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PARISH INFORMATION NEWS SHEET

Parish of Newcastle and Newtownmountkennedy
with Calary

JUNE 2017

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From the Rector

Dear Parishioners and Friends,

We are fast approaching holiday time for most people, with the joy and happiness which sunshine brings. Water is a great attraction for most of us, but sadly our waterways, lakes and seas claim the lives of too many people every year. It is often the good swimmers who find themselves in difficulty in the water, so please be careful, obey the signs, don't take chances, and I hope you all have a great summer.

Change is part of life and there have been, and will be, changes for us all in parish life. A very sad change is taking place at our Family Service this June when we say a big thank you and farewell to Joan Dempsey for her sterling work with training and conducting the Junior Choir. Family commitments mean Joan is no longer able to devote the time needed to train and lead our valued young and enthusiastic choir. A very sincere thank you to Joan and we wish her and her family every happiness and joy for many years to come.

On Sunday 14th May we welcomed Rev Niall Stratford to our churches. Niall will become well known in these parishes over the course of the next few months as he will be conducting Sunday worship once every six weeks with us. We welcome Niall and his wife Vivienne. I know you will give them your full support, and hope he has a fruitful and fulfilling ministry in this part of North County Wicklow.

The Sunday School at Newcastle also sees changes around the corner as Karen Kissane, our superintendent, is retiring from that position. We say a big thank you to Karen for her work with the Sunday School. Her organising skills and planning ability have been an education to me. This has always been most evident at the annual summer camp. Thank you also to the teachers who gave their time to the children. I am delighted that some will remain and others will join the team for September.

I hope you all have a safe and enjoyable Summer and even though we might take holidays from school and work there is no rule that we must take holidays from meeting to worship!

Every good wish,

William



FAMILY SERVICES

SUNDAY 11th JUNE

9.30AM
CALARY CHURCH

12 NOON
NEWCASTLE CHURCH
WITH THE JUNIOR CHOIR
SUNDAY SCHOOL PRIZE-GIVING
AND BBQ

SUNDAY 18th JUNE

10.45AM
ST MATTHEW'S CHURCH

Come and Sing your Loudest!

CALARY PARISH

MID-SUMMER BBQ AND PLANT SALE

Roe's Farm, Killough,
Kilmacanogue.

Saturday, 1st July @ 6:30pm

Adults €10 Children Free!

Includes... Burgers, Sausages, Salads
Desserts & Soft Drinks.

(Bring your own Steak and Beer)

BOOKINGS :

JUNE 01 286 6030

ETHNI 086 809 2211



Bonanza Plant Sale

for Fields of Life Child Sponsorship



CALARY NEWS



Music in Calary

On Sunday 25 June, Calary Church will present “The Waterloo Concert” featuring the Delmaine String Quartet and a cast of actors and singers in a programme of music, song, poetry and prose that reflects many aspects of the great battle and its aftermath. Works by Haydn, Mozart and Mahler are performed alongside pieces composed by the Duke’s own father, Garret Wellesley, who was the first professor of music at Trinity College.

This concert is being held in support of Sister Mary Killeen’s work at Mukuru in Nairobi and, there will also be an optional fork supper. Tickets for the concert and fork supper are €40, while tickets for the concert only are €18 and €15 for concessions. To book tickets, or for more information, please contact John (01) 2818146 or derekneilson@eircom.net

Mid-Summer BBQ and Plant Sale

Put the date in your diary! All details on facing page.

Sunday School

Sunday School continues in the Church Room during Sunday Service, except when there is Family Service.

Funeral at Calary

Manus Coffey, Glendarragh, Newtownmountkennedy.
Manus passed away in St Vincent's Hospital following a period of illness. We express our sympathy to Petra his wife, to Fiona his daughter, Aedan his son, Phyllis his daughter-in-law, his sisters Saive and Dairine, and to his wider family and circle of friends. A service of thanksgiving was held at Calary Parish Church on 8th May, after which Manus' mortal remains went for cremation.

N & N NEWS

Baptisms at Newcastle

14th May 2017

Evan Ross Hamilton son of Orla and Ross, Season Park, Newtownmountkenny.

21st May 2017

Nessa Ellen Cullen daughter of Arlene and Richard, Rossmore Avenue, Newtownmountkenny.

Alex Jack Menzel son of Jill and Russell, Deerpark, Boghall Road, Bray

We pray that these children will bring many years of love and laughter to their families, and that they grow up to honour the promises made for them at baptism.

Lunch

The monthly lunch will take place on Thursday 15th June. Details to follow.

Coffee

Coffee continues every Tuesday morning from 10.30am in the sitting room at the Parish Centre. Everyone welcome.

Sustentation

A reminder to put your contribution towards the running of the parish on the plate in church, drop in to the office, or post to Andrew Sleeman. If you've lost your brown envelope do not despair—lots more in the office!

Goodbye and Thanks!

**Joan Dempsey
Conductor of the Junior Choir**

**Karen Kissane
Team Leader at Sunday School**

**Sandra Griffin, Siobhan Kennedy, Pamela Roe
Leaders at Sunday School**



The Male Models

Parish Fashion Show @ Fishers



Support Staff



Beautiful Models

N & N Clubs and Organisations

Bowls

The Bowls Club has wound up for this season. The new season commences on 31st August with the AGM the following week. Please note that this is a week earlier than announced in May PINS.

