

## Croagh Patrick Pilgrimage

Bagenalstown Parish Pilgrimage to Croagh Patrick will take place on **Saturday 3rd and Sunday 4th September 2011**. The buses will leave outside the parish church on Saturday at 5:00am. Later on Saturday we climb Croagh Patrick with Mass celebrated on top. We will stay in the Park Hotel, Kiltimagh. On Sunday, after breakfast, we will visit Knock Shrine for Mass and return home in the afternoon. Total cost is €105. For booking or further information contact the parish office 9721154 or Kathleen Cox 97277303/0874140747.

## The PWDI Annual General

Meeting will be held on Wednesday 4th May 2011 in the Irish Wheelchair Association, Kilkenny Road, at 2.30pm. Guest speaker Dr. Maurice Manning (President of Human Rights Commission). Complimentary meal will be served. Please ring 059 9721120 / 059 9135544 to confirm attendance.

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## BEAM Annual Three Counties

### Charity Cycle Monday Bank

Holiday 2nd May 2011

THE COUNTDOWN IS ON!

**100km Cycle.....9.30am**

**50km Cycle.....10.00am**

**25km Cycle.....10.30am**

Entry forms and further information is available on our web-site beambagenalstown.ie.

**Please note that helmets must be worn by all participants on the day.**

## EITHNE RYAN TOURS

A day of prayer and healing in Emmanuel House, Clonfert on **Sunday 1st May 2011 Feast of the Divine Mercy**. Speakers are Fr. Noel Burke and Eddie Stone. Bus leaving Fire Station at 7:30. Call Vera 9727313 or Cathy 9146371

## Éist Carlow Cancer Support

Group meeting on Tuesday next 3rd May at 8 p.m. in Seven Oaks Hotel Carlow.

## Novena to our Lady of Perpetual

### Help in St. Clare's Church,

**Graigucullen** begins on Mon. 2<sup>nd</sup> May. The first speaker is Baroness Nuala O'Loan:-  
First Northern Ireland Police Ombudsman

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## 'CHURCH NOTICES'

Divine Mercy Sunday

1st May, 2011



## NOVENA TUESDAY 3rd May at 7:30pm

*Next Speaker is Ned Prendergast (Celebrating a New Springtime of Hope)*

### Pray For:

**Ben Johnson**, Gleann na Bearú & Melbourne, Australia.

**Nell Kennedy**, Monkstown, Dunlaoighre (*wife of the late Tom Kennedy, 17 St. Brigids Crescent*)

**Billy Miley**, The Rower, Thomastown (*brother of Clair-Bríd Hand*)

### Months Mind:

**John Monaghan**, Kilree Cottages & Carlow. Mass on Saturday 30th April at 6:00pm.

### 1st Anniversary:

**Kathleen Byrne**, Dunroe. Mass in Ballinkillen Church on Sunday 1st May at 10:00am.

**Frances Maguire**, Railway House. Mass in Parish Church on Sunday 8th May

**Easter:** A wonderful sense of appreciation for all the joyful and prayerful Easter Ceremonies. We were all touched and blessed by Gods presence. We are most grateful to all our ministers, stewards, choirs and sacristans for their continued support and generosity. This year huge crowds gathered to Celebrate Holy Week. A big thank you to all who coordinated the Dawn Mass especially, Carlow County Council, Civil Defence, Bus Drivers, Stewards, Musicians, Baden Powell Scouts, Folk Group, members of Newtown, Ballinkillen, Bagenalstown & Myshall Communities.

