

Tops of The Parish

The third meeting of the Tops of the Parish with the different Areas. took place on Monday November 30th The report back from the different areas was very good, with all areas swinging in to action. There is huge interest in all the areas, which is excellent. Areas have to put it in to action now.

Group A. Drumpeha, Milltown, Booldoragh, Ballinree, Knocklonongad, Carnafeca

Contact. Persons, Mairead Kavanagh, Peter O'Rourke, 087 2564706, Sean Ryan, Thomas Kelly,

Group B. Roslee, Kylemaguish, Tourtane, Clonee, Strawduff, Shean, Ratheenwood,

Contact Persons, Tess Butler, 086 0825276, Kay Kavanagh, Marie Coogan.

Mairead O'Sullivan 087 7552486. Eddie Nolan 087 2847689. This group are meeting on Thursday December 10th at 8-00pm at the Naomh Eoin GAA club rooms. All interested in taking part are asked to come along.

Group C Myshall, Mountain View, St. Olivers, The Meadows, Aclare, Coolnasheaguan, Ballinacrea, Knockbrack, Ullard.

Contact Persons, Shelia McEvoy, Michael Whelan, 087 9034937 Willie Eustace, 087 2375609, Sean Keogh. 086 3503512. This group are meeting in the Naomh Eoin GAA club rooms on Monday evening at 8-00pm. All interested in taking part from all above area are asked to come along.

Group D, Knockindrane, Seskin, Rathnageeragh, Coolnasneaghta, Ratheenleigh.

Contact Persons, James Phelan, 087 2137576 Tom Treacy, Paddy Foley,

Group E. Croanruss, Bealalaw, Hollybrook, Ballinrush, Knockdrumagh,

Contact Persons. Lena Doyle, 059 91 57747, Shelia Ryan, Jimmy O'Neill, John Nolan, 087 7808781. .

Group F. Shangarry, Lismaconly, Ballaghmore, .

Contact Persons, Michael Nolan, 087 2041250 Tommy Murphy, 087 6256028 Joe Rooney 087 9050960 Pat Nolan, 087 6101773. This group will meet in the Clubhouse on Monday Dec 7th at 8 pm.

It is envisaged that all areas will have structures for their shows in place before Xmas, and then practice, training, and co ordination, during the month of January

It is envisaged that the shows will be staged mid to late February 2010.

The next general meeting of the areas will be Tuesday December 15th at 8-00 pm in the Naomh Eoin Clubhouse.

Table Quiz with a difference

The third and final 125 Carlow GAA Celebrations is a monster fun table Quiz On Tuesday December 8th. at the Naomh Eoin Club house at 8pm There will be five rounds on general knowledge and five real trendy rounds The rounds will be inter-mixed. All clubs are asked to send a table of three

Myshall/Drumpeha Parish Newsletter

Second Sunday of Advent

6th December 2009

Price 25c



Priests Phone Numbers:

Fr Philip O'Shea, P.P

059-9157635

087-9808791

Fr Brendan Howard, P.P

053- 9377291

087-6232654



When God comes, he comes with power but also with compassion restoring all things. We can prepare the way of his coming with lives of holiness

Masses for the coming week – Myshall

Sat 5th at 7.30 pm Patrick (Chas) Murphy
Coolasheegaun

Sun 6th at 11 am

Mon 7th at 7.30 pm Vigil Mass

Tue 8th at 11 am The Immaculate
Conception

Fri 11th at 7.30 pm Christmas Station

Sat 12th at 7.30 pm Tom O'Brien
Aclare

Sun 13th at 11 am

Readers:

Mon 7th: Joe Rooney

Tue 8th: Michael Doyle

Sat 12th: Alice Fagan

Sun 13th: Seamus Kearney

Eucharistic Ministers:

Mon 7th: P'J Walsh

Tue 8th: Margaret Doyle

Sat 12th: Andy Ryan

Vincent Dunne

Sun 13th: Mary Keogh

Mass Servers:

Fri 11th: Keelan Cunningham

Colm Nolan

Readers:

Tue 8th: James Whelan

Sun 13th: Eileen Eagers

Eucharistic Ministers:

Tue 8th: Kathleen Donohue

Sun 13th: Ann Ryan

Masses for the coming week-Drumpeha

Sun 6th at 9.30 am

Tue 8th at 9.30 am The Immaculate
Conception

Christmas Station

Sun 13th at 9.30 am

Special Notices

- **Parish Office** will be open on Wednesdays from 9.30—11.30 am.
- **Myshall Community Centre Bookings** will be taken by caretaker Leo Farrell at the following times:
 - Monday to Thursday 10 am - 12.30 pm and 4.30 - 6 pm
 - Friday from 10 am - 12.30 pm and 4.30 - 5.30 pm.Leo can be contacted at 087 7959736.

