

**CRISP Centre Myshall** now has 10 new laptops with super fast broadband connection. We offer open access in the centre on Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Thursdays. We also offer photo-copying, fax & typing service . An Internet & Email course will begin on Tue March 9th and a beginners course will start on Thursday March 11th. For further details contact Julie on 059 9157787..

### **MYSHALL MUINTIR NA TÍRE**

The first meeting of 2010 will take place on Tuesday March 9<sup>th</sup>. Everyone is invited to this meeting as a three year strategy for Tidy Towns needs to be discussed as well as other projects. Meanwhile don't forget to tune into the website myshalldrumphea.com

### **St. Patricks Day Parade**

Thanks

The organising committee of the St. Patrick's Day Parade, wish to acknowledge and thank everyone for their outstanding support at last weekend's church gate collection. The collection raised €635

The Parish of Myshall and Drumpeha annual St.Patrick's Day parade will take place on Wednesday March 17th commencing at 11-45. Grand Marshall for the parade will be Danny O'Neill. Killeshin Pipe band will also attend. There is a call for more people from the parish to join forces and enter floats, It would be nice to see all business's take part. People can take part as marching, individual, in teams or as duets and do their party piece. There will be prizes for best floats and the best walking groups The Parade is for everyone. At the moment Myshall, Drumpeha and Garryhill National Schools pupils are busy taking part in the art competition and all their work will be displayed in all the windows in the village. There will be street entertainment as well. Tell your friends about the parade and looking forward to a great day.

The organising committee are holding a Cabaret to help defray costs of Parade this Saturday evening in Roberts lounge . Adm. €2 all are welcome.

### **Tops Of The Parish**

Naomh Eoin GAA club who are organising and hosting The Tops of the Parish and will stage two shows on Friday March 19th commencing at 8 p.m and two shows on Friday March 26th also at eight pm. Adm. €5 each .The four shows will be good and not to be missed.

### **Cairde Ceatharloch Draw,**

Naomh Eoin GAA club are selling the Cairde Ceatharloch five monthly draw tickets for a brand new car each month plus holidays and cash. The club has to sell the first Twenty Five and the monies go to the Centre of Excellence. Any ticket after that sold and the club gets €60 . A lot of people bought tickets from neighbouring clubs around last year. This year we ask you to help and by one from Naomh Eoin. Contact Andy Ryan, Har Smithers, Gary Murphy, Sean Keogh, Tommy Murphy, Michael Mullins, Jimmy O. Neill, James Nolan,; Tickets are twenty euro a month or €100 in one payment.

## **Myshall/Drumpeha Parish Newsletter**

**Third Sunday of Lent**

**7th March 2010**

**Price 25c**



### **Priests Phone Numbers:**

**Fr Philip O'Shea, P.P**

059-9157635

087-9808791

**Fr Brendan Howard, P.P**

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Today's Gospel is a reminder of the need for conversion– for a change of direction in our lives. We cannot presume forever on the mercy of God.

### **Masses for the coming week – Myshall**

Sat 6th at 7.30 pm ass

Sun 7th at 11 am

Mon 8th at 9 am

Tue 9th at 9 am

Fri 12th at 7.30 pm

Sat 13th at 7.30 pm

Sun 14th at 11 am

### **Readers:**

Sat 13th: Alice Fagan

Sun 14th: Marie Nolan

### **Eucharistic Ministers:**

Sat 13th: Andy Ryan

Vincent Dunne

Sun 14th: Mary Keogh

### **Mass Servers:**

Fri 12th Aisling Rooney

Gillian Murray

### **Masses for the coming week-Drumpeha**

Sun 7th at 9.30 am

Sun 14th at 9.30 am

### **Reader:**

Sun 14th: Eilis Eagers

### **Eucharistic Minister:**

Sun 14th: Ann Ryan

## 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 087 7959736.

**Parish Collections: Feb 27/28**  
**Offertory: €572.73**  
**Envelopes: €530.60**

**Annual Church Gate Collection** in aid of the Carlow branch of Multiple Sclerosis will take place on Sat.6th and Sun.7th.of March.

