

# Ferbane Parish Bulletin

Sunday 2nd June 2024

Corpus Christi

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## CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION, FERBANE

SATURDAY 1st JUNE - 7pm

1. David Cullinan, Joe Hickey and deceased members of the Cullinan and Hickey families.
2. Denis Jordan.

SUN. 2nd JUNE (Corpus Christi) - 11am

1. Marcella Flanagan Daly.
2. Brian Gilligan.
3. Mary Grehan Wyse and her grandson Ciarán.
4. John Corcoran and deceased family members.

Mon. 3rd: 10am

Tues. 4th: 10am - People's Mass.

Wed. 5th: 10am

Thurs. 6th: 10am

Fri. 7th: 10am - First Friday.

Sat. 8th: 10am - Tony McCarthy.

SATURDAY 8th JUNE - 7pm

1. Mary & John Egan, Creggan.
2. Oliver Keenaghan (2nd A).

SUNDAY 9th JUNE - 11am

50th Anniversary Ordination of Monsignor Pat Browne.

## SS. PATRICK & SARAN, HIGH STREET

SUN. 2nd JUNE (Corpus Christi) - 12 noon

1. Joe & Annie Kenny.
2. Michael & Bridget Ryan, Mullaghature and deceased members of the Ryan and Gleeson families.

3. Mary Jo, Maura and Bertie McKeown. Barney, Tommy, Mary Bea and Paddy Kenny, Fadden.

Fri. 7th: 8pm - First Friday.

Michael Melia (15th A), his parents Eileen & Patrick, his baby son Alan, his brother baby Gerard and deceased family members.

SUNDAY 9th JUNE - 12 noon

1. Pat & Tessie Coughlan and their daughter Patricia.

## ST. OLIVER PLUNKETT, BOORA

SUN. 2nd JUNE (Corpus Christi) - 9.30am

Fri. 7th: 7pm - First Friday, Colin Kenny.

SUNDAY 9th JUNE - 9.30am

## GOLDEN JUBILEE

Monsignor Pat Browne will celebrate 11am Mass on Sunday next, 9th June, to mark the 50th anniversary of his Ordination. Cup of tea afterwards in St. Cynoc's Junior School. All welcome. Ad Multos Annos.

**MASSES** - All ceremonies can be heard on 106.5FM Parish Radio. Parish bulletin is available on www.ferbaneparish.ie.

**FEAST OF THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS**  
Next Friday, June 7th.

**COLLECTIONS** - May 26th:

Offertory/Shrine €2,390. Bank Account details - IBAN: IE39 BOFI 9016 3475 9072 05.

Thank you for your continued support.

**PARISH OFFICE** - Open every Wednesday from 9am-1pm and 2-5pm. Tel: 090 6454309 or email parishoffice@ferbaneparish.ie.

**BAPTISM** - We welcome into our Christian Community Jack Mooney and Dawson Hayes.

**SVP** - Confidential phone line 087 9272877.

**HIGH STREET CEMETERY** - Maintenance of the cemetery continues every Tuesday evening at 7pm. More volunteers urgently required.

**GALLEN UNITED** - *Lotto Draw* (Prize fund €9,400; Jackpot €3,000; Star Prize €6,400). Winning numbers were 4, 9, 16, 19. Bonus 14. No jackpot winner. 3 match three winners. Next draw on **Tuesday 4th June**. *Gallen United AGM* on **Thursday 13th June** in the Heritage Centre at 8pm. Everyone welcome.

**FERBANE GAA** - *Lotto*: Winning numbers in last week's draw 7, 13, 26, 27. Bonus 29. No jackpot winner. Six match 3 winners. Next week's jackpot is €16,400. Draw on **Tuesday 4th June**.

**BELMONT GAA** - Congratulations to last week's winners. Books available in Cahill's until 9pm every Tuesday and online until 2pm Wednesday.

**COFFEE MORNING** - Continues on Wednesday 5th June in the Bridge Hall, Ballycumber Road at 10.30am. Bus service as usual. All are welcome.

