

Myshall Muintir Na Tire– Community Alert

Public Meeting

After a well attended meeting on Tuesday Feb 5th and great interest shown, it was decided to hold an Open Meeting on Wednesday Feb 27th at 8 pm in Myshall Community Centre, with a view to setting up a Text Alert System which is working well in other parishes in trying to prevent crime and making people more aware. It is hoped for a good representation from all areas of the parish, with 3 or more people from each towns land attending

VALENTINE'S SOCIAL NIGHT

NOW IS YOUR CHANCE TO HELP YOUR PARISH AND COMMUNITY CENTRE AND ENJOY YOURSELF AT THE SAME TIME – all you have to do is pay €10 for a ticket to the Valentine's Social Night on Saturday Feb. 16th in Myshall Community Centre which will entitle you to a meal and dancing. We look forward to meeting you there from around 9.30.

PUBLIC MEETING ORGANISED BY MYSHALL MUINTIR NA TÍRE

The February Muintir na Tíre meeting will take place on Thursday 14th in Myshall Community Centre at 8p.m. We are asking all members to attend and representatives from the various Residential Estates in the village.

Myshall/Drumpea Social History Group will hold their next meeting in Myshall Community Centre on 19th February at 8.00 p.m. when Seamus Murphy will give a talk on the geology of The Blackstairs..

The topic of conversation after the talk is "superstitions".

On Sunday, 24th February, the group will visit Garryhill House courtesy of the Darcy Family. The meeting point is outside of Nolan's Shop, Milltown, Garryhill at 2.45 p.m.. If you intend going please give your name at the next meeting or to Breda at 085-8246825 as we need to know the numbers who intend going.

Myshall Art Club Felt Classes starting in Myshall Community Centre with Nicola Brown of Ducketts Grove Craft Centre on Mon Feb 18th from 7-10 pm. Limited places available contact 9157612

St. Patricks Day Parade

Due to unforeseen circumstances the St. Patricks Day Parade open meeting for all clubs and individuals from all parts of the parish to form a committee to host and organise this year's St. Patricks Day parade will now take place on Thursday February 7th in Myshall Community Centre at 7-30 all are welcome.

Senior Scor

Time is rolling on and the Senior Scor is around the corner the county final is pencilled in for either Friday or Saturday February 22nd or 23rd 2013. Is there any chance of a set dance, ballad group, instrumental music, novelty act question time teams from the parish, It's possible between Naomh Eoin, Myshall Camogie Club and Naomh Eoin Ladies Football clubs that teams will come forward

Myshall ICA Guild meeting in Myshall Community Centre on Tuesday 12th at 8 pm.

Fundraiser for Mater Foundation Sudden Adult Death Syndrome
in The Hunters Rest Fenagh on Sat Feb 16th.

Featuring Richie Kavanagh and a host of other guests. Admission €5

Myshall/Drumpea Parish Newsletter

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Day of Prayer for Temperance

10th February 2013

Price 25c



Phone Number:

Parochial House 059 9157635

Fr O'Byrne can be contacted at any time through this number



The vocation to serve God does not follow a standard pattern, it is as unique as the person who is called. It came for Isaiah while he was at prayer, it came for Peter in the middle of his work. For both men it meant a sense of unworthiness before the presence of God, but both learned that the service of God does not spring from innate human goodness as much as from the forgiving power of God's love.

Masses for the coming week – Myshall

Sun 10th at 11 am

Tue 12th at 9am

Wed 13th at 9 am Ash Wednesday

Thur 14th at 9 am

Fri 15th at 7.30 pm

Sun 17th at 11 am

Reader: Myshall

Sun 17th: Marie Nolan

Eucharistic Minister:

Sun 17th: Helen Smithers

Masses for the coming week-Drumpea

Sat 9th at 7.30 pm

Wed 13th at 7.30 pm Ash Wednesday

Sat 16th at 7.30 pm

Reader: Drumpea

Sat 16th: Eileen Eagers

Eucharistic Minister:

Sat 16th: Ann Ryan

Parish Notices:

- **Baptisms :**
Myshall Church on the 2nd Sunday of each month after 11 am Mass
Drumpea Church on the 3rd Sunday of each month at 12.15 pm
- **Parish Office** will be open every Wednesday from 9.30—11 .30 am

Parochial Collections February 2/3

Offertory: € 505.10 Envelopes: € 665.60

Church Gate Collection in aid of St Patrick's Day Parade Feb 23rd & 24th. Permit granted.

World Day of the Sick—11th February 2013

Feb 11th is the Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes and each year it is set aside as World Day of the Sick. We remember all who are sick and the important place they have in our community and in our hearts. Pope Benedict reminds us that ‘ God, indeed, in his Son, does not abandon us to our anguish and sufferings, but is close to us, help us to bear them, and wishes to heal us in the depths of our hearts’.

