

### Cake Sale - Drum Foroige

Will hold a cake sale after 10am mass on Sunday April 1st in aid of Cystic Fibrosis Ireland.

### Drum ICA

Monthly meeting on Tuesday 3rd April at 8pm in Drum Parish Hall, all members are requested to attend and new members are welcome.

### Table quiz

In memory of Bernie Ward for the Galway Hospice 5th April 2018 in the Shamrock Lodge hotel @ 8:30. Tables of 4 €40. Spot prizes and raffle on the night. All welcome.

### Athlone Midlands Samaritans

Annual Church gate collection take place next weekend Sat 7th / Sun 8th April. Your support would be appreciated. The Samaritans are available on Free call 116 123 24hrs if you need to talk about anything that is bothering you.

### Triple p

Are running new courses for parents of children 2-10years and for parents of Teens 11-15 years in Athlone after Easter. It is a great time to make some changes before the summer holidays are here. To book your free place ring [0906447111](tel:0906447111).

### Bell Circle

Congratulations to this weeks winners €200 John & Rosie, €50 Out & About, €30 Mary Walsh.

### Drum Heritage Group A.G.M

Monday 26<sup>th</sup>. March at 8.30pm in the Heritage Centre. New members most welcome.

### Elphin Diocesan Young Adult Pilgrimage to Rome & Assisi

Will take place 23rd June to 1st July the cost of which is €599 for further details contact Frank Mc Guinness at 087 988 0690 or [frank.mcguinness@elphindiocese.ie](mailto:frank.mcguinness@elphindiocese.ie) or check the diocesan website at [www.elphindiocese.ie](http://www.elphindiocese.ie)



### Do Without and Get out

Last walk in Aid of Roscommon Palliative Care Unit this Sunday 1st April at 5pm from shines Oil. Music and raffle later in Mc Neills Bar from 9:30 pm. Your support would be appreciated.

### Athlone Castle Visitor Centre

Has an egg-citing event coming up on Easter Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> April, 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 Whisper of Hope Concert

In Aid of Leanne Mc Knight in the Friary, Athlone on Sunday 8th April at 7pm featuring songs from Carousel, South Pacific, Les Miserable, Showboat and others all performed by various artists. Tickets €10.

### Health Warning

The parish census taker walked up to wrinkled older looking man sitting in his patio. "I couldn't help noticing how happy you look" "what's your secret for a long and happy life?" "I smoke three packs of cigarettes a day" the man boasted & a case of whiskey a week" Wow that's amazing said the census taker, what age are you? The man replied 26

# Parish of Ss Peters & Paul, Clonown & Drum

**Easter Sunday**

**1st April 2018**

Christ  
is  
Risen!

### **Our Parish on-line**

**Email: [sspeterparish@eircom.net](mailto:sspeterparish@eircom.net)**

[www.sspeterandpaulsparishathlone.com](http://www.sspeterandpaulsparishathlone.com)

Facebook.com/Sspeterandpaulsparish - Twitter ; @stpetersathlone

### **Live Camera Feed**

[www.churchservices.tv/athlone](http://www.churchservices.tv/athlone)

### **Parish Contact Details**

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**Sacristan - Tommy Ward - (090) 6494150 (Phone attended at Mass times only)**

**Parish Safe Guarding Representative - Jean Larkin - (087) 995 8583**

### MASS INTENTIONS APRIL 1ST TO 8TH - SS. PETER & PAUL'S CHURCH

<b>Saturday:</b>	9:00 pm	Easter Vigil	
<b>Sunday:</b>	9:00 am	People of the Parish	
	10:30 am	Ned, Nell & John Anthony Mc Manus	
	12 Noon	Joe & Peg Cuniffe	
<b>Monday:</b>	9:30 a.m.	Michael Hanley (Snr)	
	7:30 pm	Leo Marsh, Billy & Sarah Collins	
<b>Tuesday:</b>	9.30 am	Private Intention	
<b>Wednesday:</b>	9:30 am	Sick of the Parish	
<b>Thursday:</b>	9:30 am	Those who are travelling on our Roads	
<b>Friday:</b>	9.30 am	Mary Kirwin (MM)	
	7:30 pm	Paul Gibson, Jim Crowe, Joe Callinan, Sean Fallon, Bernard & Mary Mulkerrins, Pat & Nan Fallon, Dympna & Peter Jones	
<b>Saturday:</b>	9:30 am	Elizabeth Darcy & Patrick Darcy (Snr)	
	6:30 pm	John Ward (MM)	
<b>Sunday:</b>	9:00 am	People of the Parish	
	10:30 am	Edward & Margaret Mulligan	
	12 Noon	John Lafferty	

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

Saturday 31st 7:00 pm	Mass for the People of the Parish
Sunday 1 <sup>st</sup> 11.15 am	Mass for the People of the Parish.
Friday 6th 8:00 pm	First Friday
Sunday 8th 11:15 am	Anne & Tom O'Brien - Oldtown



### Last Weekend Collection

Thank you for your ongoing support to the Weekly collection which was €1,625

### Welcome

*A word of welcome to all who have travelled home for Easter, we hope you have an enjoyable few days at home with family and friends.*

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

Sat. 31st at 9 p.m.	-	Holy Saturday – Mass for the People of the Parish.
Sun. 1st. at 10 a.m.	-	Easter Sunday – Mass for the People of the Parish.
Tues. 3rd at 7 p.m.	-	Lena Murray & Dec Family - Clonellan
Fri. 6th. at 7.00 p.m.	-	John Joe Meares - Curryroe
Sat 7th at 10:30 am	-	James O'Neill (MM) Clonbulia
Sat. 7th . At 8pm	-	Catherine Higgins - Curryroe
Sun. 8th at 10 a.m.	-	Teresa & Paddy Greene - Durm



### Requiesce in pace



Pray for the repose of the soul of Jimmy Kenny, Moore, brother of Teresa Kenny Johnstown, Mai O'Rourke, Rathpeak, mother of Martina Kelly Gornagowna, Nora Kiernan, Iona Park, Dympna Magurie, Lyster Street.

### Parish Baptisms

We welcome Cathal Peter Lyons who was baptised recently.

### Monthly Communion Calls

Fr. John will do his monthly communion calls to the sick and housebound in his area on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> & Friday 6<sup>th</sup> of April. He will telephone on the day to confirm the time to expect him.

### Monksland Community Mass

The April Community Mass will take place in Monksland Community Centre (on the old Tuam Road) on Thursday April 5<sup>th</sup> at 8pm. Tea, Scones and Friendly Chat Afterwards. All Are Welcome.



### The Poor Clares Sisters

In Galway are hosting a Cloister day on Saturday, April 21st 2018 from 10am to 5pm. The day is designed to help young women between the ages of 21 and 40 to find out more about the Poor Clare way of life with a view to vocation discernment. To book a place contact: Sr. Faustina at: [poorclaresgalwayvocations@gmail.com](mailto:poorclaresgalwayvocations@gmail.com)

### Family Day – Save the Date!

The Elphin Diocesan Family Day will take place in Lough Key Forest Park on Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> April. Details to follow. All are welcome!

### World meeting of families & Popes Frances Visit

Register to attend this event at [www.worldmeeting2018.ie](http://www.worldmeeting2018.ie)

### A Kitchen Story!!

While a mother was attempting to get ketchup out of the bottle by hitting it, the phone rang. She asked her 4 year old to answer the phone for her. "Mom it's the priest" said the child. Tell him "I will call him back." The little girl told the priest what her mother had said and then added "and she cant come to the phone right now because she is hitting the bottle"