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Taney Fête

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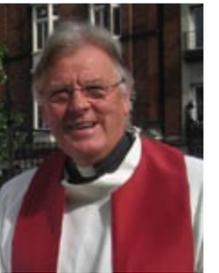
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The magazine is a vital means of communication in Taney and is distributed to every household in the Parish free of charge. We hope you agree in saying that it is a top quality production and this has been recognized at a Diocesan and National level. If you would like to make a contribution to the publication costs (annually in the region of €4,000) please leave it on the collection plate or drop it into the Parish Office. Please mark the envelope 'Taney News'.



Letter from the Rector



Dear Parishioners,

Ordination to the Priesthood of Rev. Stephen Farrell



Over the past year, we have come to know Rev. Stephen Farrell and Laura. From the moment they moved in to Church Cottage they have made their home amongst us and through worship, visiting and parish activities, Stephen has made his mark on all who have met him. With his easy and approachable manner and an instinctive understanding of the needs of those to whom he ministers, we look forward to his continuing

ministry amongst us following his Ordination to the Priesthood by the Archbishop of Dublin in Christ Church Cathedral Dublin on Sunday 28th June at 3.30pm. The Archbishop has asked me to preach at this Service of Ordination when Stephen will be joined by Rev. Robert Lawson (Celbridge) and Rev. Anne Marie O'Farrell (Sandford), both of whom are non-stipendary ministers. You are all very welcome to attend this Service and support Stephen as he makes this very important step in his ministry. Please remember him in your thoughts and prayers. Stephen will celebrate the Eucharist for the first time on Sunday 5th July at 10.15am in Christ Church, Taney and on Sunday 12th July at 11.45 in St. Nahi's.

Niall and Karen

Our congratulations and best wishes are with Rev. Niall Sloane and Miss Karen Wilson who announced their engagement in May. Niall and Karen, who met when Niall was Curate in Portstewart and Karen worked with the National Trust at The Argory, Co. Armagh plan to marry in the course of the next year. Niall has been with us in Taney since December 2007 and he has endeared himself to all in every age group. In just over eighteen months, he has made a remarkable impact on parish life. Karen, his fiancée, who comes from Scotland, has moved to Dublin and is working in her chosen career as a conservationist in the National Museum, Collins Barracks. We wish Niall and Karen every happiness for the future.

Taney Summer Fête presents 'The Mad Hatter's Tea Party'

Saturday June 6th from 1pm-4pm in the grounds of Taney Parish Church, Dundrum – that's the date we hope all roads lead to Taney! Get ready for a fun day out for all the family – look forward to seeing you here! Much of the preparation and planning has been done. The Committee, with Carol Eggers (Hon. Sec), Dave Murphy, Jacki Rohu, Jennifer Armstrong and Ciara Maleady have been working since January. There are all the usual stalls, lots of fun, games, face painting for the children and Fancy Dress Competition; teas/coffee and home bakes at the coffee shop, burgers and minerals – all to

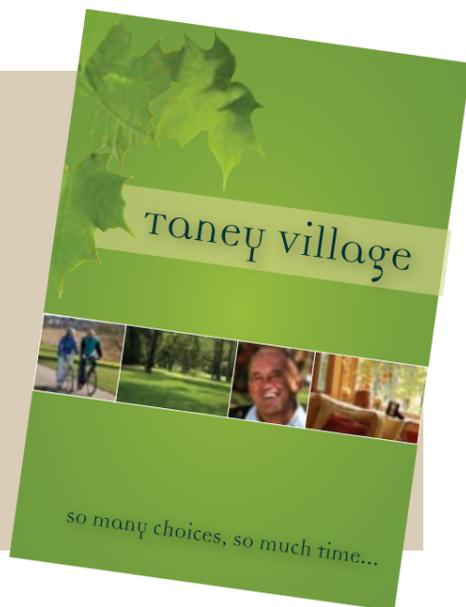
the joyful strains of the Oom-Pah-Pah Jazz Band; marquees and bunting, a light summer breeze, fancy dress on the theme of the day 'The Mad Hatter's Tea Party' – get your costumes and hats at the ready, raffles and 'guess the weight' and people everywhere, meeting old friends and making new ones! Yes, it is one of the genuine Garden Fêtes of Dublin. And you will want to be there. By the way, have you any items for the stalls? Let's have them! See you on Saturday 6th June from 1pm.