**Invalid Visitation will be on Monday March 8th** If there is anybody who is ill and would like the priest to call during visitations, please contact the Parochial House as soon as possible

### **St Lazerian's Church Drumpea Bicentenary**

At the meeting to organize the Bicentenary it was decided to change the date to weekend of Graveyard Ceremony in Drumpea with Graveyard Mass being on Fri 9th July and Bicentenary on Sunday 11th July

**Annual Chrism Mass** which will take place on **Wednesday, 31<sup>st</sup> March in the Cathedral of the Assumption, Carlow at 7.30pm**. This is the Mass which takes place each Holy Week at which the Holy Oils are blessed for use in the various Parishes of our Diocese throughout the year.

As you may be aware the Diocesan Choir has sung at the Chrism Mass for a number of years. It provides a very important service for the Diocese and since there are few such events it is important to have as much support as possible. These events provide an opportunity for **All Parishes** in the Diocese to come together and share a common unity of music, prayer and support. It is also an opportunity to learn new music which can be of further use within the local Parish. **ALL** people who sing in the various Choirs around the Diocese to come and join us for this special event. The Diocesan Choir is open to **ALL** Parish Choirs members, regardless of whether you have been involved before or not. Most of the music chosen will be known to you previously and there will be a short Rehearsal at **6.30pm** for all who are coming to take part in the Liturgy. Refreshments will be provided after the Chrism Mass.

*We remember in our prayers those who have died recently*



Margaret Mc Gee ( nee Nolan), Killeshin Road, Carlow  
Patrick Furlong, Knockroe

May they rest in peace  
Our sympathy to their families and those who mourn

## MYSHALL GAA LOTTO

*No Jackpot Winner*

**Numbers Drawn : 2 : 7 : 15 : 21**

**Match 3 winner received € 40 each :**

Margaret Smithers, Ballinacree; Liz O'Brien, Lismaonly;  
Mick Doorley, Kildavin; P.J Spruhan, Knockdrumagh;  
Kathleen Fitzgerald, Myshall

**Sellers Prize:** Majella Case, Myshall

**Next weeks draw** will be held in Myshall Inn on Tue March 9th at 10.30

**NEXT  
WEEKS  
JACKPOT  
€ 4400**

**Myshall Drumpea Parish Pastoral Council** meeting in the Parochial House on Friday March 12th at 8.15 pm. All members asked to attend.

**FUND RAISING DANCE** in aid of St. Patrick's Centre, Kells Road, Kilkenny ( catering for people with intellectual disabilities) will be held in The Lord Bagenal Hotel, Leighlinbridge on Wednesday March 17th. Donation €10. Doors open at 8.45 pm. Tickets available from usual sources and at the door on the night.

Dancing to ' Cupla' and 'Ryan Brothers' Bands. Please support

**Hip Hop** on Saturdays in the new GAA Grounds 3-8 yr olds 10 –11 am , 8-15 yr olds 11am—12 noon. Any queries contact Josephine Slye 087 9419165

**Myshall/Drumpea Senior Citizens** PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF DATE: As St Patrick's day falls on 17th March, it has been decided to hold the monthly Bingo a week earlier on Wed 10th March in Myshall Community Centre from 8- 10pm. All welcome.

**Myshall Garden Club** Next meeting on Monday March 15th at 8 pm in the Community Centre. Guest speaker on the night will be Fionnula Ryan. Raffle & cuppa. All welcome.

**Myshall ICA** Guild meeting in Myshall Community Centre on Tuesday March 9th at 8 pm.

Myshall ICA Annual Summer Trip takes place from Sunday June 27th to Friday July 2nd to Westport Woods Hotel. For information contact Ann At 087 9404194

**Dawn Mass - Easter Sunday Morning at 6:00am on April 4<sup>th</sup> the Nine Stones area on Mount Leinster. Celebrate the New Dawn on this Easter Morning.**

**ALL ARE WELCOME**

Items for inclusion in newsletter can be

- Left into the Parish Office
- Emailed to myshallparishnewsletter@hotmail.com
- By phone to the secretary at 9157731 by 8 pm each Wednesday