



PARISH INFORMATION NEWS SHEET

**Parishes of Newcastle and Newtownmountkennedy
with Calary**

JULY AUGUST 2022



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Dear friends,

On Saturday 18th June we had our open garden trail, in aid of Newcastle and Newtownmountkennedy Parish. It was a pleasure to visit each beautiful garden. Sincere thanks to Ralph & Caroline, Ann & John, Jean & Brian, Cherry & Andy, Huw, Caroline & Anna for opening their wonderful gardens. Many thanks also to Emma Jane for the stunning exhibit of her sculptures in the gardens at Ballydonarea House, to Caroline for organising and thank you to everyone who joined us on the day today. Your support is greatly appreciated.

On Thursday 23rd, 6th Class in St. Francis' National School gathered, with their families, for a very special day, their graduation from primary school. We wish them every blessing for the future.

On Friday 24th the whole school community gathered at Newcastle church for their end of year service. Our thanks to the teachers and staff in the school for all their hard work and dedication during a very challenging school year. This year the 1st annual Will Lesson cup was presented and our sincere thanks to Andrew and Julie Leeson. We continue to keep them in our prayers. I would like to wish all the students and staff, a lovely and well earned summer break.

Youth Group and Sunday Club have now finished until September – my sincere thanks to Tina and Orla and to Joanne, Fiona, Rachel & Ciara for all their hard work!

On Thursday 14th July, I am hoping to begin a walk from Christchurch Cathedral to Glendalough, linking the two spiritual centres of our united diocese. My route will follow the Wicklow Way, for a total distance of only 60 km! The aim of my walk is to raise money for the restoration fund for St. Matthew's Church, Newtownmountkennedy and for the diocesan collection in aid of Ukrainian refugees. If you feel like joining me, or sponsoring me, you are very welcome! Or if you would like to take on the target of walking 60km, and perhaps being sponsored to do it, that would be super! Full details will be on our Facebook page and website and sponsorship forms will be available from parish office.

We are beginning to look forward to our Summer Fair! This year we will have a Medieval theme, as Newcastle Castle is 850 years old this year! It will take place on Saturday 27th August. Full details will be on our Facebook page and website in due course.

May I wish you all a lovely summer; I hope you get to rest and relax and spend time with loved ones and enjoy some good weather!

Take care and God bless,
Ross



18th JUNE 2022



Holidays!

The Parish Office will be closed from Monday 11th July for two weeks while Karen takes a break. Re-opening Monday 25th July.
Ross will be away 6th to 20th August inclusive.



No monthly lunch in July.
We're going out for lunch in August!
Karen will be in touch with details.



Coffee

Coffee continues on a Tuesday morning from 10.30am over the Summer, No coffee on Tuesdays 12th and 19th July.

Congratulations!



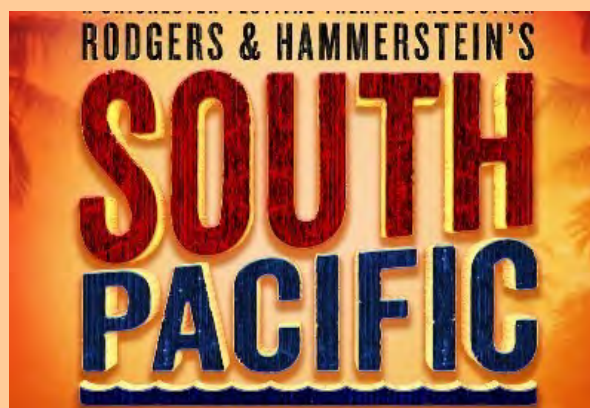
Congratulations to Lynn Stringer on winning a gold medal at Bloom for her work, 'Making Hay' in the Botanical and Floral Art Exhibition.

Table Tennis

Senior Table Tennis continues over the Summer.



We're planning a trip to the
Bord Gáis Energy Theatre
to see the matinee performance
of this well-known classic
musical in mid-September.
Register your interest with Karen.



Ruth Stringer

The Stringer family would like to thank everyone for their kindness and support in the last few weeks. We would also like to thank everyone for all the lovely messages and cards. It meant a lot and helped us to get through this difficult time.