Letter from the Rector (cont)

Taney Village

The Select Vestry and the Taney Village Committee have certainly been challenged by the severity of the downturn and by the failure of the banking system to support really worthwhile and positive social and community projects. But we have worked hard and long to keep this Parish vision for "a continuum of care of the older person" alive. There are many positives. The parish received thirty-five deposits from those expressing their tangible interest. We have refined our plans. We are in talks with others of a similar ethos who wish to explore a way forward with us in a joint venture. But it does depend on bank financing being made available to us. We are still in talks with two of the main Banks and will monitor all responses from them and other parties over the summer.



Our thanks

- to Jim Moody who retired as Glebe Warden after fourteen years at the recent Easter Vestry. Jim, with fellow Glebe Warden, David Randall, was responsible for all matters relating to Parish properties and plant. Jim brought to this role his life-long experience in the building and construction business and his advice to the Select Vestry was always backed up by his expertise in all matters relating to property management.
- to Taney Bell Ringers and to Cyril Galbraith (Tower Master) who were in celebration mode at Morning Service on Sunday 10th May when a presentation was made to Cyril in recognition of his services to Bell Ringing in Ireland and in particular, his unique contribution to Bell Ringing

in Taney. Cyril was one of the early motivators in ensuring that the Bells of St. George's, immortalised in the writings of James Joyce, were saved on the closure of St. George's Church, Hardwicke Place, Dublin in 1990. He, personally, with other enthusiasts supervised their dismantling and transport to Taney. He was instrumental, along with Vivien Hood and the Bells Committee, in the restoration of the interior of the tower of Christ Church and in the re-hanging of the bells with a new bell ringing chamber. Many will recall that the bells rang out across the Dublin skyline to mark the beginning of the new millennium on 31st December 1999/1st January 2000 and their call to worship welcomes us each Sunday. Thank you Cyril, and well done.

Summertime

These early weeks of summer bring a distinctive feel to Parish life. Many of our indoor activities have brought their season to a close with a flurry of annual meetings and dinners. Youth activities continue outside with Cubs, Brownies, Guides and Scouts planning summer trips and camping holidays. Taney Lawn Tennis Club invites you to join them at the Parish courts adjacent to Old Rectory Park.

Our services continue through the summer in Christ Church, Taney and in St. Nahi's as normal. We look forward to seeing you when you are at home. When on holiday or enjoying a sunny weekend, if you are close to a church, drop in and worship with the local Christian community. They will appreciate your presence and support.

With best wishes for a great summer,

Canon Desmond Sinnamon

Services for Summer

May 2009

Sun 24th May – 7th Sunday of Easter Sunday after Ascension

Christ Church
8.30am Holy Communion:
10.15am Uniformed Organisations Service: Rev. Peter Campion
7.00pm Holy Communion: Bishop S. G. Poyntz

St. Nahi's
11.45am Parish Communion: Rev. Peter Campion

Wed. 27th
10.00am Holy Communion

Sun 31st May The Day of Pentecost - Whitsunday

Christ Church
8.30am Holy Communion
10.15am Morning Prayer: Rev. Niall Sloane
7.00pm Holy Communion: Rev. Niall Sloane

St. Nahi's
11.45am Parish Communion: Rev. Niall Sloane

JUNE 2009

**Wed. 3rd
(Visitation of Blessed Virgin Mary)**
10.00am – Holy Communion

Sun 7th – Trinity Sunday
Christ Church
10.15am Parish Communion: The Rector
7.00pm A Late Evening Office: Rev. Stephen Farrell

St. Nahi's
8.30am Holy Communion
11.45am Morning Prayer: The Rector

Wed. 10th (St. Barnabas)
10.00am Holy Communion

Sun 14th – 1st Sunday after Trinity
Christ Church
8.30am Holy Communion
10.15am Family Service: Rev. Niall Sloane
7.00pm Holy Communion: Sarah Marry, Student Reader

St. Nahi's
11.45am Parish Communion:
Sarah Marry, Student Reader

Wed 17th
10.00am Holy Communion

Sun 21st – 2nd Sunday after Trinity
Christ Church
10.15am Parish Communion: Rev. Stephen Farrell
7.00pm Compline: Rev. Stephen Farrell

St. Nahi's
8.30am Holy Communion
11.45am Morning Prayer: Rev. Stephen Farrell

Wed 24th (Birth of St. John the Baptist)
10.00am Holy Communion

Sun 28th – 3rd Sunday after Trinity
Christ Church
8.30am Holy Communion
10.15am Morning Prayer: The Rector
3.30pm Ordination of Rev. Stephen Farrell
in Christ Church Cathedral
No Evening Service at 7pm

St. Nahi's
11.45am Parish Communion: The Rector

Wed. 1st July (St. Thomas)
10.00am Holy Communion

Sun 5th July
10.15am in Christ Church, Rev. Stephen Farrell will celebrate Holy Communion for first time as Priest and on Sunday 12th July 11.45am in St. Nahi's.

