

# Laragh Parish Newsletter



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8. **East Cavan PTAA Upcoming Events:**
  - **Quiz** in Crosserlough Hall on 22<sup>nd</sup> February at 8.30pm
  - **Walk** in Drumkilly, on Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> February at 2pm.
9. **Fr Dan Sheridan Memorial Concert:** in St. Brigid's Church Killeshandra, on Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> February at 6pm. Tickets available from Easons, Main Street, Cavan.
10. **Weight Matters with Jenny:** offers you motivational support and guidance, lifelong strategies for healthy eating, and a sustainable weight loss approach to help you achieve your goals your way. Contact Jenny on [weightmatters@outlook.com](mailto:weightmatters@outlook.com) or 086 2418361.
11. **Free Technology Training:** Five Week Basic iPhone, iPad, Tablet and Smartphone classes starting in Stradone Community Centre on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February from 10am - 12 noon. Please call Angela on 046 9280790 to book a place.
12. **Laragh Childcare Services CLG:** are looking for a suitable person to join our Afterschool team. The position offers a competitive salary package with the opportunity for quick progression to a managerial position. Candidates should hold a QQI level 5 in Childcare or be currently working towards completing their qualification. Experience working with children essential. Hours of work, Monday to Friday, 1:30pm to 6:30pm. Please email your CV to [admin@laraghchildcareservices.com](mailto:admin@laraghchildcareservices.com) or by post to The Administrator, Laragh Childcare Services CLG., Parish Hall, Laragh, Stradone, Co. Cavan Closing date, Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> February 2020. Telephone enquires welcomed, call Caroline 087 0555333.
13. **Laragh United GFC:**
  - **Lotto Results:** No jackpot winner. Numbers were 7, 20, 22, 28. €30 winners were Natalie Loughlin, Daniel J Smith, Sean & Jimmy Fay, Angela Collins, Niall, Callum & Ioana. Next week's jackpot €14,400.
  - **Light Up Laragh:** As part of Operation Transformation, Laragh United are lighting up PJ Duke Park on Thursday evenings from 7pm – 9pm. Everyone welcome to come along to walk, jog or run.

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

- **Monsignor Patrick J. McManus, Kilnaleck**, whose funeral took place in St. Mary's Church, Crosserlough on Wednesday.

## 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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**9<sup>th</sup> February 2020 – 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

## Salt of the Earth

Brace yourself for a short science lesson. Sodium is an extremely active element found naturally only in combined form: it always links itself to another element. Chlorine is the poisonous gas that gives bleach its offensive smell. When sodium and chlorine are combined, the result is sodium chloride, better known to you and me as the salt we use on our food.

Love and truth are like sodium and chlorine. Love without truth is unstable and blind, willing to combine with any number of teachings on the meaning of life. Truth without love can be offensive, even poisonous; it can turn people away from the good news of Jesus Christ. But when love and truth are combined in an individual or a Church, we have what Jesus called the salt of the earth, people capable of preserving and bringing out the beauty of the Christian faith.

## GENERAL NOTICES

### ST. BRIGID'S CHURCH LARAGH

#### **Masses this week:**

Sun 9 <sup>th</sup> Feb	11.00 am	Pat Cullivan, Tullyco A/V
Tue 11 <sup>th</sup>	7.45 pm	Peter Brady, Knockateggar A/V
Wed 12 <sup>th</sup>	10.30 am	For the People of the Parish
Thur 13 <sup>th</sup>	10.30 am	As Requested
Fri 14 <sup>th</sup>	7.45 pm	Baby Walsh, Corgreagh A/V
Sun 16 <sup>th</sup>	11.00 am	Owen & Kathleen O' Reilly, Edergole A/V

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

#### Servers for Next Week

**Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> February:** Leah, Fiona, Ned, Mark, Grace, Darragh

### ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH CARRICKALLEN

#### **Masses this week:**

Sat 8 <sup>th</sup> Feb	7.30 pm	Minnie & Eugene Lynch, Tievenanass A/V
Sat 15 <sup>th</sup>	7.30 pm	Michael & Maria Lee, Knockateggar A/V

### ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH CLIFFERNA

#### **Masses this week:**

Sun 9 <sup>th</sup> Feb	9.30 am	Michael Lynch, Altbaugh A/V
Sun 16 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 am	Molly, James, Alice, Maria & Michael Carroll, Greaghagibney A/V

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

- 1. Recent Baptism:** The Christian Community welcomes with joy Baby Noah William O' Connor, Tierlahood who was baptised in St. Michael's Church Clifferna on Sunday last.
- 2. Kilmore Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes led by Fr Liam Kelly:** 29<sup>th</sup> May – 3<sup>rd</sup> June. For details of the Official Sick/Assisted section of the pilgrimage, please contact Fr Tom Mannion on 071 9643014 or 087 9170879, email [cavanparish@gmail.com](mailto:cavanparish@gmail.com). For inquiries and bookings please contact Cavan Travel Ltd, Main Street, Cavan 049 4361222 or Virginia Travel, Main Street, Virginia 049 8548544.
- 3. St Paul – His Life and Work:** Fr Eamon Bredin will facilitate a course on "St Paul – His Life and Work", in the Kilmore Pastoral Centre, Cavan on Thursday evenings from 7.30pm – 9.30pm, running up until April 16<sup>th</sup> 2020. All welcome. Refreshments will be served each evening. Suggested donation €5 per night.
- 4. Study Theology Online:** Attend Saturday lectures in Tallaght or from the comfort of your own home. Register now for Spring 2020. Enquiries to 01 404 8124 or email [enquiries@prioryinstitute.com](mailto:enquiries@prioryinstitute.com)
- 5. The Bishop MacKiernan Memorial Lecture:** Breifne Historical Society host the Bishop MacKiernan Memorial Lecture on Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February in Cavan Library at 7pm by Professor John McCafferty (UCD), entitled 'Insults, Marriages and Wills: Ordinary People in an Irish Church Court of the 1520s'. Admission free, all welcome.
- 6. Backpack Adult Course:** will commence on February 25<sup>th</sup> at Cavan Institute and will run for 8 weeks. This course addresses contemporary issues such as anxiety, boundaries, negative thinking patterns and introduces contemplative prayer. If you would like to take part, contact us on 083 487 7325 or visit [www.cavaninstitute.ie](http://www.cavaninstitute.ie) to register.
- 7. The Alzheimer Society Cavan Branch Services:**
  - FORGET-ME-NOT CAFÉ is held on the last Wednesday of every month in the Castlemanor Community Centre from 11am -12.30pm. All welcome.
  - SUPPORT GROUP meets on the first Thursday of every month except July and August in the Bridge Street Centre, Cavan at 8pm. Anyone dealing with or caring for someone with Alzheimer's is welcome to come along for tea and a chat.
  - DEMENTIA FRIENDLY GARDEN SINGERS is held in the HSE Building in grounds of John Sullivan Centre Nursing Home on the first Sunday of every month from 11am till noon. This is for people with dementia and their families/Carers, people who live alone or those who just like to sing.Contact Carole 087 2240963 or Claire 085 2562482 for information.