



# BALLINEASPAIG PARISH BULLETIN

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## A LETTER FROM OUR EDITOR



Dear Readers,

This issue brings to a close the current Bulletin year. Since last September the Bulletin has celebrated the new pastoral council, the Novena to the Holy Spirit and its 200th anniversary. It saw the birth of "Youth News", "Question Box", a special series on Liturgical Roles and our first video review.

None of this would have been possible without the following:

- \* the members of the Editorial Team and our special contributors who strive tirelessly to improve the Bulletin;
- \* the Folders who work so efficiently behind the scenes;
- \* the Distributors who ensure you receive the Bulletin at the

Church door and in your homes and the monthly "Bulletin-sitter", Josephine O'Driscoll;

- \* the Dean, Fr. Bernard, Fr. John, Sr. Brendan and Sr. Ursula who not only encourage the work of the Bulletin in every way but are now regular columnists also;
- \* the Parish Secretary, Anne O'Riordan, one of the unsung heroines in her work for the Bulletin, always assisted by Charlie Leahy, the Sacristan.
- \* Yourselfs who inspire us by your encouragement - and criticism.

My warmest thanks to all of you.

We end the year on a high note: the Bulletin has just won an award in the all-Ireland competition for parish bulletins. This success is largely a tribute to the work of Fr. Bernard, who continues to guide and inspire us.

I wish you all a happy holiday!

Yours sincerely,

*Rosalie Moloney*

## GOOD LUCK

We wish MICHAEL and HELEN MORRISON of Bishopscourt Hill 'bon voyage'; they're off to England for a year. Their neighbours and friends all over Bishopscourt, who have shown them so much love, will really miss them. May God be with them always.

*Congratulations*



The Parish rejoiced at seeing the beautiful garden of Aileen Kennedy, Woodleigh Park, on Gerry Daly's 'Room Outside'. It must be one of the most beautiful small gardens in Ireland.



## Rest in Peace

CHRISTY O'DONOVAN, 'The Cottage', Glasheen Road, died recently. Ever attentive to his wife Kathleen, while she was ill, he in turn was cared for by his family. Our sympathy to his family and especially Mary and Denis.

FRANK O'DONOVAN, 'Rendezvous', Model Farm Road, died recently. Affectionately known as 'Frankie Boy!', he has been cared for by his wife, Ellen, and family for the past 15 years. Our sincere sympathy is extended to Patsy and Tom and family.

PAT O'CONNOR, The Orchard, Farranlea Park, died during the week. He had been ill in St. Joseph's, Mount Desert, since 1986. His loving wife Mary and all the family cared for him to the end. Our deep sympathy and our prayers are with them.



OUR SINCERE SYMPATHY goes to:

NOELLE TWOMEY, Wilton Avenue, and CLAIRE WALSH, Wilton Road, on the death of their mother.

To KATHLEEN O'SULLIVAN, Parkway Drive, on the death of her uncle. To MISS RITA MURPHY, College Road, on the death of her brother, and to SHEILA and BRIDGET HYLAND, Orchard Road, on the death of their uncle.

To LIAM O'SULLIVAN, Kenley Drive, on the death of his father.

## Confirmation

Unfortunately, the names of the following Parishioners were omitted from last week's Confirmation list, and we now offer them our congratulations:

EMMA BARRY, Leeddale  
SINEAD BULLMAN, Leeddale  
LESLEY-ANN BYRON, Leeddale  
JILLIE COLLINS, Leeddale  
FIONA DUNCAN, Leeddale  
MICHELLE FLEMING, Kenley Crescent  
SUSAN KELLEHER, Leeddale  
MICHELLE LONG, Leeddale  
MARGARET McDONNELL, Kenley Road  
NICOLA McHALE, Leeddale  
MICHELLE MOYNIHAN, Leeddale  
MICHELLE O'MAHONY, Greenfields  
SHARON O'SULLIVAN, Leeddale  
JEAN READING, Merlyn Lawn

## WELCOME



We are delighted to welcome Bishop Jerry Coffey to our parish. A native of College Road, Bishop Jerry was ordained Bishop of Sale in Southern Australia last Summer. He celebrated 11.00 Mass with us on Sunday last, joined by Fr. Denis, Fr. John and Fr. Bernard. We wish him a restful vacation among us, at the home of Paddy and Mary Coffey, Wilton Road.

### Golf News

Congratulations to Mrs. Mary Murphy, Orchard Road, on winning Ladies' Captain's Prize (Mary McEnri) at Cork Golf Club, Little Island.

## CONGRATULATIONS

*We have pleasure in offering our congratulations to the boys and girls of the Parish who received their First Holy Communion this year:*

SELINA BERMINGHAM, Leesdale  
ROBERT BOGUE, Kenley Crescent  
JAMES BOGUE, Greenfields  
ELIZABETH BLACKSHIELDS, The Grove,  
Parkway Drive

AVRIL BURNS, Leesdale  
HILARY CAHILL, Orchard Road  
WILLIAM CONDON, Leesdale  
GARRY COOMEY, Leesdale  
AMY COTTER, Leesdale  
LAURA CREAGH, Laburnum Drive  
MAJELLA CREMIN, Greenfields  
JAMES CROWLEY, Leesdale  
RACHEL CUMMINS, Parkway Drive  
ROSEANNE DENNEHY, Leesdale  
LOUISE DESMOND, School Avenue  
SINÉAD DESMOND, Rossbrook  
GILLIAN DEVINE, Greenfields  
ANTHONY DORNEY, Leesdale  
RIAN FITZGERALD, Rossbrook  
DIANE HACKETT, Parklea Court  
CIARA HEALY, Kenley Crescent  
GLEN HOWARD, Leesdale  
WAYNE KAVANAGH, Parkway