Summer Services in Taney

Christ Church, Taney – 8.30am Holy Communion (2nd & 4th Sundays)
– 10.15am Morning Service, 7.00pm Evening Service. Midweek Service – Wednesdays at 10.00am.
St. Nahi's, Dundrum – 8.30am Holy Communion – (1st & 3rd Sundays)
– 11.45am Morning Service.

Crèche for Toddlers and young children every Sunday in the Minor Hall during 10.15am Service

Curates Corner

From Church Lodge

SUMMER REST!

Hurray! Summer is upon us. It is a time to look forward to, because there is an opportunity to break away from the routine of work. In order to have a good summer, you don't have to travel or do anything expensive (good news for Cavanmen!). You just need to stay active and occupied, and have an open mind. Here's some tips I read of recently:

- Find comfortable shoes and clothing for the summer, depending on what you will be doing. Look for things that you like and feel comfortable in.
- Turn off the TV. Unplug the DVD player. Get out of the house and get some fresh air!
- Find a local park. Walks in a park can be the best things all summer.
- Be fit. Find a sport that you like.
- Stay in touch with friends and family. Ask your friends and family what they are doing so you can get more ideas of what to do.
- If you get bored one day, call a friend!
- Have a Barbeque!
- Read if you feel like you're getting bored. Subscribe to a magazine if you don't like books.
- Find someone who needs help with work.
- Check out local museums. Museums in Dublin can be great way to pass the time as well as increase your knowledge.
- And after all that, if you are still bored!! - Call me, you can wash my car, clean my house, etc...

I hope you have a restful and enjoyable summer,
With every best wish,



Niall

From Church Cottage

'AN EVENING AT THE OPERA'

Recently Laura and I went to see Rossini's Opera, 'La Cenerentola' in the Cinema in Dundrum Town Centre. It was part of a series of operas being broadcast live from the Metropolitan Opera in New York. At the start, when you watch the 'live' audience assemble in New York it all seems a bit artificial, like you are a voyeur, illicitly watching what ought to be their experience. But when the music begins and the singers take the stage you quite quickly overcome such concerns and begin to react to the singing and the orchestra, with no sense that there are several thousands of miles between you. Soon the experience, which I initially thought of as 'theirs' (that is, the live audiences' experience) became my experience also. There is something about the way in which we respond to music that cannot be altered by distance or time. We connect with it as we hear it, wherever it is being broadcast from, or whenever it

was recorded. The next day was Christian Aid Sunday. Somehow, as I heard the stories of the conditions in the Congo and the experiences of children there, that ability to connect and make their experience mine was taken from me. I was acutely aware of the distance and the separation. Perhaps I didn't want to connect, or perhaps it is just a very useful tool of self-preservation sliding into self-preferring. Either way, I came away wishing that I could connect with my brothers and sisters around the world, wishing that I could connect with these my neighbours, as willingly and as easily as I could with the Met Singers.



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Parish Organisations

Taney Lawn Tennis Club

As I write the weather is dry and sunny and very spring-like. Fingers crossed that we will have a fine and sunny season this year and can play lots of tennis! Although we do not yet know for definite if we will be playing the whole season in Old Rectory Park we have been told that it will be confirmed to us by mid-March. However, we still need to start planning the season ahead, organising the grass cutting and grounds keeping and ordering the cabin and this is now in hand.

We will again be running juvenile coaching during May and June and flyers advertising this will be distributed at Taney National School before Easter. If there are any other eight to twelve year olds who would like to join this very worthwhile programme please contact Lynda Levis at 087 293 7753 or me at 087 232 2308.

Unfortunately we do not have enough men to enter the Summer League and we are also missing two of our top ladies team so will not be entering a ladies



team. However, we do hope to enter two teams in the Mixed League which is played in July and August if we can get enough people to commit and be available to play from the beginning of July up to mid-August. There will be a list up in the pavilion and I would be very grateful if you could put your name on it if you are interested in playing or tell any committee member as soon as possible.