Parish Collections: Nov 28/29

Offertory: € 662.64

Envelopes: € 319.50

Annual Church Gate Collection in aid of St Vincent De Paul Society on Sat & Sun Dec 5th & 6th

Invalid Visitation on Monday December 14th If there is anybody who is ill and would like the priest to call during visitations, please contact the Parochial House

The Christmas gift this year is a FRIDGE MAGNET which will adhere to any metal surface, it seems to be causing some confusion.

Christmas Choir for Myshall Church. It would be nice to be able to have a choir for Christmas time. There will be a meeting in Myshall Church on Monday Dec 7th at 8 pm for anyone interested in forming a choir.

Christmas Stations in :

Drumpea Church on Tuesday Dec 8th at 9,30 am

Myshall Church on Friday Dec 11th at 7.30 pm

Christams Confessiopns in Drumpea Church on Thursday Dec 17th at 7.30 pm

Myshall / Drumpea Senior Citizens Christmas Party is on

Sun 13th December 2009 in Talbot Hotel Carlow, meal is at 5pm and bus leaving Myshall at 4.30pm. Those wishing to attend please let any committee member know.

MYSHALL GAA LOTTO

No Jackpot Winner

Numbers Drawn :

Match 3 winner received € each :

**NEXT
WEEKS
JACKPOT
€ 3000**

Sellers Prize:

Next weeks draw will be held in Robert's, Myshall on Tue Dec 18th at 10.30

GARRYHILL HANDBALL CLUB.

Handball training for Juveniles starting on Friday the 11th of December at 6.30pm.

Boys and Girls between 12 and 15 are welcome.

Boys and girls under 12 will be trained on Tuesday nights starting on the 8th of Dec at 6.30pm.

Juvenile membership. Under 14 €10. Under 16 €15

For further information contact Sean Ryan at 0872609720

James Jordan, Hurleys & Repair, Newtown, St Mullins. All hurley sizes now in stock Juvenile sizes 18—32 inch, Senior From 34-36. Now available to order. Cooper helmets as well as Cooper hurling balls, wall balls & first touch balls. Order early for Christmas to avoid disappointment, Contact James at 0872750912

MYSHALL HALL COMMITTEE MEETING will take place on **Wednesday next Dec. 9th at 8 p.m. in the Community Centre.**

CHRISTMAS EVE IN MYSHALL

O.K. so we don't have meteor to text everyone to ask them to turn up in the village on Christmas Eve to sing carols or as we said last week to 'bring back the spirit of Christmas' so we are using the parish newsletter insteadremember.....Christmas Eve at the outdoor cribfurther instalments next week

St. Finian's AC & Myshall Community Games

European Cross Country Championships will take place in Santry on Sunday Dec 13th. Any Senior AAI member can avail of half price admission for €10 –tickets should be purchased by De 7th. For Juvenile members admission is free. Anyone interested should contact Kathleen O'Hars at 087 2659308.

Angies Hair Salon, The Gables, Garryhill. 25 years experience. OAP's & student rates. Call 059 97270707 or 087 7943539 for appointment.

Tulow Community School

Will be close on the following dates;

Tuesday December 8th—Staff Day (No Pupils)

Monday December 14th—Classes finish at 12.30 pm. Parent Teacher Meeting for 6th yr pupils from 1.30—4 pm

Please Note –items for inclusion in The Parish Newsletter must be

- left into the Parish Office or by phone to the secretary (9157731) or
- by e-mail to myshallparishnewsletter@hotmail.com by 8 pm each Wed.

We remember in our prayers those who have died recently



Liam Doyle, Maganey formerly Myshall
Margaret(Maggie) Kelly, Raheenleigh
Maureen O'Connell, Lacken

May they rest in peace

Our sympathy to their families and those who mourn