ST. FRANCIS'
NATIONAL
SCHOOL



Class of 2022

Albie Chance

Ava Cullen

Nathan Donohoe

Lucas Dowdall

Daisy Evans

Felix Geoghegan

Millie Hamilton

Calum Murphy

Rory O'Gorman

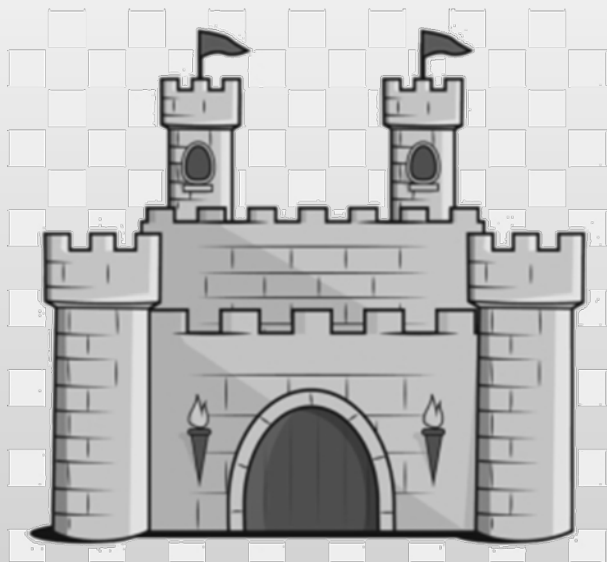
Kasey O'Neill

Annie Shearer

Ariel Smith

Juliet Von Meding

YE OLDE SUMMER FAYRE



**JOIN IN THE
MEDIEVAL THEME**

**SATURDAY 27TH AUGUST
12-4PM**

ST FRANCIS SCHOOL GROUNDS

**ALL THE POPULAR
STALLS AND GAMES
WITH A MEDIEVAL TWIST**



**COME DRESSED IN
COSTUME FOR A
GREAT DAY OUT AT
YOUR FAVOURITE
FAMILY FAIR**

SUMMER FAYRE 2022



**Make room on your bookcase.
Bring your unwanted books for the
BOOK STALL to the Parish Centre
or contact Muriel Norse.**

**WANTED
for the PLANT STALL**

**Plants
big and small
flower, fruit and veg**



JARS!

**We're having Jar Hoopla
at the Summer Fair.
Can you help by filling a
lidded jam jar with small
items—such as sweets, good
as new small toys, jewellery,
etc? Jars to the Parish Office.**





**Bottles of all kinds welcome
for the BOTTLE STALL**

**Contact Pauline O'Sullivan
087-9535981**

Or leave in to the Parish Centre

**Are there clothes languishing in
your wardrobe which you've
worn once and discarded?
Or bought in the wrong size?
Looked better on the hanger?**



We're looking for **new and '**as new**' clothes
for the pop-up boutique at the Summer Fair.
Also handbags, hats, scarves, jewellery, shoes.
Drop them in to Karen at the Parish Office**

**Leave your items for the
BRIC A BRAC stall
in to the Parish Centre
Give that unwanted
treasure a good home**



**The TOY STALL
wants your good as
new unwanted toys**

CALARY NEWS

A poster for a Calary BBQ event. It features a black charcoal grill on a tripod stand with food cooking on it, set against a background of a white picket fence and a blue sky with clouds. The text is arranged in a clear, bold layout. A red speech bubble in the top left corner says 'Everyone welcome!'. The event details are in the center, and the venue and price information are in a light blue box on the right.

Everyone welcome!

**CALARY
BBQ**

**Saturday 16th July
at 6pm**

**Tickets €15 per adult
Children FREE**

**Plant Stall in aid
of Fields of Life**

Venue
Charlotte & Diarmuid
O'Brien's house, close
to Djouce Woods.
Eircode A98 D579

Price includes burgers,
sausages, salads,
desserts & soft drinks.
Bring your own steak,
and beer/wine.

June Roe would
welcome donations of
plants for the plant stall.

Sister Mary

On Sunday 19 June, Sister Mary Killeen gave us an update on the work that she and her colleagues are doing for boys in the Mukuru slum in Nairobi, Kenya. This is the first time that she has been back in Ireland for 4 years and it was wonderful to be able to meet her again as hers is one of the major charities that Calary Church supports. On Tuesday 21 June, a number of parishioners attended a coffee morning at Paula Cullen's house where Sister Mary also spoke. Paula and a number of her friends are also major supporters of the project.

Sunday School

Sunday School in Calary takes place every Sunday in the Church Room, except when there is Family Service.

Music in Calary 2022

Summer Series of concerts

Friday 24th June (TBC)

Musici Ireland string quartet with
Eamon Sweeney (guitar)

Wednesday July 27

Simon Watterton (piano)

Thursday July 28

Duo Formosa from Florida - Violin and Piano

Saturday July 30

Fiachra Garvey (piano) and Patrick Rafter (violin)

Tuesday August 2

Anna Cashell (violin) Aisling Ennis (harp) and Simon
Watterton (piano)

Thursday September 15

Musici Ireland - String quartet with Harp

Friday October 7

Classic Harmony



Concerts start at 8:00pm sharp Tickets €18 / €15

Information & Booking

01 2818146 or

derekneilson11@gmail.com



Calary Church

is on the R755

(Kilmacanogue to Roundwood)

Exit 8 off N11

Free Parking

Music in Calary is kindly
sponsored by

Wicklow Co. Co. Arts





Parish Centre, Church Lane, Newcastle

Job Vacancy

We are a small service offering preschool and afterschool care. We are a friendly community based setting providing a home from home environment. In response to demand we are planning to increase our afterschool numbers and recruit another team member.

This is an afternoon, term time position with some flexibility with hours and days. We are looking for someone with experience of school age children and preferably with at least a level 5 qualification in childcare. You will need to be fun-loving and creative with a positive attitude.

