

Bagenalstown Flower and Garden Club

Special Evening in aid of the Haiti "Haven Build-It Week" on Friday 19th March in Bagenalstown Community Centre. Helen Lucas and Margaret Collins will demonstrate their wonderful flower arranging skills on the night. All are welcome. Lots of raffle prizes and refreshments. Adm : €5. Time 8pm.



There will be no Eucharistic Adoration next Wednesday St. Patrick's Day.



Garryhill I.C.A. sharing with Carlow Hospice are holding a Table Quiz in the Hunters Rest, Fenagh on Friday 19th March at 8:030pm. Table of four €20



1st Bagenalstown Baden Powell Scouts

FUN QUIZ in the McGrath Hall on Friday 19th March. Table of 5:€25. All Scout Sections and family members welcome. Fun to be had by all. *A donation from the proceeds will be made to Saplings School in Goresbridge.* All support would be greatly appreciated.

The Parents' Council of Queen of the Universe N.S.

are again taking part in the Ladies Mini Marathon this year (7th June). Anyone interested in participating or sponsoring the Marathon please contact the school. All monies raised will go towards school funds. Thank you for your continued help and support.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

BEAM Annual Three Counties Cycle will take place on Monday 3rd May Bank Holiday.

BEAM Annual Dog Night will take place on Sunday 20th June 2010.

'A DAY OF PRAYER AND HEALING'

A day of prayer and healing will be held in Emmanuel House of Providence, Clonfert on **Saturday 27th March, 2010.** Speakers are Fr. Noel Burke and Eddie Stone. Bus leaving Church car park, Tullow at 8:00am sharp via Closh Stores and Bus Stop, Barrack Street, Carlow. Bring packed lunch. For booking contact **Lily 9151245 or Isla 9151120**

St. Patricks Day Factor 2010 in the McGrath Hall

On 17th March after the Parade and entertainment. Children from primary school can enter. Prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Closing date for entries is 28th February. Adm €2each, children under 4yrs free. For more info 085-1039100. **Bagenalstown Festivals Junior Committee**

Gleann Na Bearú Community Building Courses on offer

Aerobics Class:

A 10-week Aerobics Class contact Philip O' Reilly at 087 6805762

Yoga and Relaxation Class

every Thursday from 10:30-12:00 contact Mary on 086 8900191.

Speech and Drama Class:

The five week course will include communication skills, creative drama and preparation for the speech and drama exam. For more info contact Gabrielle Harding at 085 2411327.



St. Andrews Church
Bagenalstown

BAGENALSTOWN PARISH CHURCH NOTICES

Fr Declan's Mobile 0876684299 Fr Paddy's Mobile: 087 9948505 /059 97 23886
Parochial House: 059 9721154 Rev McCollum 087 2885019

4th Sunday of Lent

14th March, 2010

Mothers' Day

Novena Tuesday 16th March at 7:30pm

Guest Speaker - Frances Black

Living with addiction



23rd March Michael English—A young person following Christ (Singer)

30th March Des Kelly – Personal Testimony (The Carpet Man)

6th April Mary Sweeney – Respond to others (Trocaire)

13th April Eddie Stone – Healing Ministry for the Sick (Faith Healer)

DAWN MASS—EASTER SUNDAY MORNING AT 6:00AM ON MOUNT LEINSTER. Mini Buses will leave the Parish Church on Easter Sunday at 4:15am for Mount Leinster. Please leave your name in to the Parish Office 9721154 if you wish to travel on the bus.



St. Patricks Day Wednesday 17th March

Mass Times

Parish Church— (Novena) 7:30pm Vigil, 8:00am, 11:30am & 7:30pm

Newtown Church—9:00am Ballinkillen Church— 10:00am



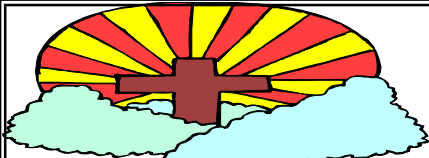
"God could not be everywhere and therefore he made mothers."-- Jewish proverb

"Youth fades; love droops, the leaves of friendship fall; A mother's secret hope outlives them all."-- Oliver Wendell Holmes

