



# Graiguecullen/Killeshin PARISH LINK

*Sunday 9th June 2019  
Pentecost Sunday*



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**Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help continues this  
Monday night 10<sup>th</sup> June.** The rosary is recited at 7.10pm and  
Mass begins at 7.30pm in St Clare's Church.

This year's Theme is: "The importance of faith in our daily lives"

**GUEST SPEAKER : Julieann Moran – World Missions Ireland**

A Master's graduate from St Patrick's College, Maynooth, Julieann joined the team at World Missions Ireland as the National Secretary for the Society of Missionary Children. A writer of short stories and poetry, Julieann says she has a passion for people no matter where they are on their journey of faith.

**A blessing with Holy Oils will take place during Mass  
If you know anyone who is sick please invite them to come along  
for this special blessing and maybe help them to organise  
transport.**

**Unlocking Your Talent:-** Jesus comes amongst the disciples and breathes the Holy Spirit into them. Suddenly a group of frightened and inactive disciples begin to do amazing things. Suddenly they can reach out around the world regardless of language culture or race.

This isn't just a story about something that happened a long time ago, it's a promise. We each have a component that fits into God's greater picture. We each have a talent that lends itself to God's purpose. Unlocking that talent is a daily challenge. How do we use our skills to best advantage? How do we knock down the barriers that prevent us reaching our true potential? Where do we look for direction, focus and discernment? How do we find courage, faith, energy and foresight? The answer to all these questions is the 'Holy Spirit'. The same Holy Spirit that enables the early disciples liberates and empowers us. The Holy Spirit is God's presence in our lives whenever we ask.

**The Heather Cowan Awards for outstanding contribution to parish  
life** will be presented during our Monthly Youth Mass on this Sun 9<sup>th</sup> June at 6pm. These awards are presented in memory of Heather whose enthusiasm, positivity and commitment to the Parish of Graiguecullen/Killeshin will always be remembered. In her short life Heather was a committed altar server and member of the children's choir in our church. She also played the role of Mary the Mother of God in our Easter Children's Stations of the Cross. She was a kind, friendly, helpful person who was first to volunteer for any task with a smile on her face. The thoughts and prayers of the parish community are with Heather's parents, family and friends.

**Knockbeg College Annual on sale in the Parish Centre. €10**

**Run for the Kitchen – The streets of Carlow 5k/10k run in aid of St  
Clare's Hospitality Food Kitchen.** Entry Fee 5k €20/10k €25, Entire entry fee goes to the Kitchen. Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> September 2019. Race starts @ 10am. Register online @PopUp Races.

**Priest's Summer Collection:-** this quarterly collection takes place at all Masses this weekend. Envelopes available in boxes or alternatively special envelopes at church doors. Your support, financial or otherwise is greatly appreciated

The Graveyard Masses are as follows:

Sleaty-Friday 14<sup>th</sup> June @ 7.30pm

Leaugh-Wed 19<sup>th</sup> June @ 7.30pm.

St. Mary's-Monday 8<sup>th</sup> July @ 7.30pm

**Graiguecullen Evergreens Holiday:-** leaving Swimming Pool Carpark this Sun 9<sup>th</sup> June @ 11am. We wish them every blessing for an enjoyable holiday.

**Monthly Youth Mass** will take place on this Sun 9<sup>th</sup> June at 6pm in St Clare's. All those who have recently received Confirmation and their families are invited to attend. The young people will renew their commitment to their parish at this Mass.

**Remembrance Mass** for all parents who have lost a baby before, during or after birth takes place on next Sun 16<sup>th</sup> June in Holy Cross Church @ 10.15am. **A meeting of the support group will take place this Tues 11<sup>th</sup> June at 8pm in the Parish Centre.** Anyone who would like to design a patch for our remembrance quilt is welcome to do so. The square must be 6"x6" and can be left into the parish centre.

**St Clare's Hospitality** would like to thank everyone who helped to organise the recent Dog Walk all the volunteers and our community Garda Esme Mannix. A big thank you to Emma from Old McDonalds Farm Store in Graiguecullen for all her help and for the treats she supplied free for the dogs.

