

DOMINICAN BIBLICAL INSTITUTE

Cecil Street Upper, Limerick.

The above Institute are running a
**PASTORAL SCRIPTURE PROGRAMME
FOR LAY PEOPLE.**

The programme is aimed at one or more in each parish who have leadership qualities and a commitment to complete the course and to put what they learn at the service of their parishes and pastoral areas.

The three year programme is providing scriptural formation for lay people who will be competent to work with Scripture in pastoral, catechetical and liturgical settings. We are recruiting a new group to begin the course in September.

The students come each month for a full Saturday 10 a.m. to 4.15 p.m.

And for a one night session
7.15 p.m. to 9.45 p.m.

Year 1 is on the Old Testament, Year 2 on the New Testament and Year 3 on practical training in presenting the Scriptures in various settings.

If you are interested in doing this course please contact

Fr. Michael Fitzgerald P.P.

At (025) 84090 as soon as possible.

OZANAM RESOURCE CENTRE MITCHELSTOWN

A vacancy exist in our
**Clothes Preparation and Retail
Department.**

Applicants must be eligible to participate in FÁS Community Employment Scheme. Must be in receipt of a Social Welfare payment for 12 months or more.

Applicants in **writing only** to:
President

Society of St Vincent de Paul
Ozanam Resource Centre
Mitchelstown

Not later than Monday 14th June

MITCHELSTOWN P.T.A.A. MASS AND PRESENTATIONS RESCHEDULED:

Mitchelstown P.T.A.A. Mass and Presentations which was to take place on Friday 11th June 2010 in Parish Church, Mitchelstown has been

**RESCHEDULED FOR FRIDAY
25TH JUNE IN MITCHELSTOWN
PARISH CHURCH
AT 7.30 P.M.**

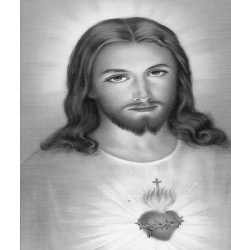
If you think you are eligible for Golden, Silver Jubilarian Badge, Fr. Cullen Medal, Diplomas: 40 Year, 60 Year, 70 Year membership.

Please contact
Rev. Fr. Michael Fitzgerald P.P.
Or any member of the Local Pioneer Council.

MITCHELSTOWN PARISH & COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

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SACRED HEART OF JESUS:



The month of June is dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. The origin of the devotion is, of course, the Gospel: "Come to Me.... for I am gentle and humble in Heart." But in more recent times this teaching was highlighted by a number of apparitions to a French Nun, St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, in 1675. In these apparitions, Jesus showed St. Margaret Mary His bleeding Heart pierced with thorns. In this very visible manner He expressed His sorrow that so many rejected His love, especially towards His Presence in the Holy Eucharist.

This weekend we honour the Lord Jesus in the Holy Eucharist in a very special way with the Eucharistic Procession. As we do so I would encourage you all to renew your faithfulness to Jesus in attending Sunday Mass. It is a great sorrow to the Lord when children are not brought to Sunday Mass. The example and fidelity of parents to Sunday Mass is invaluable. My sincere prayer this Feast of Corpus Christi is that we will all make weekly Sunday Mass a priority in our lives. For us to fail in this duty to God and our faith will have serious consequences for us all. *Fr. Michael*

Sacred Heart Messenger:

We had a wonderful celebration last Tuesday evening with a special Mass of Thanksgiving for the promoters of the Sacred Heart Magazine. Special awards were made to those promoting for over 50 years. Peggy Hennessy, Ballygiblin, got a special award. Religious communities were praised for their promotion over the years. Sr. Ursula, Presentation Convent, Fermoy, got a special award also for many years of promotion. This parish has been a great supporter of the Magazine and it has enriched the faith of many.

If anyone would like to support the monthly Magazine,

Contact Anne Maire Russell at (025) 84151.

Thanks too to Ann Roche, who served tasty refreshments afterwards and to everybody involved.