Looking forward to our 2009 season and see you at Old Rectory Park, weather permitting. Margaret Nevin, Hon. Secretary

Mothers' Union

To crown an exceptionally good season of branch meetings we had Patrick Cusack, an expert on antiques, to speak to us on Tuesday 21st April.

Patrick lives locally, is married to a member of a very prominent and popular family in Taney and is known personally to many of us.

He gave us a wonderful talk laced with humour and anecdote. It is always a pleasure to meet someone who clearly enjoys their work and has a wide knowledge of their subject. We brought along a number of items and Patrick kindly did an 'Antiques Road Show' job for us. It is consoling to feel that when the recession bites deeper, we will have something to flog. The worry is, of course, 'Where? and to whom?'

We shall be holding our AGM on Tuesday 12th May, not the most scintillating event on any calendar, but we promise to sweeten the pill with a cheeky little Bring & Buy Sale, and we may even tart up the supper a bit, if you'll pardon the pun!

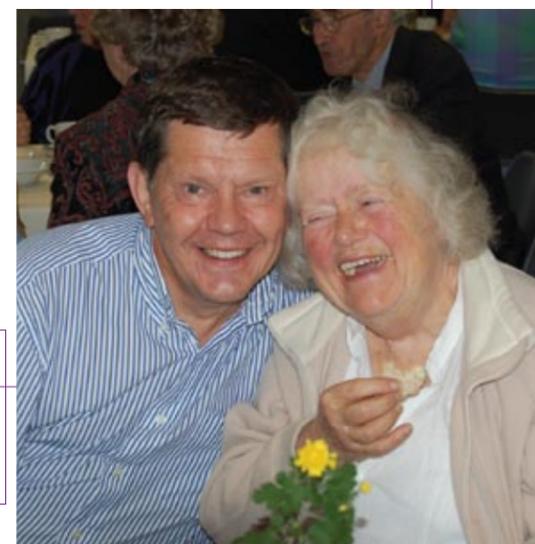
Hazel Marshall

Chancel Guild

Due to unforeseen circumstances the Chancel Guild AGM has been postponed until September.

Care Group

An enjoyable afternoon was had by the members of our Care Group on Palm Sunday which began with a Service of Holy Communion in Christ Church, followed by supper in the Parish Centre. Many thanks to all those who organised the afternoon's activities.




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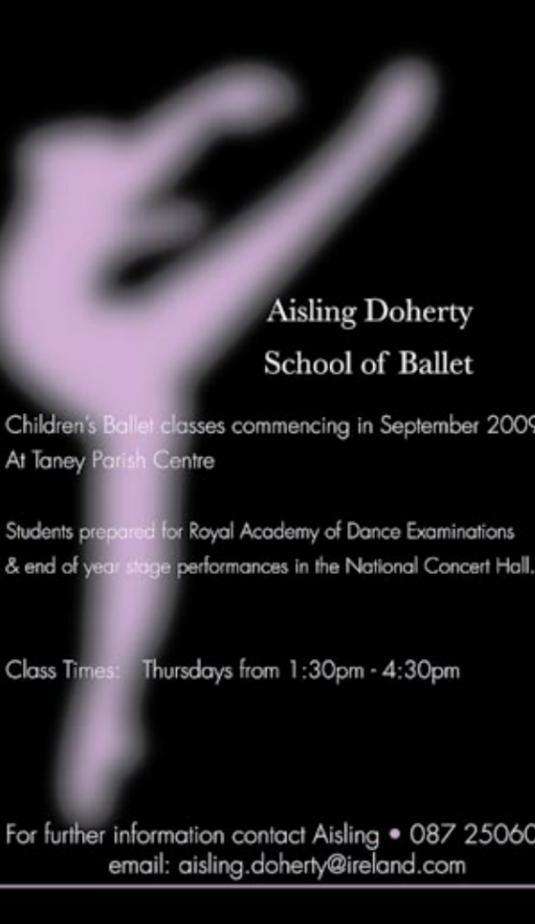
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Taney Indoor Bowling Club



The highlight of the Bowling Season was the winning of the Price Cup on 2nd April. The final was played at Zion against Clondalkin who put on a spirited performance and we were delighted to emerge as winners at the end. Our team pictured with Club

Captain, Myrtle McCoy and Competition Secretary, Esme Williams was Eric Bryan (Skip), Wally Rankin, Reg Jones, Ivan Rafter, Stanley Rowe, Alison Sainsbury, Margaret Spencer and Olive Bryan (Skip).

