Bell Circle - Have you Bought a line?

Congratulations to this weeks winners and the next draw takes place on Tuesday the 20th March at the usual time and place.

Jadotville the "Real Story"

From the pen of Comdt Pat Quinlan as told by his son Comdt Leo Quinlan. A talk will be held on Wednesday 21st March 2018 at 8pm in the Shamrock Lodge Hotel, Athlone. All proceeds going to the ONE Fuchsia Appeal to help Homeless Veterans.

Roscommon Nurses Guild

are hosting a public meeting "A Perspective from the frontline - abortion is not healthcare" on **Tuesday, 27th March at 8.00 pm in Hannon's hotel, Roscommon.** Speakers - Dr Judy Ceannt, GP, Carrick-on-Shannon. Mary Fitzgibbons, Lecturer of Nursing & Healthcare Studies, Tralee IT. Bernadette Goulding, Rachel's Vineyard, an organisation for women hurt by abortion. All Welcome. Please spread the word

Drum/Clonown Community Games.

Swimming on this Bank Holiday Monday 19th March at 12.30 in Athlone Regional Sports Center. Art Competition is on Saturday 24th March in Johnstown at 3pm.

Athlone Tidy Towns Committee



Will hold their Annual General Meeting (AGM) on Tuesday 20th March 2018 at 7:30pm in the Shamrock Lodge Hotel, Athlone, to review the past year, plan the upcoming season and elect officers.

Moore & Clonfad Drama Society

Back by popular demand - One Night Only - Sunday 18th March. Another chance to see the hilarious production of Cupid Wore Skirts', by Sam Cree in Moore Community Hall on Sunday 18th March. Curtain 8 pm. Tickets on the door. Proceeds in aid of East Galway & Midlands Cancer Support Centre and Quest Brain Injury Services.

Athlone Community Radio Eurovision Contest

Takes place on Saturday March 24th at 8pm in the Radisson Blu Hotel. Local personalities perform their favourite Eurovision songs in a bid to secure the audience vote. Our Judges on the night Mayor of Athlone Aengus O' Rourke, Caroline Coyle and Ray Collins. Come along and support your favourite act. Tickets are only €5.00, and are available now online athlonecommunityradio.ie, at the venue or by phone on 087 936 4974.

Thank you for your support

Athlone Drug Awareness Group would like to thank everyone who supported our Church Gate collection last weekend. We would like to thank the volunteer collectors who helped us also.

Athlone Castle Visitor Centre

Has an egg-citing event coming up on Easter Sunday 27th March, from 12.30pm until 3.30pm all Easter Bunnies are invited to take part in the Athlone Castle Easter Treasure Hunt, where children are encouraged to use their detective and orienteering skills and explore Athlone Castle. Normal admission rates apply."

A Light hearted Moment

James said to his friend Daniel, I know a girl who married an Irishman on St. Patrick's Day." Daniel said, Oh really?"

James said, No, O'Reilly."

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A boy came home from his first day at school. "so what did you learn?" asked his mother. Not enough, they want me to come back tomorrow



Parish of Ss Peters & Paul, Clonown & Drum

St Patricks Weekend 18th March 2018



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MASS INTENTIONS 18TH To 25TH MARCH - Ss. PETER & PAUL'S CHURCH

Saturday: 6:30 pm Teresa Keogh 1st Anniv. Sunday: 9:00 am People of the Parish Michael Kenny & dec family 10:30 am 12 Noon Pat & Mary Crehan Monday: 9:30 a.m. Michael & Bridie Nolan