Fr. Michael

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Priest on Sick call this

week is:

Fr. Fitzgerald P.P.
Sick Call Contact
Phone Number:
087 - 2524979

**EUCCHARISTIC
HEALING HOUR OF
ADORATION:**

Every Thursday night from
8 pm to 9 pm



**MITCHELSTOWN
COMMUNITY COUNCIL
Elections in vacant areas.**

Nomination Papers have been distributed to these areas. Please cast your vote and return papers as soon as possible or **before 12th June.**

**OZANAM ACTIVE
RETIREMENT GROUP**

Two vacancies remain for a **4 night trip to the Gleneagle Hotel, Killarney From the 6th. - 10th. July.** Cost is €198.00 which includes Bed and Breakfast, Evening Entertainment and Day Trip. Names to the **Ozanam Active Retirement Group,** Tel 025-84733

CONFESSION TIMES:

Mitchelstown: Sat, Eves of Holydays & Eves of 1st Fridays. 12 noon to 1pm & 7pm to 7.30pm
Ballygiblin: 1st Friday 7 p.m.
Killaclug: before 1st Friday Mass.

MASS TIMES:

**CHURCH OF OUR LADY CONCEIVED WITHOUT SIN,
MITCHELSTOWN:**

Sat & Eve of Holyday: 7.30pm
Sunday & Holyday: 8.30am 10.30am 12 noon & 7.30pm
1st Friday: 7.30pm - Weekday: 8.30 a.m. & 10 a.m.

Morning Prayer in Parish Church: Mon. to Fri. at 8am

Rosary in Parish Church:

Mon. to Sat. at 9.45am Before: 10am Mass

Perpetual Adoration: Sunday 12.30pm & Saturday 7.00pm

CHURCH OF THE HOLY FAMILY, BALLYGIBLIN:

Sunday & Holyday: 9.30am - 1st Friday: 7.30pm

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH, KILLACLUIG:

Sunday & Holyday: 10.30am - 1st Friday: 8.15pm

**Marymount Hospice
Sunflower Collection**

The above collection will take place, in Mitchelstown, On **Friday 11th June.** If you would like to help please contact **Patricia at (025) 24539** All previous collectors will be contacted automatically.

**LOUGH DERG
THREE DAY PILGRIMAGE**

Leaving Midleton Courthouse

At 5.15 a.m.

On Saturday 19th June

Cost €90

Will pick up in the Square, Mitchelstown

For Details Contact: Mary O'Sullivan (021) 4613236 or (087) 6418313



BALLYGIBLIN HURLING CLUB

Are Holding A

BAG PACK IN TESCO

On **Thurs. 10th, Fri. 11th, & Sat. 12th June**

In Aid of Pitch Maintenance.

Your Support would be greatly appreciated

**GLENAHULLA NATIONAL
SCHOOL**

Enrolment now taking place
OPEN NIGHT FOR PARENTS

TUESDAY, JUNE 22ND

AT 8 P.M.

For more details contact (022) 25476

A SUMMER'S EVENING IN THE QUAD, U.C.C.

FRIDAY 11TH JUNE

Brian Kennedy, the Ultimate Live Performer accompanied by the Garda Band and guest Soprano Fiona Murphy in the wonderful surroundings of the Quad in U.C.C.

Proceeds to Brú Columbanus;

Home from home for relatives of seriously ill patients in Cork Hospitals or Hospice, especially relatives of sick children.

Tickets €40 available Now from Brú Columbanus

(021) 4345754 or (087) 2787074

Debit and credit cards accepted.

**YOUTH 2000
SUMMER FESTIVAL,
CLONMACNOIS,
CO. OFFALY,
THURSDAY 12TH -
SUNDAY 15TH
AUGUST 2010.**

For young people age 16 - 35, An opportunity not to be missed to experience the Catholic Faith and meet many new friends.

Donation Only.

Free Buses available from around the country.

For more information contact;

086 - 3025442 or

01 - 6753690

Or check our website

www.youth2000.ie

**AFTERNOON OF PRAYER
FOR**

**YEAR OF THE PRIESTS
HOLY CROSS CHURCH, GLANWORTH, CO. CORK
SUNDAY JUNE 13TH 2010
FROM 2 P.M. TO 4 P.M.**

Programme:

- Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Prayers by Fr. Broderick.
- The Rosary by Canon Finbar Kelleher.
- A Talk on the Priesthood by Fr. Eugene Baker.
- Prayer and Praise for the Outpouring of the Holy Spirit.
- Divine Mercy Chaplet and Eucharistic Blessing.

Everyone Welcome

Priests and Laity

Refreshments in the Community Hall afterwards.

Enquiries to

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