We ended the season with our Captain's Dinner at the Goat Grill when we presented the trophies to the winners of our club competitions with the Ann Galbraith Cup (singles) being retained by Pat Galbraith and the Reg Acton Cup (pairs) going to Olive Bryan and John McCoy.

At the AGM the Officers and Committee elected for 2009/10 were Captain, Eric Bryan, Hon. Secretary, Stanley Rowe, Hon Treasurer, Margaret Casey, Hon. Competition Sec. Esme Williams, Committee: Alison Sainsbury, Elsie Townsend and Henry Wiseman.

Our new season will start in September when new members will be very welcome. Why not give bowling a trial any Monday or Thursday evening (without obligation) or contact any of the committee above.

Wanted – New Leaders for Wednesday Brownies

Our thanks to Ann Hutchinson and Hazel Howe for their superb work with Brownies every Wednesday. They are both in positions where they will not be able to continue as leaders and for different reasons. Congratulations to Ann who has been offered a place in primary teacher training and to Hazel who will be retiring (again!!!). Hazel did retire four years ago after twenty-four years service but kindly offered her help to Ann. One thing led to another and now after twenty-eight years in Guiding, Hazel is deserving of our gratitude for her remarkable contribution to caring for several generations of children in Brownies. The greatest tribute we can pay to Ann and to Hazel is to assure them that Dundrum Brownies, one of the oldest units in the country, will continue introducing Guiding to our children. Many Brownie units have six to eight parents sharing leadership so that the work and the commitment is shared. Full training is provided for the weekly meeting and an hour's preparation. Both Ann and Hazel say that "above all being a Brownie Leader is great fun and a wonderful experience." How about you? Please contact Ann or Hazel or one of the Clergy – Tel:298 5491.

Taney Rangers

On Saturday 25th April Taney Rangers had a light meal in the parish centre before going by coach to the National Concert Hall for an evening of the music of Queen, Abba and Beach Boys, sung by Peter Corry and the Dublin County Choir. Thanks to all those who came along, and also the committee for their assistance in making the social evening such an enjoyable one, and to Janet for her help in the kitchen. Our next outing will take place on Saturday 13th June to Rathwood Home and Garden World, Tullow, Co. Carlow.

Evelyn Sloane

Taney Drama Society

Congratulations to everyone involved in our recent production of 'The Loves of Cass McGuire' by Brian Friel in the Mill Theatre, Dundrum. The play received high praise from audiences who were enraptured by the story and the characters. A very big thank you to Lynn Pennefather for her excellent direction of the play and to all the actors/actresses, the techies, the set designers and crew, the raffle organisers and to you if you attended the performance for making it such a success.

Our AGM is on Thursday 4th June at 8pm in Taney Parish Centre. The AGM will follow the usual format with a get-together to follow where food and drinks will be served.

The Committee propose offering a scholarship to the Drama League of Ireland Summer School this year. This takes place in Limerick from 1st-8th August. If you are interested in attending then please let us know at the AGM or by contacting any of the Committee.

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Church & Children

We remind you that the Crèche is open in the Parish Centre during Sunday services. However, for those young people who wish to remain in the Service there are Children's Packs available from the Church Porches. We thank Sarah Marry who has designed and is maintaining these folders.

Junior Choir

The Junior Choir is now celebrating its first anniversary and in the past year has made a wonderful contribution to our worship in Taney. We thank Suzanne Chadwick and David Adams for all their work. The Choir is always looking for new members (male and female). Please speak to Suzanne for more information.

Dublin & Glendalough Summer Camps

These will take place in Gurteen, Co. Tipperary from 5th to 11th July (10 to 12 years old) and from 12th to 18th July (13 years +). More information and booking forms available from the Parish Office.



Exam Time

Our thoughts and prayers are with all those sitting exams at this time. A number of suitable prayers have been produced and are available in the church porches or in the Parish Office.



Taney Primary School and PTA

Dates for your Diary: 12th June Sports Day in Marlay Park (19th June if weather is bad); 26th June School closes for Summer Holidays and 1st September School re-opens for new year.

Sunday School

Sunday School is about to finish its term for the current year and will re-commence in September. A big thank you to Iris Dunlop and all the leaders for all their hard work and dedication to our young people.

