

### Weekly Prayer Meeting

Every Wednesday Crossabeg  
Parochial House at 8.00pm.  
All are welcome.

# Crossabeg/Ballymurn Parish Newsletter

## Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> & Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> May, 2018

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### St Patricks Special School

Would like to sincerely thank you for your generous donations to their recent collection. €120.36 was raised.

## BALLYMURN EVENTS

### Patron in Ballymurn

Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> August time 2.00pm

**Mass Times** Saturday evening at 8.15pm. Sunday morning at 10.00am.  
Mass on Tues at 7.30pm and Thurs and Sat at 9.30am.

**Adoration** takes place each Tues from 11.00am and ends after Mass at 7.30pm.

**Anniversaries** Mass on Sat 26<sup>th</sup> for Tommy and Willie Dooley R.I.P.

**First Friday** Next Friday is the First Friday. Confessions at 7.00pm followed by Mass at 7.30pm. The sick will be visited at the usual times.

**Baptism** It is with joy that we welcome Robert John Redmond O'Rourke into our Catholic community through his Baptism.

**Readers** A revised rota is at the back of the Church. Please collect.

### Layman's look at Gospel

Verses: All power in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go, make disciples of all the Gentiles, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold I am with you all days until the end of time. Comment: That makes it pretty clear what is expected of us. Let's attempt to observe the Saviour's commands.

The annual **Global Rosary Relay** will be celebrated at Our Lady's Island on Friday, June 8<sup>th</sup> at 8.00 p.m. The Vigil will be taking place immediately in Sacramento California (7.30pm to 8pm) before it comes to Our Lady's Island. After Our Lady's Island the Vigil will continue in Holy Family Parish in Rockland, Massachusetts (8.30pm to 9pm). This project is entirely organised by laity. All priests are invited to attend at Our Lady's Island and will be most welcome. Priests are also asked to encourage their parishioners to come along and join in. The Rosary relay will be broadcast live on South East Radio. With 50 venues participating worldwide, by midnight on the 8 June 2018, the entire world will have been encircled in prayer for our priests on this The Annual Rosary Relay Day.

### Crossabeg Parish Concert

Come and see the wonderful talent of the Children of Crossabeg National School's Choir and the fantastic Wexford Ladies and Male Choirs.

Date: 27<sup>th</sup> May 2018 at 7.30pm

Venue: Crossabeg Church.

Door Prizes on the night:

€200 cash Donated by Hertz

Gift Voucher Donated by Wexford Auto Factors.

**Cost of the Ticket:**

**Adult Ticket: €10. Child Ticket: €5**

**Only 250 Tickets available, at Crossabeg Mass and Crossabeg NS**

**Tel: 053 9159035**

**Funds will be split 50/50 between the School and the Parish.**

**Lough Derg 2018:** Season is open for One Day Retreats on May 26, 27 & 28. Advance booking is essential. Tel +353 (0) 71 9861518 or email [info@loughderg.org](mailto:info@loughderg.org) **Why not take some time and space for yourself on Lough Derg this May?** (Three Day Pilgrimage Season begins on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> June.)

### Athletics

Day 1 of the County Athletic Juvenile championships was held on Sunday, May 13 at The Hub, Enniscorthy. Medals were won by Kara Morrissey (gold in the under 12, 100M) Emma McCarthy (gold in the U11 Shot Putt) Jack Forde (gold in the 250m hurdles U16, gold in the 100M, gold in the Long Jump) Paul Freeman (silver U18 High Jump; bronze in the 100M and bronze in the 600M) Anna Finan (bronze in the 250M Hurdles U15, bronze in the Long Jump) Amy Forde competed for Loreto Wexford in the Leinster Secondary Schools championships in Santry recently where she competed in the senior girls Hammer event. Well done Amy who finished in third place with a throw of 33.63m

### Prayer for Spiritual Renewal

Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of us your people and enkindle in us the fire of your love.

Renew the gifts that have been given to me in Baptism and Confirmation, and enkindle in me your gifts and graces, so that I may be empowered with your heavenly presence. Together with all of your people let us renew the face of the earth. Amen.

### Open Day

Artraman House is the place to be on Sunday, June 3<sup>rd</sup> when the lovely grounds will be open once again to the public. These fabulous grounds are a sight to behold and the children love to wander around the Fairy garden. Music will also be provided during the afternoon, so what better way to relax with a nice cup of tea or coffee and refreshments, while you take in the lovely grounds.

## CROSSABEG EVENTS

### Patron in Crossabeg

Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> June time 7.00pm

**Mass Times** Saturday evening 7.00pm. Sun morning 11.15am. Mass on Mon 7.30pm. Mass on Wed and Fri at 9.30am.

**Confession** will be heard every Saturday at 6.00pm.

**Adoration** Takes place every Mon 1.00pm until 7.20 with Mass at 7.30pm, and will then continue for another hour, from 8pm to 9pm.

**Anniversaries** Mass on Sat 26<sup>th</sup> Rosanna Gahan R.I.P. Mass on Sat 2<sup>nd</sup> June for James and Catherine Corcoran R.I.P. Mass on Sun 3<sup>rd</sup> June for Margaret Roche and Anastasia Lacey R.I.P.

**First Friday** Next Friday is the First Friday. The sick will be visited at the usual time.

**The Forge** Next date for storytelling in the Forge is Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> June. All are welcome.