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TROCAIRE / PAKISTAN FLOOD APPEAL

In the wake of the crisis in Pakistan, a national Church Collection will take place next weekend (Sat 21st & Sun 22nd, August). Trocaire has been working in Pakistan for more than twenty years, which means it is well placed to respond quickly to this disaster and get help to where it is most needed. Sadly, there are more than 15 million people affected by the flood (the numbers affected are even greater than the Haiti earthquake and the Asian tsunami combined). Your support for this collection at our masses next weekend would be gratefully appreciated.

HERITAGE WEEK 2010

Heritage Week 2010 runs from Sat. 21st to Sun. 29th Aug. with a variety of events taking place throughout the county. For full event details see [www.carlow.ie](http://www.carlow.ie) or pick up a brochure at Carlow Tourist Office, College Street or contact Carlow County Museum Tel: (059) 9172492

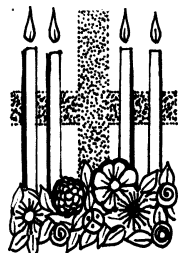
CATHEDRAL OF THE ASSUMPTION HERITAGE WEEK EXHIBITION

A special Heritage Week exhibition of artefacts that are associated with the Cathedral, its priests & bishops. Exhibition by the Cathedral in association with Carlow County Museum. The exhibition is open daily from 8.00am-8.00pm. Contact the Cathedral Parish Centre. Tel (059) 9164087

HERITAGE WEEK TOUR OF CATHEDRAL OF THE ASSUMPTION.

Sat. 21st & 28th August at 4.00pm. A special Heritage Week guided tour of the Cathedral, hear about JKL, the bishop who built the Cathedral as well as the buildings many features. The Cathedral is in use now for 177 years.

WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS THOSE WHO HAVE DIED DURING THE WEEK



Dr. Gerard Donnelly, late of Tullow St, and Longford.

May he rest in peace

OUR SYMPATHY TO THE FAMILIES AND TO ALL WHO MOURN

'THEY HAVE  
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CATHEDRAL OF THE ASSUMPTION  
**NEWSLETTER**

THE 20TH. SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY  
Vol. 19 No. 38 15th. August 2010

FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION

It was through Mary that Christ came to birth among us. Mary was a very humble person. A humble person is a transparent person and cares nothing for acclaim. He or she receives praise and honour the way a clean window takes in the light of the sun.

The brighter and more intense the light is the less you see of the glass. It attracts no attention to itself, for it retains nothing of the light for itself but lets it shine through.

Humble people know that without the light of God they themselves would be in darkness. Such an attitude makes it possible for them to receive the help and gifts of God. So it was with Mary.

"All generations will call me blessed", she said, "because God has done great things for me". Hence her soul was filled with joy and serenity and the light of God shone through her.

Mary, teach us to be humble and trustful before God, and we will find rest for our souls, and the light of God will shine through us.



## CATHEDRAL PARISH

Sunday 8th. August 2010  
Dev. Fund € 1338  
Offertory € 1813  
Thanks for your support.

**SATURDAY 21ST. AUGUST** - is the Feast of Our Lady of Knock.  
Prayer

Our Lady of Knock, Queen of Ireland, you gave hope to your people in a time of distress, and comforted them in sorrow. You have inspired countless pilgrims to pray with confidence to your divine Son, remembering His promise, "Ask and you shall receive, seek and you shall find"

Help me to remember that we are all pilgrims on the road to heaven. Fill me with love and concern for my brothers and sisters in Christ, especially those who live with me. Comfort me when I am sick, lonely or depressed. Teach me how to take part ever more reverently in the Holy Mass.

Give me a greater love of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament.  
Pray for me now, and at the hour of my death. Amen.

**MASS SERVERS OUTING** - on Sat. 28th. Aug. Departing at 11am from the Priest's House, Dublin Rd. Please return your PERMISSION FORMS to the Parish Centre or the Cathedral by 22nd. Aug. If you have not received your form please call into the Parish Centre.

**DAY OF PRAYER FOR HEALING** - A day of prayer for healing, will be held in Emmanuel House of Providence, Clonfert, on Sat. 28th. Aug. Bus departs Clonfert at 8.30am via bus stop Barrack St. Carlow. Bring packed lunch. Reservations Lily 9151245 / Ila 9151120.

## MASS TIMES & MINISTERS OF THE WORD

Saturday 6.15pm	21st. August Annie Neville
Sunday 8.30am	22nd. August Joe McDonald
11.00am	Richard Hoolan
12.30pm	Patricia Moloney
7.00pm	Noeline Connell

If you are unable to attend, please appoint a substitute.