**Graiguecullen Swimming Pool committee** would like to invite you to celebrate with us on **Sunday 16th June** on the occasion of our **25th Birthday Celebration.** Beginning with Mass of Thanksgiving @ 11.30am in St. Clare's Church. Followed by BBQ and lots of entertainment on the Pool grounds

**Pre-Baptism meeting:-** for parents who will be presenting their children for baptism over the coming months will be held on Mon 1<sup>st</sup> July @ 7pm in the Parish Centre.

**Weekly Collection**  
Red Bag: € 808.00  
Blue Bag: €1,690.00  
We thank you for your support

### Anniversaries

**Sat 8<sup>th</sup> 6.30pm** (Months Mind) Elizabeth (Eilish) Murphy, 2 Henry St  
 (Months Mind) Denis Sullivan, Rochford Manor  
 (First Anniversary) James (Jim) Carr, Crossneen  
 (Baby Olivia Kinsella, Graiguecullen)-(Kieran Lawler, 152 Duggan Ave)  
 (Baby Callum Core-Lawler, 17 Heatherhill Sq)-(Joan Fitzpatrick, Sleaty Rd)  
 William Nolan, 31 Pacelli Ave also his wife Margaret & son Ronald  
 (Christy Kelly, Coolane, Killeshin)-(Nell Kinsella, Crossneen)  
 Liam Dunphy, Ballinakill & St Fiacc's Hse (**Birthday Rem**)

**Sun 9<sup>th</sup> 9am** Elizabeth Byrne, Lower Rossmore  
**10.15am** (Myles & Bridget Kehoe, Springhill) – (Eileen Regan, Killeshin Rd)  
 (Katie & Martin Rice, Ardenteggle)-(Mary Connolly (née Wynne) (**Birthday Rem**)  
**11.30am** (Months Mind) Elizabeth (Eilish) Murphy, 2 Henry Street  
 Kathleen Lanigan, The Lock also her daughter in law Betty and deceased family  
 Shay Lawler, Duggan Ave & Tommy Murphy Park

**Mon 10<sup>th</sup> 10am** Clare Byrne, St Fiacc's Tce

**Wed 12<sup>th</sup> 10am** Declan Horahan, 22 Rossmore View

**Sat 15<sup>th</sup> 10am** Michael (Mike) Bolger, Church St & Kellistown  
**6.30pm (First Anniversary)** Lily Dowling, 191 Sleaty St  
 (Bridie Murphy, Mount Clare Court)-(Sean Quinn, Sleaty St)  
 Tommy Dowling, 76 Pearse Rd also his parents Edward & Mary, Tinryland  
 John & Jane O'Shea, 29 St Fiacc's Tce  
 William & Bridget Byrne, Duggan Ave (**Birthday Rem**)  
 (John Nolan, The Crockaun, Springhill)-(Nicky Condrón, Rossmore View)  
 (Eddie Condrón, Ballyhide)-(Margaret Coffey, 18 Chapel St)  
 (Denis (Dinty) Byrne, 19 Pacelli Ave, his parents Margaret & Denis  
 and grand daughter Sinead Webber, 114 St Clare's Rd)  
 Margaret Condrón, Radhairc Oisín also her son John Joe Bagenalstown

**Sun 16<sup>th</sup> 9am** Liam Martin, Derrymoyle  
**10.15am** (Matthew Nelson, Killeshin)-(Paul Dowling, Coorlaghan, Killeshin)  
 (Brigid O'Toole, Staplestown Rd)-(Stephen Arnold, Coolane)  
**11.30am** (Peggy Brennan, Hillview, Crossneen)-(Bridie Murphy, Mount Clare Court)  
 Michael Denieffe, 40 Oakley Park, Tullow Road, Carlow *R.I.P.*  
 Tom Loughman, 75 Sleaty Road, Graiguecullen, Carlow *R.I.P.*