Confirmation 2009

We were delighted to have Archbishop John Neill with us in Christ Church, Taney when he confirmed nineteen of our young people from the Parish and Wesley College on Sunday, 17th May at 10.15am. Classes were in Wesley College, Ballinteer every Tuesday evening and during April at 10.15am we met each Sunday morning for worship and get-together afterwards. The Confirmation Group played an active role in leading worship in Christ Church at 10.15am on Sunday 29th March. Post Confirmation Breakfasts will be on Sunday 24th & Sunday 31st May at 9.30am in the Parish Centre.

Uniformed Organisations

Trips away have been planned for a number of the groups and we were delighted to have the Rev. Precentor, Peter Campion, Chaplain of King's Hospital School, preach at our Organisation Service on the 24th May 2009 in Christ Church, Taney.

Youth Club

Youth Club has finished its activities for the year and will resume its activities again in September. We hope all the members have an enjoyable summer.



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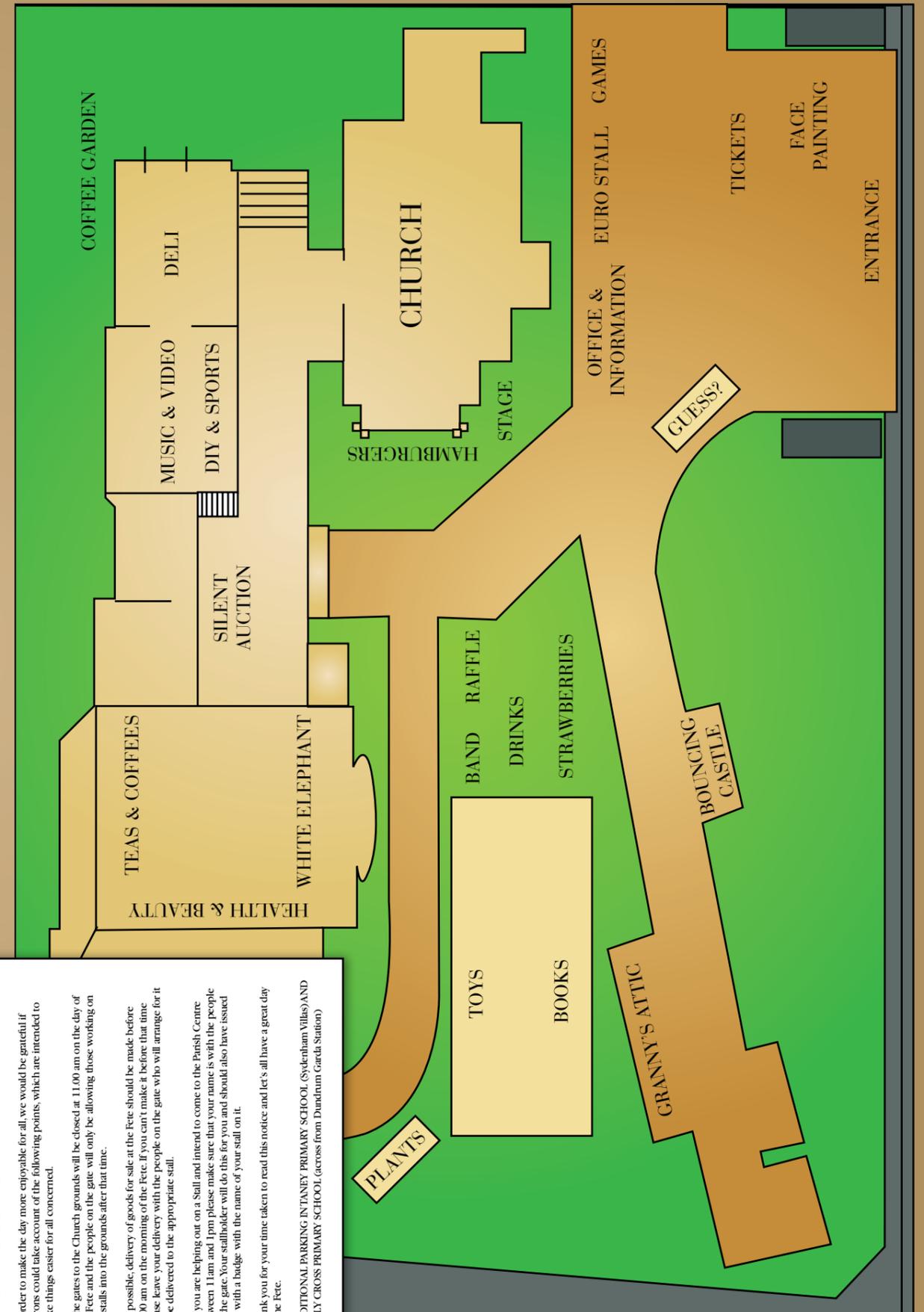
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Taney Fete 09



