

THE PARISH OF LEITRIM, BALLYDUGAN/KILMEEN

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Fourteenth Week in Ordinary Time – Year C

Masses:

Saturday 2nd: 6.30pm Private Intention.

Sunday 3rd: 11am Joe O'Brien (12th)

No Daily Mass this week.

Saturday 9th: 6.30pm Denis Hardiman (Month Mind).

Sunday 10th: 11am Tom and Brigid Larkin.

Collections: 25/26th: €607.07. Thank you for your contributions. The second envelope and collection this weekend 2/3 July is for Accord.

Readers: Sat 9th: Cathal Lenehan. Sun 10th: Aoife Fogarthy.

Eucharistic Ministers: Sat 9th: A. N. Other. Sun 10th: Mary Callanan.

Pope's Intention for July: For the elderly. We pray for the elderly, who represent the roots and memory of a people; may their experience and wisdom help young people to look towards the future with hope and responsibility.

Readings this Weekend: Jesus is the 'Prince of Peace'. Peace is one of the fruits of the Holy Spirit. Christians are to share that peace with others. The earthly peace we seek is the image of that peace of Christ. We have no option but to be peacemakers.

Reflection: I and You. People are relational beings, created to seek another, a 'you'. Nevertheless, we are often confronted with our own egoism or with the egoism of others. We long to be seen, we long for real encounter, yet we often suffer from a lack of personal relationships and from isolation. We desire a life with depth, yet we run away from ourselves, diverting ourselves with any number of distractions. Is there some kind of medicine to heal us from the sicknesses of a false self-centredness and lead us into living relationships?

A thought: One child, one teacher, one pen, and one book can change the world.
Malala Yousafzai.

Kilnadeema Leitrim GAA Club: The numbers drawn on June 26th were: 6, 14, 16, 27. There was no jackpot winner. Match 3 Winners; Kayn Boyle, Cillian Keady, Dylan Ryan, Nicola Kyne, Claire Boyce, Breda Keon. The next draw will be for a jackpot of €19,100.

Clonfert Pilgrimage to Lourdes 19th - 24th August 2022. For further information please contact Society Travel Ballinasloe at 090 964 5350. Clonfert Diocese Synodal Report:

The Clonfert Diocese Synodal Report Synthesis is available at www.clonfertdiocese.ie

Loughrea Chapel of Adoration: If you are interested in registering for Adoration, please contact the Loughrea Parish office at 091 841212 or email cathedral@clonfertdiocese.ie

Are you living in Ireland undocumented? Do you know someone who may be an undocumented migrant? Undocumented people can apply for a legal status now. Applications for the new government undocumented scheme are open until 31 July. Don't miss this life changing opportunity. To check your eligibility and get support to apply visit the Migrants Rights Centre Ireland website www.mrci.ie or email info@mrci.ie or contact 083-0755387.

St Brendan's Education Centre, Abbey St., Loughrea H62T262 phone 091 841387: Courses in Childcare, Healthcare, Hairdressing and Beauty, IT, Business, Culinary Skills and Horticulture. email freda.murphy@gretb.ie or john.melville@gretb.ie

Free Community Education part-time courses in Art and Painting, Family History and Digital Photography will take place this summer/autumn at the Woodford Heritage Centre, anyone interested please ring 0909749309 or email galwayroots@gmail.com to register.

Meals4Health Galway – Delivers Freshly Cooked Meals to your door. Supporting Independent living for longer in the comfort of your home. Phone 091354000 for more information or visit www.meals4health.ie

Support for Adults affected by Gambling: If you are a gambler, spouse, partner, family member or friend affected by gambling then get in touch with Loughrea Family & Community Resource Centre, Piggott Street, Loughrea gsupport@loughreafamilyresourcecentre.ie 091 871149

Little Deers Breakfast and After-School Club: Contact Number: Siobhán Geraghty 0879119147 Email: siobhangeraghty100@gmail.com