Table Tennis

The Table Tennis club will continue through the summer. Well done to the members who have brought back quite a few trophies lately.

Sunday School

The Sunday School Prize-giving will take place at the Family Service on Sunday 11th June. This will be followed by a BBQ in the grounds of the Parish Centre.

Parents and Toddlers

The group meets on a Monday morning in the Main Hall at the Parish Centre. Contact Kim Murphy at 087-2248884 to be added to the Whatsapp group to get updates or for more information.

Time Out

The prayer group will meet on Tuesdays 6th and 20th June from 8pm in the Parish Centre.

Youth Club

**Fridays
8—9.30pm**

Parish Centre



CastleKidz

Playschool

Parish Centre, Church Lane, Newcastle

Open 9am to 12.30pm

5 days a week

Full-time and Part-time places

ECCE and non-ECCE

**Lovely rural setting
within sight of the castle**

**Bright modern facilities
2 outdoor spaces
(one on artificial grass and
one large natural play area)
Huge indoor hall**

**Emphasis on learning through play
French with a native speaker
Interacting with nature**

Phone: 087-2866889





Goodbye and Good Luck in the Future to St Francis Sixth Class:
Nathan Behan, Sienna Dowdall, Alanna Geraghty, Ella Herdman,
Ella Holt, Mia Kissane, Ella Lang, Tilly Magee Baker,
Theodore Mariyasingarayan, James Noonan, Jessica O'Neill,
Simon Plant, Rebecca White, Adam Williams



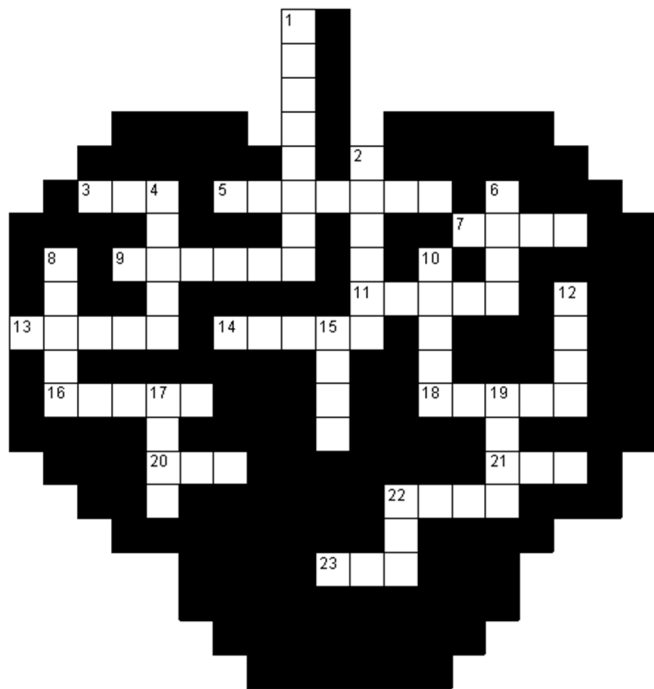
*Castle
Kidz
Outing
to
Sealife
in
Bray*

**Time to say goodbye from the Playschool
to William Roche and Harry Duffy.
We'll miss you.
Good Luck in Big School!**



Children's Page

Creation



Across

- God removed one of these from man to make woman
- Creatures
- What God used to water the Garden
- To make from nothing
- Our planet
- Healing type plants
- Eve was the first one
- Little night lights
- Grew in the garden; one was of life; one was of the knowledge of good and evil
- The heavens
- First woman
- The lesser light that rules the night
- The greater light that rules the day

Down

- Another name for the Garden of Eden
- The _____ of Eden
- They fly in the air
- These swim in the seas
- These are sown to grow plants; fruits reproduce by these
- Apples, oranges, and bananas
- God created our earth in 6 of these
- First man
- What God did on the 7th day
- Where God planted the first garden
- Adam was the first one

SERVICES IN JUNE

DATE	CHURCH	TIME	?	SERVICE	READING
Pentecost Sunday 4th	Calary SS	9.30	WB	HC	<i>Acts 2:1-21</i> <i>1 Cor. 12:3-13</i>
	St Matthew's	10.45	WB	HC	
	Newcastle	12.00	WB	HC	
Trinity Sunday 11th	Calary	9.30	WB	FS	<i>2 Cor. 13:11-13</i> <i>Matt. 28:16-20</i>
	St Matthew's	10.45	WB	MP	
	Newcastle	12.00	WB	FS + Sunday School Prizes + BBQ	
Sunday 18th	Calary SS	9.30	CT	MP	<i>Deut. 11:18-21 & 26-28</i> <i>Matt. 7:21-29</i>
	St Matthew's	10.45	CT	FS	
	Newcastle	12.00	CT	MP	
Sunday 25th	Calary SS	9.30	NS	MP	<i>Gen. 21:8-21</i> <i>Rom. 6:1-11</i> <i>Matt. 10:24-39</i>
	St Matthew's	10.45	NS	MP	
	Newcastle	12.00	NS	MP	



Holy Communion is celebrated every Wednesday, with prayer for the sick, at 10.30am in St Matthew's, followed by a cup of tea / coffee in the McLean Room. All welcome!

Please send any items for inclusion in July PINS to:
nandnparishoffice@gmail.com

Items must be received by MONDAY 19th JUNE