**KILREHAN CEMETERY** - Grass cutting each Wed. evening at 7pm. More volunteers needed please.

**TABLE QUIZ** - In aid of Sr. Paula Healy for the Missions in Gleeson's Bar, Ferbane on **Friday 7th June** at 9.30pm. Tables of 4 - €40. Raffle on the night.

**PROGRESSIVE 25** - Cards every Friday night in Ferbane Heritage Centre at 9pm. All welcome.

**MUSHROOM CULTIVATION** - Saturday 8th June, 10am - 5pm. €50 - €80. Learn how to grow your own delicious mushrooms. To register: CooleEcoCommunity.ie or call Siobhán 089-2196045.

**FAMILY COLOUR DASH** - St. Cynoc's National School are hosting a **Family Colour Dash Fun Run/Walk** on **Saturday 8th June** at 2pm in Ferbane Business Park. Your support would be much appreciated.

**BELMONT & DISTRICT FISHING CLUB** - *Anglers Open Competition* on **Sunday 9th June** at the Match Stretch, Shannon Harbour. Registration and draw at 12 noon. Fishing 2pm until 6pm. Entry fee €10. Prizes on the day. For more info. please contact 087 9383553. Booking is essential to know how many is attending for pegs purposes. All are welcome.

**ANAM CARA MIDLANDS** - Is holding its monthly Parent Evening for bereaved parents on **Wednesday 12th June** at 7.15pm in the Mullingar Park Hotel. This event is **FREE** and open to all bereaved parents. For more information call 01 4045378.

**BEAT ON THE PEAT** - Will take place in Moystown on **Sunday 30th June**. Tickets are €30 (plus €2.50 booking fee), under 16's free. Purchase tickets online at willwego.com/beat-on-the-peat.

**FERBANE BELMONT CE** - We currently have vacancies on our scheme for three Groundspeople/Caretakers, three General Operatives and one Caretaker Cleaner. Successful applicants will continue with all existing benefits with a scheme top up. All successful participants can also avail of training and upskilling. Call 090 6454068.

**BHM COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT GROUP Belmont** - Have completed a number of clean-ups in the last few weeks and are planning a number more before judging begins in mid June for Super Valu 2024 Tidy Towns Competition.

**OFFALY PROLIFE** - Are asking supporters to check voting advice ahead of the Local and European Elections on the PLC website, prolifecampaign.ie.

**WOMENS GROUP FERBANE** - We would like to sincerely thank everyone who came out to support our first Table Quiz. Many thanks to all who sponsored raffle prizes on the night.

**COMFORT HOMECARE** - Have Home Support Worker vacancies in Ferbane. Part-time and full-time opportunities available. Level 5 qualification in QQI desirable but not essential as full training will be provided. Please contact manageroffaly@

## CORPUS CHRISTI

The Feast of Corpus Christi originated in 1246 when Robert de Torote, bishop of Liege ordered the festival to be celebrated in his diocese. He was persuaded to initiate the feast by St. Juliana, prioress of Mount Cornillon near Liege (1222-58), who had experienced a vision of a full moon with one dark spot on it. It was revealed to her that the full moon represented the Church and the dark spot symbolised the fact that a great feast in honour of the Blessed Sacrament was missing from the liturgical calendar. When Jacques Pantaleon formerly archdeacon of Liege became Pope Urban IV he ordered the whole Church to observe the feast with the promulgation of the Bull 'Transiturus De Hoc Mundo' (1264). Urban's order was confirmed by Pope Clement V at the Council of Vienna (1311-12). Pope Urban had also been influenced by the 'Eucharistic Miracle of Bolsena' when the Precious Blood flowed from the host during Mass being celebrated by Fr. Pietro da Praga (1263) who was struggling with belief in the Real Presence. By the mid-14th century the festival was generally accepted and in the 15th century it became, in effect, one of the principal feasts of the Church.

'The Eucharist is truly a glimpse of heaven appearing on earth'. (St. John Paul II).