## Parish Newsletter For Ballyadams, Luggacurren, Wolfhill & The Swan 21<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the Year – 26<sup>th</sup> of August 2018 Rev. Dan Dunne: 059 86 27123 Parish Website www.Ballyadamsparish.com

### Parish Mass Times:

Weekend Masses: Saturday 7.30 p.m in Luggacurren, Sunday 10 a.m in Wolfhill & 11 a.m in Ballyadams.

<u>Masses During The Week:</u> Morning Mass in Luggacurren at 10 a.m on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday.

<u>This Week's Anniversaries</u>: Please pray for Thomas O' Neill, Ballylinan & late Crossard who died during the week. David Crosby, Kellyville (9 a.m Ballyadams) Mary Charles Oxford & Mary Brennan, Graiguecullen (7.30 Wolfhill Sat)

Next Week's Anniversaries: Kathleen Brennan, Ballyfoyle & John Nicholson, Oxford (10 a.m)

#### OFFICIAL FAMILY PRAYER FOR WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES 2018

God our Father, We are brothers and sisters in Jesus your Son, One family, in the Spirit of your love.
Bless us with the joy of love.
Make us patient and kind, gentle and generous, Welcoming to those in need.
Help us to live your forgiveness and peace.
Protect all families with your loving care, Especially those for whom we now pray: (We pause and remember family members and others by name) Increase our faith, strengthen our hope, keep us safe in your Love.

Make us always grateful for the gift of life that we share. This we ask, through Christ our Lord, AMEN. Mary, mother and guide, pray for us. Saint Joseph, father and protector, pray for us. Saints Joachim and Anne, pray for us. Saints Louis and Zélie Martin, Pray for us.

# PAPAL VISIT

# We welcome Pope Francis this weekend & we pray that his visit to Ireland may be a great success. May the world meeting of families bring peace & happiness to all our families

<u>Parish Lotto 20/08/2018</u>: Jackpot No's: 12/16/24... Jackpot Prize: €2850...No Winner.. €15 Winners..Eamon Leech, Wolfhill, Conor Kelly, Corbally, Bedila Kilbride, Tomaclavin, Anne Fitzgerald, Cappanafeacle, Pat Dowdall, 7 Clarmallagh, The Swan... Next Week's Jackpot €3000.

<u>Please Keep Wolfhill Car Park Clean</u>: Please note that the recycling bins are for recycling! Do not leave bags of cans or glass on the ground beside the bins. Please use the bins provided.

<u>The Swan Ladies Club</u>: Are organising a used/old clothes collection. Clothes can be dropped off in The Swan Community Hall on Monday's between 11-12.30 p.m until the end of August. Clothes in any condition are acceptable provided clean of course, torn rags are acceptable for insulation. No duvets or pillows but bags/shoes are great.

**Luggacurren 10K:** The 27<sup>th</sup> Annual Luggacurren 10K takes place on Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> September at 12.30 sharp. Remember the date for your diary 9<sup>th</sup> September. More details later.

Volunteer Drivers Urgently Needed: The Irish Cancer Society operates a free Volunteer Driver Service for referred patients attending the following hospitals for chemotherapy treatment to the Mater Hospital, Tallaght Hospital & St. James's Hospital. Volunteer drivers pick a patient up at the door of their home, drop them at the hospital door and, when finished treatment, bring them home again. All volunteer expenses are paid. We are looking for drivers with free weekday availability who have a car available to them and can commit to driving a minimum of two (week) days a month. For an application form please call Laura on 01 2310 594 or visit the Irish Cancer Society website www.cancer.ie.

<u>Aspiro Choir:</u> As Aspiro Choir begins its 21<sup>st</sup> year our dedicated team of tutors encourage new members to join our inclusive, active, creative and quality-led progression-path group-singing programmes across all age-groups including Aspiro Inspired Adult Community group. Learn to 'play' your voice! Classes resume Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> September. Contact info@aspirochoir.ie or ring Aspiro's administrator Irina on 085-7451111.

**Footsbarn Theatre At Ballintubbert Gardens**: With Bottom's Dream Friday 7<sup>th</sup> September at 7.30. Tickets €25 – Contact 0873127639 for more information.

The Swan Ladies Coffee Morning: Are gathering on a Monday morning from 11-12.30 p.m. Any new members are welcome for a coffee & a chat.

**Wolfhill Development:** Are running a course on how to use a defibrillator. Anyone interested in doing this course contact 086-3005505 for more details.

<u>Adult Jiving, Quickstep & Waltzing Dance Classes Commencing</u>: On Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> September 2018. Course runs for 6 weeks 8.00-9.00pm every Thursday. No Partner Required. Registration & Payment (€60) on the night. Academy of Dance, Carlow Youth & Community Centre, Green Lane, Carlow. Phone 0872727315.

To book The Swan Community Hall phone John on 087-9027560 or Luggacurren Hall phone James on 087-7567020 All items for the newsletter should be submitted not later than Wednesday at noon. Phone 057-8647567 or email ballyadamsce@eircom.net