

Parish of Ardstraw East

2nd Sunday of the Year

15th January 2012



World day of Migrants and Refugees

Chapel - Mary Mother of God

Weekday Masses

Mon, Tues, Wed, Thurs & Fri 10.00am
Saturday Vigil 6.30pm
 (Anniversary Mass for Late Barney McNamee)
Confessions before Mass

Sunday 10.30am St. Eugene's Glenock



Our Prayers are requested for the Souls of

Maisie Harkin (Victoria Bridge) who died on Friday morning and
 Gretta McMenamin, Eugene Glackin & Barney McNamee
 Whose anniversaries occur at this time.



Jesus looks at each of us and says "Come and see where I Live" He does not hand us his card, nor mobile number, no facebook or Email address. There is no little house somewhere in his home town with a plaque "Jesus lived here AD 1-33." His first followers found him in his person, not at a place.. We can find him in that way today, as then, among those in need, the sick, those who try to give of their talents and use all opportunities to make their homes fit for Him to live in, and where He makes himself at home, as do others. In the same way Jesus defined Peter not by age, occupation or social status, but as one, who with all his human strengths and failings would give everything to support others. Jesus chose Peter to be his first leader because of his humanity and his Faith

Bulletin:-N.B. All notices, including Anniversaries should be delivered in writing or to
ardstrawparochial@btinternet.com
before 2.pm on Thursday.

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Money Matters COLLECTION £990.00
Boxes of Envelopes are due to be ordered for the year beginning 8th April.

If you did not have envelopes last year and now have income please offer your name for taking a box, or arrange to contribute through your family. More info on Gift aid from Parish Office

UNTESTED.

Catholicism has not been tried... The world has not tired of the church's ideal, but of its reality... Monasteries were impugned not for the chastity of monks, but for the unchastity of monks... Christianity was unpopular not because of the humility, but for the arrogance of Christians... The Reformation began to tear Europe apart before the Catholic Church had time to pull it together... The Christian ideal has not been tried and found wanting; It has been found difficult without being tried. *From the Wit and Wisdom of G.K. Chesterton. written about 80 years ago. Doesn't it still ring true.*

BADONEY COMHALTAS BRANCH SEISIÚN

A lively session of music singing dancing and storytelling will be held in Plumbridge Parochial Hall on Friday 20th January at 9pm. Local musicians and musicians from other CCE branches will provide the entertainment. Tea will be served. Come along and listen or maybe even take part! Everyone welcome.

Enquiries to 07842903949



ST. EUGENE'S G F C.

Orders for club jerseys, shorts and socks being taken by Anne Mayse on 07746434060.



Club Membership £30 per adult, £10 senior citizens & full-time students, £5 children U-16. Family membership, £50, includes two adult (parents) members and all children u-16. You may pay in installments before 15th March. Contact Margaret in Costcutters, John in Castle Hotel or Eileen Connolly. Membership nights in the clubrooms, Friday 24th Feb and Friday 2nd Mar from 7.00 - 8.00pm.

Membership fees must be paid in full by 15th March.

Join the club's fully equipped gym!! Club members £50 per year; non-members £80 Interested or to find out more, contact Carmel Maguire on 07544989791. **Lotto** nos. for 09/01/12 were 4, 5, 7 & 19. Niall & Ciaran McNulty had three numbers. **Jackpot now £600.**

Last Man Standing starting on 4th Feb. Teams and fees to Gerard McNamee 07798921469. Presentation Night in Castle Hotel Saturday 18th Feb.

We are hosting a preliminary round of Scor Sinsear in St Eugene's Hall on Saturday 28th January at 6.30pm

WORLD MIGRANTS AND REFUGEES

On this day we pray for those who have had to flee their homes, and countries that the lands from which they flee may be restored to peace, and that they may be welcomed in the lands to which they have been forced to flee. We who have so many friends and family members who have helped build our homes through their generosity, must never forget our debts to others and also make room in our hearts for those who have come here to do the same for their families.



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