

*Parish Newsletter For*  
*Ballyadams, Luggacurren, Wolfhill & The Swan*  
**20<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year – 19<sup>th</sup> of August 2018**

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**Parish Mass Times:**

**Weekend Masses:** Wolfhill - Saturday 7.30 p.m & Ballyadams 9 a.m.

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

Please pray for Freida Delaney, Glosna who died during the week.

**This Week's Anniversaries:** Teresa Byrne, Tullamoy (Sat 7.30) Bridgie Fleming, The Swan, Michael & Frances Kelly, The Rock, Mary O' Connor, The Swan (10 a.m)

**Next Week's Anniversaries:** David Crosby, Kellyville (9 a.m Ballyadams)

**WEEKEND OF POPES VISIT 25<sup>TH</sup> – 26<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST**

There will be only 2 Masses that weekend Wolfhill on Saturday at 7.30 p.m – Ballyadams Sunday at 9 a.m. No Mass that weekend in Luggacurren. Sorry for any inconvenience

**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.

**Tickets For Festival Of Families**

In Croke Park on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> August are now available from Olive Lacey 0861567758 or Fr Dan 0598627123

**Bus For The Papal Mass:** Will leave Ballyadams Car Park @9.45 a.m on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup>

For More Details Contact Olive 0861567758

**Baptism:** Congratulations to Gavin & Maureen Lawlor, Cappanafeacle on the baptism of their son, Sam James.

**Parish Lotto 13/08/2018:** Jackpot No's: 07/08/22... Jackpot Prize: €2700...No Winner.. €15 Winners..Sean & Conor Kealy, Parkhill, Micheal & Mary Knowles, Kellystown Road, T. Kinsella, Kellygannard, Cora Wilkie, 2 Imleach, The Swan, Maggie Kealy, 6 F The Swan ... Next Week's Jackpot €2850.

**Opening Ceremony For World Meeting Of Families In Carlow Cathedral:** Bishop Denis extends a warm welcome to all from across the diocese to join him in Carlow Cathedral on Tuesday, August 21<sup>st</sup> for the official opening ceremony at 7.30 p.m. With a choir of over 150 and pilgrim visitors from Russia, Belarus and Poland this promises to be a special moment in the life of the diocese. Refreshments in St Leo's College from 6 p.m: Gathering in front lawn of Carlow College at 6.50 p.m: Ringing of Cathedral Bells at 7 p.m followed by Killshin Pipe leading us into the Cathedral for our prayer. Free parking in Carlow College, St Leo's and all town public car parks.. ALL WELCOME!

**The Swan Ladies Club:** 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.

**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.

**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.

**The Irish Cancer Society:** Needs an extra 20 drivers in Laois/50 drivers in Kildare for our volunteer driver service to drive cancer patients to and from their chemotherapy appointments in the following hospitals - Tullamore, The Mater, St. James, St. Vincent's and Tallaght. We are looking for drivers with free weekday availability and who have a car available to them. Drivers should be able to commit to driving at least two full (week) days a month. All volunteer's expenses are paid. If you would like to volunteer, please call Laura on 01-2310594 or email [transport@irishcancer.ie](mailto:transport@irishcancer.ie) for an application form.

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](mailto:ballyadamsce@eircom.net)