If you would like to work in a pleasant environment with great working conditions, sick pay and competitive salary rates, send your CV and a cover letter to parishcastlekidz@gmail.com or call Joanne at 087-7216929 for more information. Closing date: Fri. 1st July.

Good luck to our graduating class in their new schools.

**Alex, Amy, Bonnie, Bonnie May, Finn, Gabriel,
Jonah, Joshua, Leon, Matthew and Oli.**



Childcare

Parish Centre, Church Lane, Newcastle

Playschool

Open 9am to 12 noon

5 days a week

Full-time and Part-time places

ECCE and non-ECCE

Excellent facilities indoors and outdoors

Afterschool

Open 1.20pm to 6pm

5 days a week

Full-time and Part-time

Limited places available

For information and booking:

Phone Joanne at 087-7216929

Now taking bookings for September 2022

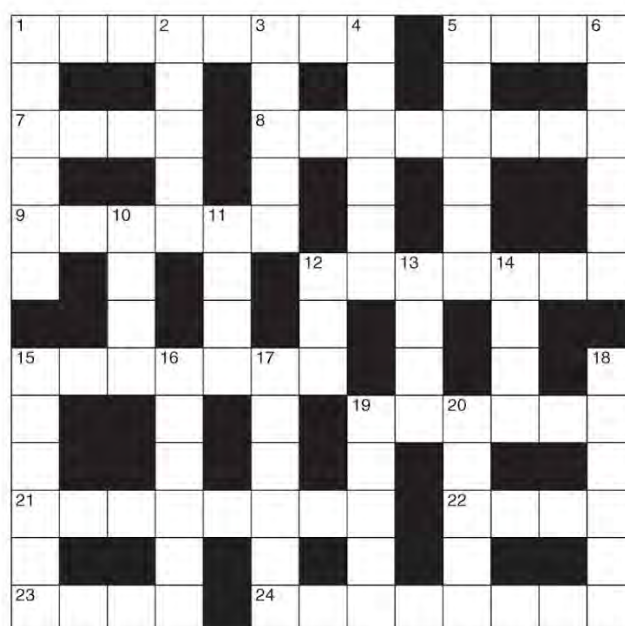
Around The World

ACROSS

1. US volcano,
Mount ... (2,6)
5. Supersonic planes
7. Taj Mahal city
8. Cambridge & Oxford
universities
9. Treeless Arctic zone
12. Coniferous tree
found in Europe
15. Vienna is there
19. Croatian capital
21. Peninsula in
southwest England
22. Manchurian river
23. Central attraction of
Piccadilly Circus
24. Region that includes
Japan, China and
Korea (4,4)

DOWN

1. Roughly built settlements, ... towns
2. Large African antelope
3. Nasty disease named after a river in the Democratic Republic of the Congo, ... virus
4. Underground train system
5. City of northwest India
6. People from Stockholm
10. Scotland's monster lake, Loch ...
11. German industrial region
12. Washington-based spy group (1,1,1)
13. Italy's Leaning Tower of ...
14. Kuwaiti ruler



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| 15. Native American tribe | 17. Earth's glacial period (3,3) | 19. Bantu peoples of Natal |
| 16. Sport played at Wimbledon | 18. Portugal and Spain | 20. West African nation |



SERVICES IN JULY

DATE	CHURCH	TIME	?	SERVICE	READING
Sunday 3rd	Calary	9.30	RS	HC	Gal. 6: (1-6), 7-16
	Newcastle	11.00	RS	HC	Luke 10: 1-11, 16-20
Sunday 10th	Calary	9.30	RS	MP	Col. 1: 1-14
	St Matthew's	11.00	RS	MP	Luke 10: 25-37
Sunday 17th	Calary	9.30	RS	Service of Wholeness and Healing	Col. 1: 15-28
	Newcastle	11.00	RS		Luke 10: 38-42
Sunday 24th	Calary	9.30	RS	MP	Col. 2: 6-15, (16-19)
	St Matthew's	11.00	RS	MP	Luke 11: 1-13
Sunday 31st	Calary	9.30	RS	Service of the Word	Col. 3: 1-11
	Newcastle	11.00	RS		Luke 12: 13-21



**Holy Communion is celebrated every Wednesday,
with prayer for the sick, at 10.30am in St Matthew's.**

**Everyone is welcome to tea/coffee in the
McLean Room after all services in St Matthew's.**

SERVICES IN AUGUST

DATE	CHURCH	TIME	?	SERVICE	READING
Sunday 7th	Calary	9.30	CT	MP	Heb. 11: 1-3, 8-16
	St Matthew's	11.00	CT	MP	Luke 12: 32-40
Sunday 14th	Calary	9.30	CT	MP	Heb. 11: 29—12: 2
	Newcastle	11.00	CT	MP	Luke 12: 49-56
Sunday 21st	Calary	9.30	RS	HC	Heb. 12: 18-29
	St Matthew's	11.00	RS	HC	Luke 13: 10-17
Sunday 28th	Calary	9.30	RS	Service of the Word	Heb. 13: 1-8, 15-16
	Newcastle	11.00	RS		Luke 14: 1, 7-14



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