Tuesday: 7:30 am Those with Special Needs

Christy & Molly Willis & Dec Family 9.30 am

Wednesday: 7:30 am For the Sick of the Parish

9.30 am

9:30 am Private Intention

Thursday: 7:30 am

Josephine Meyers & Dec Grogan Family & Margaret

Friday: 7:30 am

> 9.30 am Thanksgiving Mass

Bernie Ward (MM), Denis, Kearney, Paddy & Maureen 7:30 pm

Joyce, Tony & John Joyce, Petie & Kathleen Collern, Davie Waters, Paddy Joyce, Helen Colleran & Baby Liam Colleran, Owen Shine Jnr, John & Hetty Goode, Paddy & Mary Goode, Michael, Bridie, Mary & Noel Dunning, Kieran Dunning, Phil Dawson, Patricia Colleran, John & Bridget Dolan, Sean Nally, Billy & Ivy Mc Cormack, John Meehan, Bernard & Kathleen Brennan, James & Kathleen Drumm & Dec Family, Billy, Molly, Juney, & Carol Dowling, PJ Gordon, Baby Hope Condron Walsh.

Saturday: 9:30 am Breda Caulfied (MM) 6:30 pm Bernie Dully (MM) & Eamon Fuery People of the Parish Sunday: 9:00 am

Frances Vaughan, Tom & Masie Byrne

12 Noon Tommy Kelly

10:30 am

Mass Intention - Church of Our Lady of the Wayside - Clonown

Sunday 18th March 11:15 am Kathleen Shine & dec family Curraboll Sunday 25th March - 11:15 am - Johnny & Annie Egan & Dec Family members - Calllowbeg



Mass Times & Intentions - St Brigid's Church - Drum

Sat. 17 - 8 pm Michael McManus, Belrea. Also, parents Kate & Patrick.

Willie & Eileen Connaughton, Clonark. & dec family members. Sun. 18 - 10 am Johnny Seery & Bridget Donohue dec members of the Seery and Thurs. 22 - 7 pm

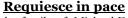
Donohue families.

Fri. 23 - 7 pm Pat Fallon, Cornafulla.

Sat. 24 - 10.30 am Kitty Seery, Clonellan. Month's Mind.

Sat. 24 - 8 pm-Martin O'Rourke, Rathpeak.

Sun. 25 10 am Pakie, Michael and Christopher Harney, Clonrulla.



We extend our sympathy to the family of Michael Daly (St Comans Park) Esther Dooner (sister of Stan O Brien) Eddie Kelly, (formerly of 13 St Josephs Villas) Margaret Lilly Farrell, Drum.

Parish Baptisms

We welcome Aoibh Roisin Naughten, Kevin Gabor, Kristina Gaborova, Caitlin Curley, Ethan Alex Henson, Piotr Trazaska, Siva Malassou, Marienne Lina Malassou, Harry Tomas Berry, Luke Mark Berry who were baptised recently.

Mass of Chrism

The annual Mass of Chrism will take place in the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Sligo on Wednesday 28th March at 7.30pm. During the Mass Bishop Kevin will bless the oils used in the Sacraments and Baptism, Confirmation, Holy Orders and the Sick and the priests of the diocese will renew their commitment to the priestly ministry. The Mass of Chrism is an important opportunity for all of us in the diocese to gather and to celebrate our communion.

Data Protection Officer

The Dioceses of the Western Province are advertising for a Data Protection Officer. The job advertisement is online at https://www.elphindiocese.ie/dataprotection-officer-job-advertisement/

Accord Elphin

Accord Elphin is recruiting marriage care facilitators for the presentation of Pre-Marriage course in the Sligo, Boyle and Roscommon areas. Full training provided. These are part voluntary and part paid position. Full details from Accord Sligo at 071-9145641.

Rosarv

For the protection of Life being held at the mass rock in Clara, (Tullamore Road) @ 2:30 pm this Sunday 18th March. All welcome.

A Mass for Healing

Will take place at Our Lady Star of the Sea Prayer Centre on Friday, 23rd March commencing at 8 p.m. The Celebrant will be Fr. John Mockler. Contact 086 4054489

'Protect The 8th

Talk with John Waters, Irish Times journalist and Iona Institute speaker, Dr. Patricia Casey, consultant psychiatrist, Paddy Manning and Kate Lawlor on Thursday March 22nd in The Shamrock Lodge Hotel at 7:30pm. All welcome.'

Last Weekend Collection

That for your ongoing support to the Weekly collection which was €1,865