CATHERINE KEARNEY, Leesdale  
AMY KEATING, Model Farm Road  
HAZEL KELLEHER, Leesdale  
JOHN KELLY, Bishopscourt Lawn  
ORLA KELLY, Kenley Drive  
JENNY KENNEFICK, Laburnum Park  
KATHY KENNEFICK, Laburnum Park  
CLAUDIA KIELY, Leesdale  
PAUL KIELY, Greenfields  
CORMAC LINEHAN, Kenley Heights  
BRENDAN LONG, Bishopscourt Hill  
RORY LONG, Leesdale  
SIOBHAN LOONEY, Parklea Court  
JOHN LUCEY, Kenley Close  
JOHN LUCEY, Kenley Drive  
ALAN McCARTHY, Leesdale  
JOANNE McCARTHY, Bishopstown Park  
LYNN MacCARTHY, Kenley Close  
MARTIN JOSEPH McDONNELL, Kenley  
Road

DEIRDRE O'DONOVAN, Laurel Bank  
JENNIFER O'DONOVAN, Farranlea  
Grove

LEAH O'DONOVAN, Woodleigh Park  
KEVIN O GRADA, The Ridgeway  
MAIRE O'HEA, Farranlea Park  
LAURA O'KEEFFE, Leesdale  
PATRICIA O'KEEFFE, Leesdale  
CIARAN O'LEARY, Woodlawn  
KEN O'LEARY, Parkway Drive  
RUTH O'LEARY, Kenley Close  
GEMMA O'LEARY, Leesdale  
SINÉAD O'MAHONY, Bendemmer Park  
RAPHAEL Ó MUIRTHILE, Wilton Ave.  
DENIS O'REGAN, Kenley Close  
FIONA O'REGAN, Farranlea Grove  
PATRICIA O'RIORDAN, Wilton Gardens  
RÓNÁN Ó SIOCHRÚ, Bishopscourt Hill  
CLARE O'SULLIVAN, Cherry Grove  
FIONNUALA O'SULLIVAN, Bishopscourt  
Avenue

SEÁN O'SULLIVAN, Kenley Circle  
DEIRDRE QUIRKE, Leesdale  
KATIE RASSIAN, Rossbrook  
ELAINE ROONEY, Kenley Circle  
JOHNATHON SEXTON, Leesdale  
ANN SHANAHAN, Kenley Drive  
KIRKIAN STONE, Wilton Avenue  
LYDIA SWEENEY, Farranlea Park  
DEREK TWOMEY, Sheares Park  
DAVID WALSH, Parkway Drive  
SHARON WALSH, Leesdale



## FIRST COMMUNION

SONIA McSWENEY, Leesdale  
ALAN MEALY, Greenfields  
SANDRA MORLEY, Liam Lynch Park  
HYMPHREY MOYNIHAN, Leesdale  
JACQUELINE MURPHY, Leesdale  
SÉAN MURPHY, Bishopstown Avenue  
ALAN MURRAY, Leesdale  
KEVIN MYERS, Leesdale  
ABIGAIL NÍ CHRÉAD, Kenley Cres.  
DAWN O'BRIEN, Leesdale  
ORLAITH O'CALLAGHAN, Greenfields  
NATASHA O'CONNOR, Parklea Court  
TOMÁS Ó CROTHAIGH, Bishopscourt  
Hill



## Corpus Christi

We had record numbers in the Bishopstown contingent for this year's Eucharistic Procession. At one stage the group stretched all the way from the Bank opposite the Greyhound Track to Gaol Cross. It was a marvellous attendance.

The Bishopstown group also take credit for starting the applause after Fr. Bernard's homily - said to be the first time ever there was such a reaction!

Many people have asked for copies of Fr. Bernard's homily at the Procession. They will be pleased to hear that the full script is being published in the July/August Fold, which should be available next Sunday.



Our Visitor's Bulletin - aimed at tourists and others passing through - will be available in the church right through July and August. The regular weekly Bulletin will resume on 10th September.



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BULLETIN

TAKE A VACATION  
AWAY FROM GOD

## NOTICE BOARD

### Summer is Here!

Margo Fox and Susan Ahern tell me that the Sunday morning Crèche will close for the Summer on this Sunday 24th June. We appreciate all they have done.

Tuesday marks the last coffee morning until September. Our thanks to Mary O'Shaughnessy, and Mary Casey and friends!

And this is our last week of 7.30 p.m. Masses from Monday to Friday. As usual, the weekday evening Mass will return in September. (The Saturday Vigil Mass will continue right through the Summer, of course).

### St. Vincent de Paul

The usual monthly collection for the St. Vincent de Paul has been changed to Sunday 8th July.

### Meeting for Unemployed

A special meeting will take place next Wednesday night in Scoil Stiofain Naofa, Tramore Road, at 8.00 p.m.

It is for long-term unemployed people (i.e. over 15 months) who are over 21 years of age and want to avail of a second chance in education.

A full-time course will begin in September which can lead to a leaving certificate or other recognised qualifications. All unemployment entitlements will be fully paid including a travel allowance in certain circumstances. There are no fees for this course. All are welcome.