Lavey Ladies are hosting The Annette Coen Over 30's Tournament:** on Saturday August 3<sup>rd</sup>. Donations voluntary. Funds raised are being donated to the Kevin Bell Repatriation Trust. Details can be found on Annette Coen Over 30's Tournament page on facebook.

**Recent Deaths: {Inside Page}**

# Laragh Parish Newsletter



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### Emergency Numbers

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**28<sup>th</sup> July 2019 – 17<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

## Stay

A Dublin priest describes an incident that happened to him a few years ago when he drove up to the parish church. Workmen were tarmacking the car park so he had to leave the car on a steep hill just below the church. He had his dog with him in the back seat, a tiny Bijon Frise. As he stepped out of the car, he rolled down the window a little to ensure the dog had enough air and said very firmly through the open window 'Stay'. Just behind him on a bench there was an old man with a can of beer watching the proceedings with interest. From his seated position he had no view of the dog. He said to the priest: 'Father, I admire your faith but would it not be better to put on the handbrake?'

*To the unbeliever praying is like saying 'Stay' to a car on a hill with no handbrake on, an exercise in futility. To the believer praying is saying 'Stay' to oneself when we need to slow down and turn to the One who holds our lives in his hands.*

## ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH LARAGH

### Masses this week:

Sun 28 <sup>th</sup>	11.00 am	Peter King, Broughderg A/V
Tue 30 <sup>th</sup>	7.45 pm	As Requested
Wed 31 <sup>st</sup>	10.30 am	For the People of the Parish
Thur 1 <sup>st</sup> Aug	10.30 am	As Requested
Fri 2 <sup>nd</sup>	7.45 pm	John & Pat Brady & Dec family mbs, Carricknashoke A/V
Sun 4 <sup>th</sup>	11.00 am	Michael & Mary Rose Smith, Cormeen A/V

**Eucharistic Adoration:** On Tuesday from 5pm – 7.45pm

### Servers for Next Week

**Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> August:** Emily, Darragh, Kevin, Killian, Orlaith, Elisha

### Church Arrangements for August

**Offertory Collectors:** Seamus Duffy, Dessie O' Rourke (Sun 4<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup>)  
Volunteer, Geraldine Brady (Sun 18<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup>)

**Readers:** Volunteers

**Altar Society:** Volunteers

## ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH CARRICKALLEN

### Masses this week:

Sun 28 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 am	Phil McGovern, Moneycass A/V
Sun 4 <sup>th</sup> Aug	9.30 am	Susan O' Reilly, Tievenanass & Cavan A/V

### Church Arrangements for August

**Collectors:** Charles Smith, Peter Tully, Anthony Cooney

**Reader:** Matthew McCaffrey

**Altar Society:** Nellie Smith, Ita Smith

### Your prayers are requested for the soul of the late:

- **Paddy Clarke, Arklow**, whose funeral took place on Monday in St. Joseph's Church, Templarainey. We extend our sympathy to his niece Veronica Smith and family, Knockateggart.

## ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH CLIFFERNA

### Masses this week:

Sat 27 <sup>th</sup>	7.30 pm	Kathleen Reilly, Tierlahood A/V
Sun 28 <sup>th</sup>	12.00 pm	Cemetery Sunday
Fri 2 <sup>nd</sup> Aug	7.00 pm	Pat Rudden, Arderda A/V
Sat 3 <sup>rd</sup>	12.00 pm	Katie Smith & Dec family members, Clifferna A/V
Sat 3 <sup>rd</sup>	7.30 pm	Tenny Sexton, Greaghagibney A/V

**Eucharistic Adoration:** On Wednesday from 2pm – 3pm

### Church Arrangements for August

**Door Collectors:** Raymond Cooney, Pat Tobin, Eamon Lackey

**Reader:** Hugh Smith

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Eamon Lackey, Declan O' Reilly, Kathleen Tierney

### Cemetery Sunday

**Today we remember our dead; we especially remember those who died since this time last year who are buried in our cemetery:**

Kathleen Reilly (nee Cooney), Tierlahood  
Tenny Sexton, Greaghagibney  
Michael Sexton, Greaghagibney  
Marie Boylan (nee McGaughran), Clifferna  
Mary Kate (Babbie) Duffy (nee Doughty), Clifferna  
Maureen Sexton (nee Brady), Greaghagibney  
Teresa Fitzsimons (nee McEnroe), Knockateggart

**And those from our area who are buried elsewhere:**

Mary Reilly, England and late of Drumuck  
Kay Cooney, Cavan and late of Knockateggart  
Paddy Cooney, Australia and late of Knockateggart



*To those who have joined us this weekend for  
Clifferna Cemetery Sunday.  
We welcome those who have come back to their native place  
and those who have come long distances.*