The Pope continues, ‘I wish to encourage sick people and the suffering always to find a safe anchor in faith, nourished by listening to the Word of God, by personal prayer and by the sacraments’.

We pray for all who are sick and we ask those who are sick to remember our community in prayer, knowing that in their sufferings they are close to Christ.

We pray for all who suffer, for all in the depths of depression, those tortured by anxiety and guilt. Lord, in your love and mercy, free them and raise them up. Amen

Myshall National School is now taking enrolments for school year 2013/2014. Forms are available from the school by calling 0599157750. All forms should be returned to the school by 31st March 2013.

Our Lady Queen of Angels Junior Legion of Mary.

The meetings of the Junior Legion group takes place each Saturday morning in the church sacristy in Myshall at the new time of 11 am to 12 pm. New members must be at least in this years first Holy Communion class and the upper age limit is 18 yrs. Of course anyone over 18 yrs wishing to become a Legionary would be most welcome to attend the Virgin Most Powerful Senior praesidium meetings which are also held in the sacristy of the Church of the Holy Cross in Myshall directly after mass every Friday evening at 8 pm. Anyone interested in learning more about either the junior or senior Legion of Mary meetings would be most welcome to call in to either meeting, with no obligation to join.

K & L DIOCESAN CONGRESS

Following the very successful Eucharistic Congress that took place last year the Diocese is marking The Year of Faith in Carlow on March 8 & 9. In this Year of Faith, the chosen theme is ‘Lord, Increase our Faith’. There will be an impressive gathering of keynote speakers: Rev. Prof Eamonn Conway, Rev Dr Ruth Patterson & Bishop Brendan Kelly. There will also be a wide range of workshops taking place in the Cathedral, Carlow College and the Cathedral Parish Centre. Booking is essential. Brochures and Booking Forms are available at the back of each church and can be returned to Faith Development Services by Feb 25th . You can also book online at www.kandle.ie/congress

A Coffee Morning will be held on Friday 22nd of March in Roberts Lounge from 10am to 1pm in conjunction with Daffodil Day.

MYSHALL GAA LOTTO

No Jackpot Winner

Numbers Drawn **4 : 6 : 15 : 25**

Match 3 winner received € 50 each:

Emmet Fox, Shangarry; Brigid Fox, Shangarry; C&M Kavanagh, Aclare; Conor & Aaron, c/o J.Murphy

Sellers Prize: Kieran Nolan, Knockindrane

Next Weeks Lotto: In Roberts Myshall on Tue February 12th at 10.30 pm

NEXT WEEKS JACKPOT €6200

Trocaire Lenten Campaign 2013 boxes available in both churches

Patchwork Classes starting in Myshall Community Centre shortly . Contact Ann Eustace for details 087 9404194

Myshall Garden Club will hold their February meeting on Monday 18th of February in the Community Centre at 8pm. Guest speaker will attend and there will be a raffle and refreshments.

Myshall Camogie Club and Naomh Eoin GAA club are holding a presentation night in Myshall Community Centre on Saturday 2nd March 2013. The girls are looking forward to being presented with their All Ireland medals and the minor lads will be presented with their medals. A great night is guaranteed, Helter Skelter will provide the music and a special guest will also be in attendance. We look forward to having this very special night in our own local community centre and we hope all locals will support the event. Tickets available from Sheila 086 3789164 Mary 086 1504904 Michael 087 90349378

The AGM of Myshall Camogie Club will take place on Friday 8th February at 8.30pm in the club house. Anybody who would like to help in any way with juveniles etc are very welcome to attend.

Myshall senior camogie team got off to a great start on Saturday last with a hard fought win over Ferns in the Leinster league, played in the Myshall pitch. They now play Birr (Offaly) next weekend in the semi final of this competition.

Myshall N.S

Well done to the fifth and sixth class boys team from Myshall National School who won first place in the Credit Union School Quiz in Bagenalstown last weekend - they won a lovely silver trophy for the school among other prizes - This is the first time the school has won this title so its a great achievement for the lads and for the school!!! So congrats and well done to Gerard Brennan, James Smithers, Oisín O'Brien and Pádraig Nolan for representing the school. Also congrats to the third and fourth class team who also participated and represented the school so well. Round two here we come!!!!

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help, St Andrews Church Bagenalstown every Tuesday at 7.30 pm (Rosary will be recited at 7 pm) Feb 12th—April 9th . Speakers: Feb 12th– David Quinn, Iona Institute, Feb 19th -Eddie Stone, Feb 26th- Sr. Patricia Dunne

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