NOTICE FROM THE FETE COMMITTEE

In order to make the day more enjoyable for all, we would be grateful if patrons could take account of the following points, which are intended to make things easier for all concerned.

1. The gates to the Church grounds will be closed at 11.00 am on the day of the Fete and the people on the gate will only be allowing those working on the stalls into the grounds after that time.
2. If possible, delivery of goods for sale at the Fete should be made before 11.00 am on the morning of the Fete. If you can't make it before that time please leave your delivery with the people on the gate who will arrange for it to be delivered to the appropriate stall.
3. If you are helping out on a Stall and intend to come to the Parish Centre between 11am and 1pm please make sure that your name is with the people on the gate. Your stallholder will do this for you and should also have issued you with a badge with the name of your stall on it.

Thank you for your time taken to read this notice and let's all have a great day at the Fete.

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Taney Fete (Cont)

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HOW CAN YOU HELP?

PLANT STALL Those with green fingers can you give Jean Kiernan a hand on the plant stall or better yet donate some plants, Jean can be contacted on 2697886

GRAN'S ATTIC WE can all find those unwanted gifts, old sports and garden equipment, furniture (no sofas or beds) electrical goods. Please note that all items must be in workable order. Please deliver items to church grounds before 7pm on Friday night. Contact Grainne Mitchell 086175 8747

Let's look around the house for boxes of chocolates, sweets, crisps or any unwanted sweet items, we would be delighted to receive them. Contact Carol on 086 684 9859

Let 's get rid of all those books that are clogging up the bookcase! Angela and Catherine would be delighted to hear from anyone willing to donate books or volunteer on the stall. The ladies can be contacted on 2985129

Clear out all those cupboards and give all your unwanted 'smellies' cleansers, moisturisers, soaps perfume etc to Jane Arpac for the health and beauty stall. Jane can be contacted on 2987885

This year the Deli & Bake Stall is one big food emporium. So Come on all you domestic goddesses! Out with your whisks! Niall welcomes all delicious, homemade goodies, cakes and meringues, jams and breads, chutneys and biscuits. Please remember a list of ingredients for all our allergy sufferers – all items should be labelled and dated. Ring Niall Sloane 2985491

BRIC-A-BRAC Curios, Ornaments, anything old or new. Plates, lamps, pictures house clearance. Rumble in the cupboards and let's have it! Contact Jean on 4944424

If you find any computer goods, cd's, videos etc John Tanner would be happy to take them for the Music and video stall. Please remember all electrical items must be in good working order. Contact John McNally or the Parish office 2985491

ADULTS AND KIDS

Lets take out the sewing machines and create Mad Hatter's Tea Party outfits!!!

Competition will be judged by The Rector



Welcome to Tbay!

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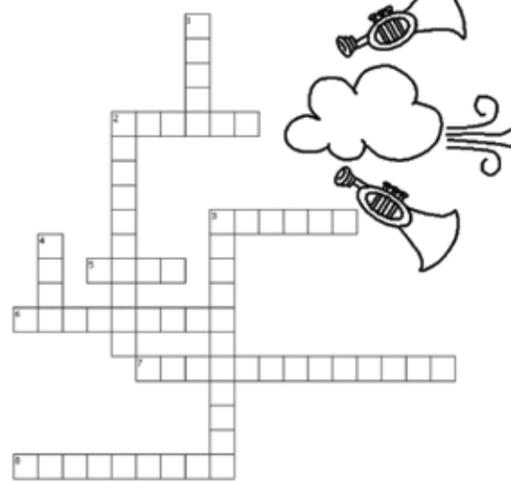
Pentecost Anagram

Word List:
disciples, fiftieth, heaven, languages,
offering, power, presence, sounds, Spirit,
symbolize



- aeehvn _____
- eoprw _____
- ceeenprs _____
- effhiitt _____
- dnossu _____
- aeegglnsu _____
- effginor _____
- beilmosyz _____
- cdeiilpss _____
- iiprst _____

