

**KILCOCK & NEWTOWN PARISH BULLETIN**  
**28<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – 13<sup>th</sup> OCT 2024**

**PARISH DIARY**

**Adoration** Monday 14<sup>th</sup> from 10.30am-1pm and a change this year with repose at 1pm the second Monday of every month. All welcome.

**Autumn Collection for Priests of the Parish** Please use envelopes at the back of the Church.

**Holy Rosary** in the Square every Saturday at 12 noon. All welcome.

**Healing Mass Church of the Nativity 26<sup>th</sup> October at 2pm.**

**Readers for this weekend:** Sat 6pm – Ashling Braken, Sun 9am – Dermot Sheehan & 12 noon – Kulli Adamberg.

**Eucharistic Ministers for this weekend** - Sat 6pm Breda Hopkins & Tom Doherty; Sun 9am – Cora Walsh & Dympna Deegan & 12 noon – Jean Rickard & Claire Dunne.

**Newtown Cemetery-** It has come to our attention that graves in Newtown Cemetery have been tampered with and flowers gone missing. Please be vigilant.

**IN MEMORIAM**

We ask prayers for Michael McGearty, Connaught Street whose Funeral took place during the week also Remember Brendan Mooney RIP Clane/Edenderry husband of Nora Byrne.

**SONGS OF HOPE ST COCA'S CURCH 6<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER**

Special Thanks to Donal Noonan & The Archdiocesan Choir of Atlanta GA along with Enrika & our Parish Choirs. Such an uplifting evening putting pep in all our steps. Thanks to all who helped in any way and contributed. Total Raised €1939.00.

**Communion & Confirmation Enrolments**

October 12<sup>th</sup> COMMUNION: SCN/SJ/ SUR. 6PM Kilcock  
October 13<sup>th</sup> COMMUNION: NT/ TM. 10.30 AM Newtown  
October 19<sup>th</sup> CONFIRMATION: SCN/SJ/ SUR .6PM Kilcock  
October 20<sup>th</sup> CONFIRMATION: NT/ TM. 10.30 AM Newtown

**ENROLMENT FOR 2025**

Scoil Choca Naofa, Kilcock - email: [office@scoilchoca.ie](mailto:office@scoilchoca.ie); [www.scoilchoca.ie](http://www.scoilchoca.ie) and phone 01 6287967.

Applications for enrolment into Scoil Choca Naofa for 2025 will be accepted from Fri, 25<sup>th</sup> Oct – Fri, 13<sup>th</sup> Nov. Please complete the Admissions form online at [www.scoilchoca.ie](http://www.scoilchoca.ie).

**28<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

In the gospel we read how riches kept a young man from becoming a disciple of Jesus. We are disciples of Jesus. But we don't follow him as closely as we should. Let us reflect for a moment on what is preventing us.

Lord Jesus, you help us to take care of our material needs without neglecting our spiritual needs.

**Lord, have mercy.**

You help us to take care of others without neglecting ourselves.

**Christ, have mercy.**

You help us to live joyfully in this world without losing sight of the world to come.

**Lord, have mercy.**

*Jesus invited the young man to follow him, but riches got in the way. Even though Jesus was sad to see him go, nevertheless, he let him go. There's no point in forcing people to make sacrifices. If you take things from people, they are impoverished; but if you can get them to give them up, they are enriched. People are essentially good, but this goodness has to be awakened and called forth, if they are to enter the kingdom of love.*

**SACRAMENTS FOR 2024/2025**

**COMMUNION**

Sun, 11 <sup>th</sup> May	St. Joseph's NS	12 noon
Sun, 18 <sup>th</sup> May	Tiermohan & Newtown NS	10am
Sun, 18 <sup>th</sup> May	Scoil Choca Naofa	12 noon
Sun, 25 <sup>th</sup> May	Scoil Uí Riada	12 noon

**CONFIRMATION**

Sat, 22 <sup>nd</sup> Mar	Scoil Uí Riada	10am
	Newtown & Tiermohan NS	12 noon
	Scoil Choca Naofa & St. Joseph's NS	2pm

St. Marys Band, Maynooth are holding a concert in the Church of Ireland Maynooth on Sat, 19<sup>th</sup> Oct at 7.30pm, special guests "4 in a Bar". Tickets are €10 - call Paddy on 087 2537906.

Due to the continuing success of our Ógras Club Gaeilge in Tiermohan NS, we wish to recruit new leaders.

Our Club Gaeilge meets every second Friday, 7.30pm-8.30pm during term time and caters for 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Year students in Secondary School who are past pupils of Tiermohan NS. Leaders must have fluent Irish and also have Garda vetting. Enquiries please to [ogras@tiermohanns.ie](mailto:ogras@tiermohanns.ie) or phone 045 869442.

