

Obligation to attend Sunday/Holyday Masses: Mass on Sunday and Holydays is once again deemed to be an obligation. Gradual Easing of Covid-19 policies and procedures: Parishioners should continue to wear a mask/face covering while in the Church and sanitise their hands as they enter and leave. Seating on the left side of the church will maintain a 2m distance to accommodate those who wish to remain socially distanced. Any queries contact the office or ask a member of the team in the church. Parish Office Opening Hours: Interim office opening hours remain Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, from 9am-5pm



## <u>ST MARY'S AGHAGALLON FAMILY FUN DAY</u> TODAY!

1.30pm – 5.30pm at the Colane Pitch.BBQ, Bouncy Castles, Pet Farm, Games, Tombola, Music and much more...ADMISSION FREE.Fun for all the Family, Everyone Welcome!

# FAMILY FUN DAY PARK AND RIDE SERVICE: Parking at

the pitch will be limited to those only who have mobility issues; therefore, a Park & Ride service will be operating. To access the park & ride buses please park in the Church car park at the village. Free return buses will run all day between the church and the fun day at the pitch. The first bus will be leaving at 1.15pm and at regular intervals throughout the day as needed.

**Wexford Parish Pilgrimage to the Holy Land 2023:** Departing on 21<sup>st</sup> March 2023 for 8 nights, includes daily breakfast and evening meals served at the hotels, return flights from Dublin to Tel Aviv and a complete programme of sightseeing and visits to important biblical places. For full details and itinerary email info@joewalshtours.ie

WEEKLY BULLETIN Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> August 2022 20<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time.

Weekly Collection: £1329.62 Monthly Stipend: £893.92

Thank you

Recent Expenditure: Shrine Maintenance and Candles £318.53

WEEKLY MASS SCHEDULE Monday: 10.00am Tuesday: 7.00pm Wednesday: 10.00am Thursday: 7.00pm *(Novena Prayers)* Friday: 10.00am *(First Friday 7pm)* Saturday: 7.00pm *(Vigi)* Sunday: 9.00am & 11.00am CONFESSIONS Thursday before Mass

## MINISTRY OF WELCOME

#### We welcome Luca, who was baptised recently into our parish family.

**Baptisms:** Please email the office for a booking form and more details. Baptisms take place the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the month at 12 noon and on Thursday evenings at 6pm. At least one month's notice is required, during which parents meet with a member of our Baptismal Team and the family attends the 11am Sunday Mass weekly, prior to the Baptism. If families are unable to complete the preparation or attend Mass, the Baptism will be rebooked to a time when they can. A total of 20 people are permitted to attend.

**Weddings:** Wedding guests must continue to follow all guidance and adhere to policies and procedures put in place to ensure the safety of all. Couples must contact Fr Declan six months before the date of their wedding to arrange to complete the necessary paperwork. Couples are also required to attend a pre-marriage course. A Wedding Mass is only offered to those who attend Mass in the parish *weekly* during the six-month notice of marriage period.

#### **RECENTLY DECEASED**

Maurice Lavery Fr Martin Dowley Nuala McConaghy Anne Hanna ANNIVERSARIES AT THIS TIME

Colin Toomey Margaret McCavigan Gerald Campbell Rosaleen Barbour (59) Annie Maria Lavery Anniversary Mass on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> August at 7pm Anniversary Mass on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> August at 7pm Anniversary Mass on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> August at 7pm Elizabeth Anne Tallon (1) Betty Hyndman(18)

The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary- Monday 15<sup>th</sup> August – Holy Day of Obligation Masses at 10am and 7pm

During the Feast of the Assumption we rejoice in Mary, our mother in faith, and give praise to God for her faithfulness, obedience, and love. As we celebrate her life and unite to proclaim her assumption into

her eternal reward in heaven, we are reminded to renew our own hope and faith.

"Taken up into Heaven, Mary shows us the way to God, the way to Heaven and the way to life" Pope St. John Paul 11

**Volunteers Needed:** We are planning to get our groups running in the parish again. These include Children's Liturgy, Growing in Faith Programme, and a Visitation Group. For more details and if you want to help, please contact the parish office.

### More Important days this week ......

St Stephen of Hungary (Mem) – Tuesday 16th August Our Lady of Knock (Mem) – Wednesday 17th August St John Eudes (Mem) – Friday 19<sup>th</sup> August St Bernard (Mem)– Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> August

Parish Office Tel: 02892651214 Email: parishofaandb@yahoo.co.uk. Parish Office open Tuesday – Thursday 10am-4pm. All insertions for the bulletin please leave in the Parochial house red post box, email or phone the parish office before 4pm on Tuesday.

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