**MEDJUGORJE PILGRIMAGE** - on 3rd. Sept. Spiritual Director. Fr. Liam Morgan. Enquiries Noeleen 9142670. Mass will be celebrated in the Cathedral Parish Centre on Wed. 18th. Aug at 7.30pm for those travelling on pilgrimage to Medjugorje. All are welcome. Forthcoming event on Sun. 17th Oct. Ivanka, one of the six visionaries will be speaking at four venues in Ireland. Starting in Carlow Cathedral with Medjugorje programme at 6pm Rosary, Holy Mass at 7pm, Prayers for healing & adoration. This event is organised by the Medjugorje Council of Ireland.

**THINKING OF A GAP YEAR** - Our Lady's School of Evangelisation - Knock. Are you.... - 18-36 yrs old? Looking for a deeper meaning in life? Interested in Catholic Formation? And training in Evangelisation Option of Certificate / Diploma Evangelisation & Youth Ministry From Maryvale Institute Birmingham  
Tel: 094-934 8245 Email: info@olseknock.com  
Visit: www.olseknock.com

**PARISH BOOK CLUB**  
"Underground Cathedrals"  
is the current book.

You're welcome to join the Parish Book Club to discuss this book in a relaxed atmosphere, not highbrow!!  
on Mon. 30th. Aug. at 7.30pm in the Cathedral Parish Centre.

15th. August 2010



## Bob's Your Uncle Lotto

Numbers drawn on 8th. August '10  
2 - 8 - 13 - 26  
No Jackpot Winner  
5 Mt. 3's shared €1000

Lotto Tickets available in Lotto Office across from Cathedral after Saturday evening & all Sunday Masses or at the Parish Centre

Bingo every Friday & Sunday night in the Youth Centre, Green Lane at 8.30pm

**KLOYDA MONTESSORI SCHOOL** - Urglin Centre, Rutland, Bennekerry, Co. Carlow has a limited number of places available for the free montessori year, under the E.C.C.E. scheme for Sept. 2010. For more information phone Marie 9137708 / 086 - 8322436.

**CARLOW RUGBY CLUB** - Oak Park, family field day & Bar-B-Que on Sun. 29th. Aug. at 1.30pm. All welcome to come & enjoy this family day out.

**MARIE CASHIN SCHOOL OF DANCE** - New term commencing on Sat. 11th. Sept. New members welcome. Venue Eire Og Club House Styles Jazz, Hip Hop, Tap, Musical Theatre, Singing & Mire Boys & Girls aged 3-19yrs. welcome. For more information Phone Marie on 059 91 43687 / 086 16 54 740

**EXPERIENCED CHILDMINDER** - available for part or full day care, and after school care in minders own home. References available. Phone Marion 9142761 / 086 - 1040060.

**ANNUAL COFFEE MORNING** - in aid of Carlow Home Care Nurses is taking place on Thurs. 16th. Sept. Ellis O'Neill, Betty Murphy & friends are holding their coffee morning in the Cathedral Parish Centre from 10am - 12noon. Your support would be appreciated.

**CO. CARLOW AEGS** - at 33 Dublin Rd, across from St. Leo's is a guidance & information service for adults to access comprehensive information on all the education options available to them. Contact Edel 9133123.

**CHARITY CAR WASH** - with the help of Carlow Fire Brigade in aid of the Cystic Fibrosis Assoc. to be held in Woodies car park on Sat. 21st. Aug from 11am - 5pm. €5 per car.

**CHRISTMAS MARKETS TOUR** - to the Black Forest. 4 days 4 cities, 2 countries, 9th, 10th, 11th & 12th of Dec. 10 Leaving from Carlow cost €480 includes luxury coach tour guide 3 star accommodation in Baden Baden Spa town. Visit Strasbourg in France Heidelberg Freiburg in Black forest €200 Deposit secures place phone Stephen on 087-4150077 / Mary 086-8244280 for booking stvdargan@gmail.com

**CARLOW TOWN TRADERS** - in assoc. with KCLR & The Nationalist & Carlow Hospice present the Mad Hatters Party on Sat. 21st. Aug. from 12noon to 4pm in the Tullow St. pedestrian area. Street theatre, music, dancing, cookery demonstrations, fashion shows, and lots more. All proceeds to Co. Carlow Hospice.

**AWARE'S** - national fundraising event Daisy Days takes place on 16th, 17th. & 18th of Sept. Volunteers needed. Contact 01 - 6617877.

**GOING TO COLLEGE** - Applying for a grant? Need help with the forms? Come to our information evening for students and parents on Tues. 24th. Aug. at 7 p.m. in the Seven Oaks Hotel, Carlow

This session will help you to complete your grant application and have it processed quickly - if your form is not correctly completed, your grant may be delayed. For further information contact Co. Carlow VEC Phone: (059) 9138560  
Website: www.carlowvec.ie  
or check us out on facebook!