## PARISH LOTTO –TUE, 8<sup>th</sup> OCT ‘24

Lotto Nos. 7-8-12-33

**NO Winner**                      **Next Jackpot: €18,000**

**(3x€50) Winners:** Anne Devine, Paddy Doherty, Josie Mallon.

**(2x€50) Promoters:** Brendan Leonard, Anne Devine.

*Thank you for your continued support.*

*Yearly/half-yearly lotto tickets - ideal gifts for any occasion.*

## CAPPAGH LOTTO – TUE, 8<sup>th</sup> OCT ‘24

Lotto Nos. 21-24-29

**NO Winner**                      **Next Jackpot: €4,300**

**(5x€20) Winners** Niamh Mullally, Gary Timmons, John O Connor, Zoe Flood, Helen Kennedy.

*Thank you for your continued support.*

## FATIMA 2025

Fatima Pilgrimage, 17<sup>th</sup>-22<sup>nd</sup> Apr. 2025 – Escorted tour with James Treacy as Group Leader. Cost per person is €859 p.p. sharing, non-refundable €300 deposit required to secure place. For more details, phone 061 921470.

## GAA LOTTO – SUN, 6<sup>th</sup> Oct ‘24

Lotto Nos. 9-17-26-30

**NO Winner**                      **Next Jackpot: €20,000**

**(5x€25) Winners:** Valerie Farrelly, Denise Corr, James Foran, Niamh O Rourke, N,J,S +D.

**Promoters:** Gus Bourke, L’Horizon.

*Thank you for your continued support.*

## KILCOCK MEALS ON WHEELS

It is planned to launch a “Meals on Wheels” service in October in Kilcock & Newtown parish to provide older community members access to freshly prepared meals for a low fee. Initially, we plan to deliver a two-course, locally sourced, meal twice a week. If you are interested, or know anyone who is, please send name and contact details to [KilcockMOW@gmail.com](mailto:KilcockMOW@gmail.com).

**Active Retirement Group** – Christmas Party in Cabra Castle, Kingscourt on Tue, 10<sup>th</sup> Dec. Reception at 1pm followed by a 5-course dinner with music and dancing till 7pm. Bus will arrive back in Kilcock 9pm approx. Cost is €89 & open to all.

**Autumn Art Classes** in Old Schoolhouse, Staplestown on Mon, 10.30am-12.30pm & 7pm-9pm; Wed. 10.30am-12.30pm. All welcome - enjoy working at your own pace in a relaxed and friendly space. For details, ph. Joan 085 8466020.

## MASSES FOR THE WEEK

### St. Coca’s, Kilcock

Sat, 12 <sup>th</sup> Oct	6pm	Mary & Thomas Mulligan (Anniv) & remembering their son Sean	
Sun, 13 <sup>th</sup> Oct	9am		
	12 noon	Mary Delaney, Courtown Park (1 <sup>st</sup> Anniv) Margaret Mulligan, Courtown Road (Anniv) & remembering her husband Matthew and their son Matthew Margaret Leonard, Connaught St. (Anniv) & remembering her husband James Hugh & Elizabeth Murphy & their daughter Eilish (Anniv)	
Mon, 14 <sup>th</sup> Oct	10am	Shared Mass for the Living	<b><u>ADORATION 10.30am-1pm</u></b>
Tue, 15 <sup>th</sup> Oct	10am	Shared Mass for the Deceased	
Wed, 16 <sup>th</sup> Oct	10am	Mark Byrne (Anniv)	
Thu, 17 <sup>th</sup> Oct	10am		<b><u>ADORATION 7pm-8pm</u></b>
Fri, 18 <sup>th</sup> Oct	10am		
Sat, 19 <sup>th</sup> Oct	6pm	Caoimhe Mullally, Courtown Park, (30 <sup>th</sup> Birthday Remembrance & 15 <sup>th</sup> Anniv)	
Sun, 20 <sup>th</sup> Oct	9am		
	12 noon	Maura Dwyer (M.M) & remembering her cousin Nick McCabe (whose 4 <sup>th</sup> Anniv occurs this time) Michael Bird (40 <sup>th</sup> Anniv) & Remembering his wife Lucy & sons Brian O’Reilly late of Pinewood (R.I.P) recently deceased	

### Church of the Nativity, Newtown

Sun, 13 <sup>th</sup> Oct	10.30am	Kathleen Maher (1 <sup>st</sup> Anniv) Patricia Kenna, Cappagh (Anniv) Tommy McLoughlin (Anniv)	
Wed, 9 <sup>th</sup> Oct	11am	Adoration	
Sun, 20 <sup>th</sup> Oct	10.30am	James Lynam (1 <sup>st</sup> Anniv) and all who are buried in Hortland Cemetery Pat Mooney (30 <sup>th</sup> Anniv) & remembering his grandson Tyler & deceased members of the Mooney Family John Flood (Anniv) & remembering the Flood & O’Reilly Families and Tim Lovely	

Kilcock & Newtown Parish Development Fund – 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Oct. 2024: €1,270.00; Offertory Collection: €437.00. Thanks to all who contributed, collected and counted. Kilcock & Newtown Benevolent Fund: A/C 4475: Kilcock Credit Union. All donations welcome!