

# **PARISH INFORMATION NEWS SHEET**

## **Parish of Newcastle and Newtownmountkennedy with Calary**



# **JULY 2021**



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## **From the Rector**

Dear friends,

I hope you are keeping well and enjoying the lovely weather. It is really a lovely time of the year to explore and enjoy our beautiful parishes. That is a big theme at the moment! As I sit and write this, we are half way through our 'Go the Distance' fundraiser and we have completed over 2300 km out of our 5518km total! Thank you to everybody who has signed up, you are all fantastic. It has been brilliant seeing all the photographs on our WhatsApp group that people have taken on their walks. We really do live in a truly beautiful part of the world. It will be great if we can achieve our target by 8pm on Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> June but, either way, it has been great fun!

I would also like to express my sincere thanks to all those who so kindly donated prizes for the raffle, thank you so much for your generosity. Last, but not least, I would like to thank the fundraising committee for their amazing work to make this happen. Watch this space, as there are other great events planned for July and August.

As part of my contribution to 'Go the Distance', I have been walking the boundaries of the parishes. I have hugely enjoyed these walks, with two stages done and one to go, the return trip back to Newcastle. As you read this I'm hoping I will have completed it!

May I also wish all those who are just beginning, or on, their school holidays a lovely and fun filled summer!

Take care and God bless,

Ross



**Saturday 17th July  
11am - 5pm**

**6 locations around the Parish**

**Tickets for the Trail €20**

**Available at individual gardens on the day  
or from the Parish Office beforehand**

**Brochure available soon**



# CALARY NEWS

## Go The Distance

We have been enjoying helping Rev Ross walk the parish boundaries. Poor man, Calary is a very large parish extending over the mountains to the Liffey Head but he has survived. We have been enjoying walking on our own and with small groups.

***Ross completes the 1<sup>st</sup> leg of "Go the Distance" arriving at Calary Church***



## Services in Calary

It is great to be able to welcome so many people from the parish back to Calary Church. There are spaces available each Sunday and booking is not required. We would thank everyone for maintaining social distancing rules, using the hand sanitisers and wearing masks.

## Women's World Day Of Prayer

Calary hosted people to tea in the graveyard on Friday 25 June to celebrate Women's World Day Of Prayer. Members of the following parishes attended - St. Mary's Enniskerry, Powerscourt, Kilmacanogue, Curtlestown and Calary.

## Music in Calary

A grand piano has been in Calary Church for 2 weeks from the middle of June and on many days, artists are performing concerts which are being professionally recorded for future distribution through YouTube.



# GO THE DISTANCE!

In aid of Al Ahli Hospital  
and our Parishes







**We surely live in a beautiful  
part of the world**



**Date for your Diary**

**Summer Party**

**Saturday 14th August**  
**Parish Centre Grounds**

**Well done to the pupils  
of St Francis' National School  
who collected €2000 for  
UNICEF's Covax fund  
for equal vaccination  
distribution worldwide.**

**Special thanks from Emilyann Byrne to all the people who  
donated to the fund at the Country Market and Church.**

**She collected €500.**

**What a girl!**

**CONFIRMATION 2022**

If you, or someone you know,  
would like to be confirmed in Spring 2022  
please give your name to Rev Ross 087-9892941