### READERS – ST CLARE'S

Sat 15<sup>th</sup> June

**6.30pm:** Jessica Nolan, Eoghan Cowan, Gary Dowling

Sun 16<sup>th</sup> June

**9am:** Martin Lynch, Michael & Brid Curran

**11.30am:** Brid Brett & Marian Doyle

### READERS – HOLY CROSS

Sun 16<sup>th</sup> June

**10.15am:** Babies Remembrance Mass

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

#### ST. CLARE'S

Sat 15<sup>th</sup> June

**6.30pm:** Roisín Harte (C), Orla Mc Hugh, Theresa Kennedy,

Kathleen O'Neill, Zuzanna Wisniewska

Sun 16<sup>th</sup> June

**9am:** Liz Hosey, Elizabeth McEvoy, Paul McKeivitt

**11.30am:** Breda McDonald (C), Marguerite Mullan, J Murnane

O'Connor, Deirdre Maher, Caoimhe Fitzpatrick, Jade Nolan

#### HOLY CROSS

Sun 16<sup>th</sup> June

**10.15am:** Carla, Ciara & Mary Hennessy

Graiguecullen Parish Childcare Centre (on the grounds of St. Fiacc's School) are hosting an Ice Cream Funday in aid of Down Syndrome Irel on Sat. June 15<sup>th</sup> 10am to 2pm. Help raise much needed funds for children with Down Syndrome.

### Graiguecullen Bingo

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> June @

8.30pm

in St Fiacc's Hall

Jackpot €1,480 in

46 No's. Check on

Double No & win €1,440

In-house Mini Lotto

€700

Great Prizes to be won.

Killeshin Ladies Football are hosting a

#### **WALKING TREASURE HUNT**

on Sunday, 16<sup>th</sup> June, at 2pm.

Meet at Killeshin Hall

Team of 4 - €20/team

Prizes galore and lots of craic!!

Contact Jason 085 7730832

The Secular Franciscan Order Pilgrimage to Knock will be on Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> June. Tickets €20, are available from, The Friary Office, Dublin St and Lamberts Newsagents, Dublin St. All welcome.

### Graiguecullen Swimming

Pool-059 9140330

#### EVENING CAMPS

6 – 6.45 pm

**CAMP 1:** 2<sup>nd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> July

**CAMP 2:** 9<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> July

**CAMP 5:** 30<sup>th</sup> July – 3<sup>rd</sup> Aug

#### MORNING CAMPS

10 – 10.45 am

**CAMP 3:** 16<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> July

**CAMP 4:** 23<sup>rd</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup> July

**CAMP 6:** 13<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> Aug

Monday – Friday @ €40 per child  
 Fill in a booking form in the Pool office with €20 deposit per child. Due to the increase in demand for lessons bookings **cannot** be accepted without a deposit. It is recommended that children be at least 4 years of age.

### St. Vincent De Paul: Local

Conference – St. Fiacc's.

Tel: 086 – 1592775

Graiguecullen Parish Childcare Centre (on the grounds of St. Fiacc's School) are holding an Open Day on Saturday June 15<sup>th</sup> from 10 am to 2 pm. For more information on enrolment come along on the day or ring 059 9137105. Limited places still available.

Fusion Music Summer Camp in Graiguecullen Parish Centre from 8<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> July 10am -to 2pm. Ages 8-18. All instruments and singers welcome (minimum 1 year experience). Cost €55 per child. Contact Paul Horahan 087 6615557.

**Exhibition of Paintings by Lily O'Rourke:-** Lily will be exhibiting new work (**for 4 days only**) 6th -10th June in the Catherine McAuley Room in the **Cathedral Parish Centre**, College St Thurs 2pm - 6pm Fri - Sun **11 am** - 6pm. [www.lilyourourke.com](http://www.lilyourourke.com)

Fundraiser for Carlow Special Olympics Club Opportunity to De-clutter for a good cause Clothing collection by NCBI - leave bags of Unwanted at the Dome on 14th of June at 6.45  
**ACCEPTED ITEMS:** clean clothes, shoes in pairs, bed linen, handbags and towels.  
**NOT ACCEPTED:** duvets, pillows and cushions

**41st Annual Wheelchair Cycle:** All cyclists are asked to be at the **Seven Oaks Hotel on Sat 15th June at 10 am** for the 41st annual cycle for the Carlow Branch of the Irish Wheelchair Association, we will be leaving at 10.30. If you are unable to take part please contact Jack Doyle on 086-8402081.