"Woman knows what man has long forgotten, that the ultimate economic and spiritual unit of any civilization is still the family." --

Clare Boothe Luce

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PRAY FOR

John Roberts, Crowesgrove, Kildavin who was interred on Monday. (Father of Sandra. Brother of Ann, Mary, Kay & Tina)



FIRST ANNIVERSARY

Christina McGovern, Pairc Mhuire & Killiney, Dublin. Mass in Parish Church on Sunday 14th March at 11:30am.
Cis Hogan, Harrow Cross. Mass in Parish Church on Saturday 20th March at 6:00pm.

Readers 5th Sunday of Lent

Sat. 20th Mar 6:00pm

Helen Wall



Sun 21st Mar 8:00am

Anne O'Neill

Sun. 21st Mar 11:30am

Michael McDonagh



PASSION PLAY

The Greatest Story Ever Told

In St. Anne's Hall, Ballylinan, Laois Friday 26th—2nd April. Adm €10 Child (under 12) €5. Bookings only 059-8625125 (before 6pm)

ANNIVERSARIES

Peter Abbey
Thomas Clarke
Maire O'Connor, Waterford
Kathleen Brophy, 53 St. Brigids Crescent
Margaret Doyle, 102 Kilree Street
Elizabeth Dowling, Rathellan
Kieron Lyons, Regent Street
Michael Salter, Fairgreen
Michael Mahon, Kilree Street
Samuel & Margaret Leech, Ballaghaderneen
Julia Barron, Ballaghaderneen
Breda Maye, Seskinryan
Patricia O'Rourke, Milltown, Dublin
Martin & Margaret Mullins, Oldtown, Nurney
Sean Gough, Kilree Street
Patrick Johnson, 20 St. Brigids Crescent
John & Annie Monaghan, Kilree Cottages
Julie Elliott, St. Brigids Crescent
Annie Wall, Donore
John (Jack) O'Brien, New York & Fairgreen
Julian Nolan, Kilcarrig
Bridie Fenelon, Carrig
Thomas Murphy, Tullow Road, Nurney
Michael Tobin, Knocklonegad
Frank Lee, Fr Cummins Park
Pat Wall, Donore
Michael & Anastasia Purcell, Kilree
These anniversaries will be prayed for on Friday 19th & Saturday 20th March 2010 at 10:00am Mass.

The following are dates for the **Sacrament of First Confessions of the children in following schools:**

- **Newtown N.S.** on Monday 15th March at 7:00pm in Newtown Church
- **Nurney N.S.** on Monday 22nd March at 6:30pm in Newtown Church.



Bagenalstown Branch Carlow/ Kilkenny Home Care Team

Daffodil Day on Friday 26th March. Helpers needed if you have an hour free to give to sell contact Marian 9721164. Fresh Daffodils needed. Contact Mary 085-1521232



ALTAR SERVERS COLLECTION

Tuesday 16th and Wednesday 17th ST. PATRICKS DAY



PLEASE GIVE YOUR SUPPORT



Legion of Mary There will be a member of the Legion of Mary speaking at all Masses this weekend



ENVELOPE COLLETION
Total Collection was **€1,999.** This week's €33 prize winner Micko & Michelle Murphy, 21 Fenagh

Dates for your diary 2010:

First Holy Communion 2010

- **Newtown NS**—Sun 9th May at 11:00am
- **Queen of the Universe & Boys NS**—Sun 16th May at 11:30am
- **Ballinkillen NS**—Sun 23rd May at 11:00am
- **Nurney NS**—Sun 30th May at 11:00am in Newtown Church
- **CONFIRMATION 2010 ON SUNDAY 18th April at 2pm**



Lourdes Pilgrimage 2010 on 26th June 2010

For 5 nights Accommodation at the Hotel Jeanne D'Arc. Flights, accommodation, full board basis, free travel

insurance, tax, all inclusive. **Cost €769**

A deposit of €200 will be required when booking

Booking forms can be got from the Parish Office and Top Class Travel, Carlow. Ph. 059-9723454

Book now to avoid disappointment!!!

