

MASS TIMES This WEEKLoughmore

Vigil Mass	8.00pm
Sunday	11.00am
Monday, Thursday & Friday	9.30am
Tuesday	No Mass
Wednesday	8.00pm

Castleiney

Vigil Mass	7.00pm
Sunday	10.00am
Monday to Wednesday	9.30am
Thursday and Friday	No Mass

Thank You

Last week's Offertory Collection.

Loughmore €368

Parish Funds €320 Renovation Fund €48

Donate a Slate

Total Donate a Slate €23840

Total Renovation Fund €305,991.48

Castleiney Offertory Collection €208

Eucharistic Adoration in Castleiney Church on Tuesday from 10.00 to 11.00am and from 5.00pm to 9.00pm.

Loughmore Church on Thursday from 10.00am to 12.00 and 6.00pm to 10.00pm.

Clergy July Collection: A sincere thank you to all who contributed to the July collection for the priests of the Parish and of the Archdiocese. Your support is very much appreciated. A total of €1462 came in and this brings the total to €13,227. If you have forgotten this collection, your envelope will be welcome next weekend. Our target for this collection is €24,288.

Newly Baptised: We welcomed the following into the Christian Community through the Sacrament of Baptism. Charlie Thomas and Harry James sons of Jamie and Maria Cahill, Kilahara, Orlaith Marie Maher, daughter of Gerard & Catherine Maher, Graiguefrahane, Eoin David Cusack son of David & Patricia Cusack, Nenagh


In Memoriam


We remember our Deceased Relatives and friends
Recently Deceased

Sr Rosario Nolan Presentation Convent Midleton
late of Leugh Thurles

Catherine (Kitty) Delahunty Horse and Jockey
late of Cuguilla.

Next Weekend 21st /22nd July

LoughmoreCastleiney

Paddy Treacy Killanigan 7.00pm
Deceased Members Brennan Family The Village
10.00am

Michael Walsh The Village 10.00am

-May they Rest in Peace

Loughmore Church Fundraising Committee

A meeting will be held on this Monday night at 8.30 p.m. in Loughmore Parish Centre. Topic for discussion is the upcoming Harvest Festival which is organised for Sunday 2nd September 2012.

All are welcome.

Defibrillator: Responders for this week are:

Conor Eviston, Owen Ryan, Willie Ryan, Eamon Brennan and Stephen Shorley.

Hopefully by now, every household will have a magnet, which displays the phone number for defibrillator. Anyone wishing to purchase one can contact Liam on 087-7622267.

Loughmore- Castleiney GAA Lotto:

Numbers Drawn: 8, 10, 15 & 23 No Winner

Promoters Draw: Noel McGrath

In House Draw: Gerry Mackey

Lucky Dip Winners €40.00 each

Andrew Long Lisheenataggart

Dan Egan Aughall, Andy Brennan Gurteen

Johnny Harkins Drom

Next week's Jackpot €3650 Draw will take place in Stapleton's Bar next Wednesday at 9.30pm.

Progressive 25: this Sunday night at 8.45pm in Loughmore Parish Centre.

Items for next week Newsletter to be send to

bodwyerlong@gmail.com before Friday 1.00pm

Loughmore/Castleiney Juvenile GAA Club

Just a reminder that our Sports & Culture Week takes place in Cuguilla from this Monday to Friday, from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. each day. Once again we are delighted to have Noel Mc Grath available to help with the running of the activities.

The cost is as follows: - 1st Child €30, 2nd Child €25 and 3rd Child €20.

Dragons Den of Faith

Candidates come cap in hand to the Dragon's Den. The TV brief is for the candidates to bring new inventions or business plans to the den and pitch the idea before a team of business entrepreneurs who will fund the idea if they are suitably impressed. It isn't just the idea that is on trial but the candidate. How much research has he or she invested, how much passion, how much commitment, how much single mindedness.

Jesus calls his twelve disciples and sends them out into the villages to teach. He orders them to go two by two, taking with them nothing but a staff. What was the purpose of Jesus asking his disciples to travel light? Jesus wants their real resource to be the message they have taken with them. Without any means of support, the disciples' survival relies solely on the people who accept the message and take them in. It is all important that they deliver the message well, for it isn't just the message that is being tested but the messenger.

It is testament to the early teaching that the early disciples did their job very well. However, just because the message has survived the last two thousand years doesn't mean the job is done and dusted. Churches are closing, attendances are dropping, and ordinations are much fewer. The world is more secular and life's focus less spiritual. It is important that we continue to bring Jesus' teachings into today's platforms.

Today we are asked to look at ourselves objectively and question how we come across as messengers. Are we overbearing or ineffectual. Are we inspirational or are we confrontational. Are we informative or are we uninformative. How well do we compare with Jesus' first disciples?

