

Mitchelstown Ladies Football Notes

Championship action for Juniors

Our **juniors** play local rivals Fermoy in the second round of the championship in **Fermoy on next Tuesday night 11th August at 7.45pm.**

This promises to be a very exciting game between two evenly matched teams. We wish our girls the best of luck and they would appreciate all the support they can get so why not go to Fermoy and cheer them on!

Under 12 training time

Training for Under 12's is on Monday evenings from 7.30 to 8.30pm at St Fanahan's. Any new players will be made most welcome.

Under 14 and U16 training on Monday nights

Training for under 14's and Under 16's (players born 1993 to 1996) is on Monday night from 7.30 to 8.45pm at St. Fanahan's. Any new players will be made most welcome.

Minor and Juniors training on Tuesday and Friday night

Training for Minor and Junior players continues on next Thursday night in St. Fanahan's pitch from 7.30 to 8.30pm. No training Tuesday due to championship match. Any new players will be made most welcome.

Next Meeting: We are holding our next meeting on next Monday 10th August in the Ozanam centre at 9pm.

It is once again time for collection of articles for **2009 publication of Pobal De** and I would be grateful if your parishioners would forward to me by email (tomnaughton04@yahoo.co.uk) any material that they would like included in this Christmas' edition.
Kind regards Tom Naughton, Editor – Pobal De.

Youth 2000 Summer Festival, Clonmacnois, Co Offaly, Thursday 13th – Sunday 16th August 2009. For young people age 16-35, an opportunity not to be missed to experience the Catholic faith and meet many new friends. Bishop Frank Caggiano, Vicar of Evangelisation in the Diocese of Brooklyn will be the main speaker. 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**

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Adjoining Cemetery

At this time of the year we encourage families to take some time to clean up family graves if needed. A number of family graves have no family members left alive and so we try to take care of them also. The adjoining Cemetery in Mitchelstown is very large and there are many graves. We would like to thank Denis Roche for all that he does to maintain the Cemetery in good condition. But as a community we must continue to support him in improving the Cemetery. On Tuesday August 18th at 7 p.m. we invite people to come to the Cemetery to do a general clean up. Over a period of time many old wreaths are being dumped on the ditches. We ask people not to do this but to use the bins provided.

The annual collection for the up-keep of the Cemetery will be taken up at all Masses on Sunday August 16th. Your contributions are of vital help to continue to maintain the Cemetery in good condition. If you have any suggestions please feel welcome to make them.

God Bless

Fr. Michael

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Priest on Sick call this week

is: Canon O'Leary
Emergency Contact Number:
087 - 2524979

Prayers and Sympathy:

We offer our Prayers and sincere sympathy to the families of those who died in our Parish recently.

P.J. Walshe, Church Street.

May he Rest in Peace.

Confession Times:

Mitchelstown:

Sat, Eves of Holydays & Eves of 1st Fridays.
12 noon to 1 p.m. & 7 p.m. to 7.30 p.m.

Ballygiblin: 1st Friday 7 p.m.

Killacluiq: before 1st Friday Mass.

Mass Times:

***Church Of Our Lady Conceived Without Sin,
Mitchelstown:***

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

Church of the Holy Family, Ballygiblin:

Sunday & Holyday: 9.30 a.m.
1st Friday: 7.30 p.m.

St. Joseph's Church, Killacluiq:

Sunday & Holyday: 10.30 a.m.
1st Friday: 8.15 p.m.

Morning Prayer in Parish Church:

Monday to Friday at 8 a.m.

Rosary in Parish Church:

Mon. to Sat. at 9.45 a.m. Before 10 a.m. Mass

Ruby Celebration of Ordination

Fr. Pat Hennessy, son of the late David & Bridget Hennessy, Mitchelscourt, will celebrate his 40th Year in the Priesthood by saying a **special Mass on Saturday 15th August at 7.30 p.m. in the Parish Church.**

Everyone Welcome

Fr. Pat celebrated his 1st Mass in Mitchelstown on 9th June 1969.

Eucharistic Healing Hour of Adoration:

A public hour of Adoration will be held in the Parish Church.

Every Thursday night from 9 p.m. to 10 p.m.

Special Prayers for Healing
For the Community & the World.



Assumption of the Blessed Virgin

On November 1st, 1950, Pope Pius XII defined as a truth revealed by God that the Immaculate Mother of God, Mary ever Virgin, when the course of her life on earth was finished was taken up body and soul into Heaven. Such is the Dogma of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin.

Saturday next August 15th is the feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Vigil Mass on Friday evening at 7.30 p.m. Masses on Saturday morning as on Sunday.

This is one of the special days when the Church obliges us to attend Mass in honour of the Holy Mother of God. By being faithful to celebrating this day we will bring blessings on the family and on the community.

MITCHELSTOWN COMMUNITY UMBRELLA GROUP

A one voice from: AROMA; BUSINESS ASSOCIATION;
COMMUNITY COUNCIL; FORUM;
HERITAGE; LEISURE GROUP;
LIONS CLUB; RESIDENTS;
SCOUTS; YOUTH GROUP;

All above groups working with Co. Council monthly to improve the town & surrounding area.

Any group wishing to participate please telephone 086 / 8213626 for inclusion.

Following our recent meeting, the first roundabout work commences on August 10th. All help will be appreciated, please call 086 / 8213626. This roundabout has been named Clonlough Roundabout. Remaining roundabouts to be worked on in due course and any suggested names please forward to the Court House for the attention of Mitchelstown Community Umbrella Group.

A variety of other items were covered in our recent meeting, from maintenance issues - to lack of bins, to pump repairs - grass cutting - traffic calming - garden seats etc.

Our next meeting to set agenda is in the Court House, Thursday August 20th at 12 noon.

Thank you to all for participating and for the work being done.