**The Good life Market is  
at the following locations:**

**Fridays 10am - 4.00pm  
Newtownmountkennedy beside Fishers**

**Sundays 12 - 4.30pm  
St. Patrick's National School.  
Beside the circle K garage.**

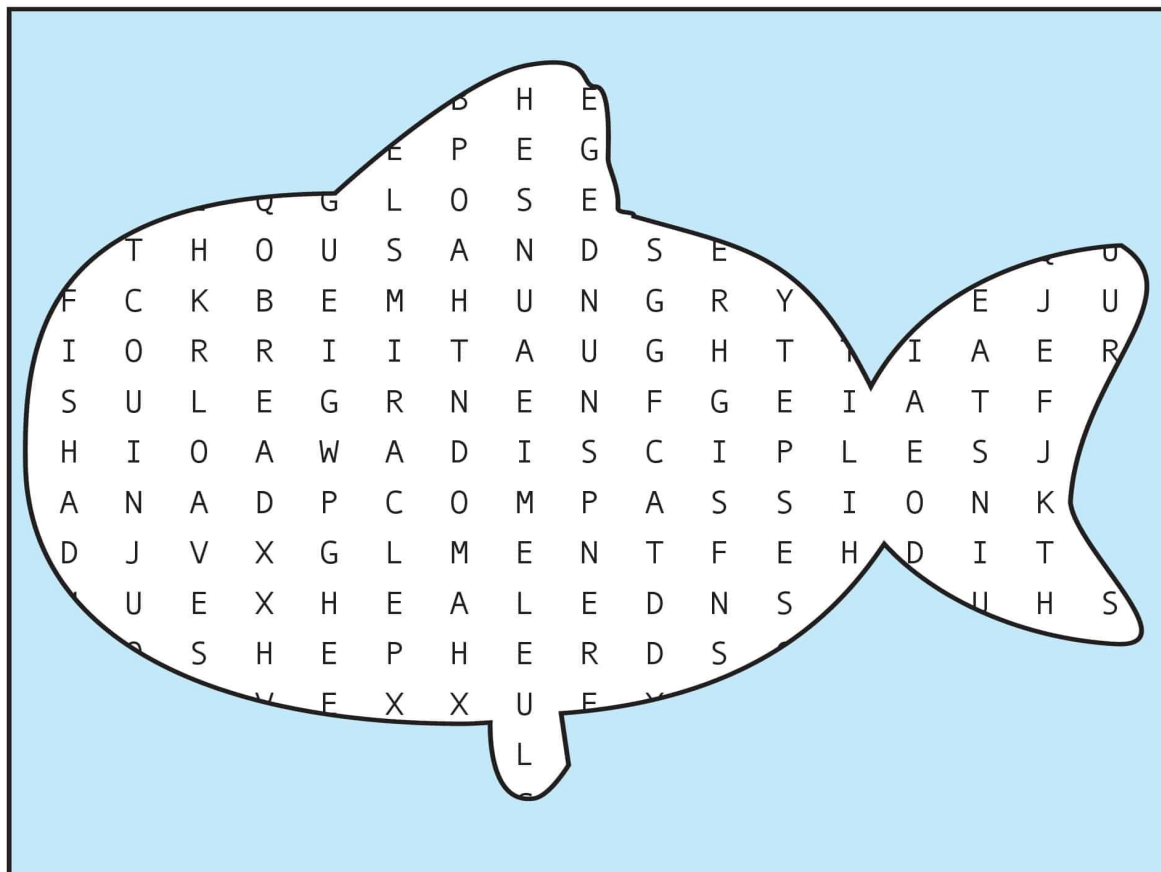
**Come and join us and enjoy  
locally produced artisan food and crafts.**

**Your support is much appreciated.**



## Jesus Fed the People Word Search

Find the words on the list that are hidden in the puzzle.  
The words can be right to left, up and down, or diagonally.



BREAD  
COMPASSION  
DISCIPLES  
EAT

FISH  
HEALED  
HUNGRY  
LOAVES

MIRACLE  
SHEPHERD  
TAUGHT  
THOUSANDS

# SERVICES IN JULY

DATE	CHURCH	TIME	?	SERVICE	READING
<b>Sunday 4th</b>	Calary	9.30	RS	MP	2 Cor. 12: 2-10
	Newcastle	12.00	RS	MP	Psalm 48 Mark 6: 1-13
<b>Sunday 11th</b>	Calary	9.30	RS	MP	Eph. 1: 3-14
	Newcastle	12.00	RS	MP	Psalm 24 Mark 6: 14-29
<b>Sunday 18th</b>	Calary	9.30	RS	HC	Eph. 2: 11-22
	Newcastle	12.00	RS	HC	Psalm 89: 20-37 Mark 6: 30-34, & 53-56
<b>Sunday 25th</b>	Calary	9.30	RS	MP	Eph. 3: 14-21
	Newcastle	12.00	RS	MP	Psalm 14 John 6: 1-21



**Holy Communion is celebrated every Wednesday,  
with prayer for the sick, at 10.30am.**

**For the moment this will be held in the McLean Room.**

**No tea/coffee after the service except when possible outside.**