**Frs Declan, Paddy & Tom. Over €3,600 was collected at our Dawn Mass.**

## FIRST FRIDAY 6th May 2011

**Mass** in Newtown Church at 7:00pm & **Mass** in Ballinkillen Church at 8:00pm. **Confessions** on Saturdays from 10:30-11am and 5:30pm - 5:45pm in Parish Church

## ANNIVERSARIES

John Keenan, Dunleckney  
Eileen Breen, Main Street  
Agnes & James Daly, Kilcarrig Street  
Pat Byrne, Dunroe  
Tim Doyle, Donore  
Jody & Jim McGrath, 14 Acres  
John O'Brien, Ballybrack & Ovens,  
Cork  
Brigid Dillon, 26 St. Brigids  
Crescent  
Pat Ward, Barrett Street  
John(Jack)Devine, Royal Oak Road  
Mick Hickey, Ballymoon  
Joseph Kelly, Gormona  
William & Elizabeth Dowling,  
Rathellan  
Fr John Kennedy, Bridge House  
**These anniversaries will be  
prayed for on Friday 6th  
Saturday 7th May at 10:00am  
Mass.**



**A Special Mass** to  
celebrate the  
Beatification of  
Pope John Paul II  
on ***Divine Mercy***  
**Sunday 1st May** in Parish  
Church at **3:00pm**. Beginning  
with recitation of the Chaplet.

## ENVELOPE COLLETION

Total Collection was **€2,699**  
This weeks prize winner is:  
**Mrs. Anna Byrne, Aughabeg**



## **First Friday Anniversaries in NEWTOWN at 7:00pm 6th May**

Joseph O'Brien, Rathercan  
Dora Lynch, Middleton  
Mary O'Brien, Clonegath  
Maura Nolan, Ballinakill  
Jim Nolan, Ballyknockan  
Maryann Thompson, Newtown  
John Byrne, Ballydarton  
Eileen Stringer, Cloneen, Nurney  
John Murphy, Kildrenagh  
Dora Hogan, Lumclone Cross  
Baby Ann Hogan, Birmingham  
Elizabeth Dermody, Nurney  
Elizabeth, Josephine & Helen  
Langtry, Fenagh  
Matt Murphy, Ballywilliamroe  
Mary Brooks, 3 Ashgrove  
Margaret Curran, 70 St. Brigids  
Crescent

## **First Friday Anniversaries in BALLINKILLEN at 8:00pm 6th May**

James & Catherine Hosey, Garryhill  
Mick Shaughnessy, Donore  
Sonny & Margaret Kelly,  
Ballinkillen  
Katie Kane, Knockullard  
Pat Byrne, Dunroe  
William & Catherine Sheane,  
Skahanrane  
Paul Byrne, Aughabeg

## *First Holy Communion*

### **First Holy Communion 2011**

- Queen of the Universe & Boys  
NS—Sun 15th May at **11:30am**
- Ballinkillen NS—Sun 22nd  
May at **11:00am**
- Newtown NS—Sun 29th May  
at **11:00am**
- Nurney NS—Sun 5th June at  
**11:00am** in Newtown Church

### **\*\*\*\*\*BAPTISMS\*\*\*\*\***

Baptisms in

**Newtown Church** will be on the  
**FIRST** Saturday of every month at  
4:00pm and in

**Ballinkillen Church** will be on the  
**LAST** Saturday of every month at  
4:00pm.

**St. Andrew's Parish Church**  
**Every** Saturday at 5:00pm

### **GRAVEYARD MASSES 2011 At 8:00pm**

NEWTOWN—Friday 3rd June

BALLINKILLEN—Friday 10th June

BAGENALSTOWN—Friday 17th  
June

DUNLECKNEY—Friday 24th June

## PHOENIX PROJECT

New Beginnings Ltd  
*Thinking about Money  
Problems?*  
Across Ireland Businesses,  
Farmers & Individuals are  
experiencing financial crisis.  
The Phoenix Project is here  
to help.....**1850 20 30 40**  
*Donation appreciated in  
setting up this project to  
support people.*  
Chy No. 19269

## Readers Sun 8th May 2011

**Sat 7th May 6:00pm**

Helen Wall

**Sun 8th May 8:00am**

Anna Monaghan

**Sun 8th May 11:30am**

Brian Spiller



**NOW REMEMBER:  
MIRROR, SIGNAL,  
SIGN OF THE CROSS,  
MANOEUVRE**