Pentecost Crossword



- Across**
- This Pentecost was special because the Holy _____ filled the disciples.
 - Only after they were _____ with the Holy Spirit did the disciples speak in tongues.
 - A violent _____ from heaven suddenly came into the house where they were gathered.
 - This is the Greek word for fiftieth (the fiftieth day after Easter).
 - The day of Pentecost was a very special day, not ordinary but _____.
 - All of the disciples began speaking in different _____.
- Down**
- Because of the Holy Spirit now the believers had this to be witnesses to everyone.
 - The fire from Heaven _____ the new power and presence of the Holy Spirit in them.
 - Pentecost was also called the day of this, when the people brought an offering.
 - It looked like tongues of fire separated and came to rest on each of the disciples.

Colour In!

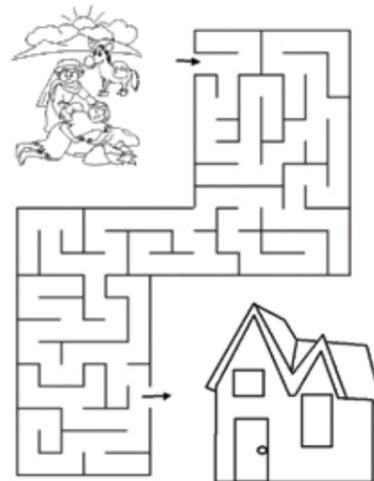


Thank you for food!
Here's a song/prayer that you may not know.
It is sung to the tune of "Rock Around The Clock"

God is Great and God is Good
And we Thank Him for our Food.
We're going to thank Him in the morning, noon and night.
Thank Him 'till the stars come out at night.
Give thanks to God every morning, noon and night.
Amen.
Amen. Amen. Amen.
Clap Clap
Amen.

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Acts 2: 1-20

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Parish News

100 years on ...

It was a 100 years ago when Pippa Booth's grandfather like his father and grandfather before him was the sexton of Taney Church. Pippa and her son, Jonathan and daughter, Kerry made the trip from the South coast of England to celebrate Pippa's 80th birthday and to visit the church and other places down memory lane from Pippa's childhood. Pippa left the area when she was 10 years old.

Pippa remembers that her mother, Evelyn Stanley lived as a girl with her father (Edward Alma Stanley whose plaque hangs on the North wall of the church) and her mother in the little cottage (minus the bathroom!) in the shadow of the church. Apparently Louisa Stanley (nee Morrow) had a turn as sexton after her husband, Edward died in 1917.

The Stanley's daughter - Evelyn Wilson lost her first husband, Charlie, in a tragic accident and Evelyn came back home to the Taney cottage to live. In the cottage opposite (where Curate Niall lives) was William Lyons Wilson living with his parents. He and Evelyn had played together as children and then fell in love and married.

They had Pippa who recalls how as a girl her cousin Hilary locked her in the church after everyone had gone. Hilary emigrated to Canada and married a minister there. Her other cousin Dick used to practice the organ in the church and sometimes play on a Sunday evening. Dick went on to become the organist of Khartoum Cathedral. These were very happy memories for the gentle Irish girl who left her home in South Dublin and moved to Worthing in England so that her father could find some work.

So it was that 70 years after she left the area she returned to Taney hoping that someone might be able to find a key and let her take a peek at the church her family were so connected to when she was a girl.



Gingerly we climbed the stairs to the office to enquire whether anyone might be able to show us around the church. Curate Stephen "happened" to be in the office and gladly agreed to show Pippa, Jonathan and Kerry around. Stephen was so welcoming and kindly showed us the church and the plaque which hung on the wall. In the course of conversation Kerry mentioned that she had always wanted to be baptised and had even thought of emailing the church to ask if she could be whilst she was visiting there. Stephen said if she would like to be she could be baptised this very morning and Kerry was overjoyed. So it was that on a sunny morning that Kerry, Edward Alma Stanley's great granddaughter professed her Christian faith in the beloved church of her great grandfather.

What does all this mean? Well it means that the people of Taney have been faithful to their God for a hundred years since Pippa's Grandfather was the sexton. It seems to me to mean that the "universal courtesy" mentioned on the plaque was extended all this time later to three strangers who knocked on the door of the church and asked if they could venture in. It means that faith from generation to generation lives on and it means that one distant Irish family was able to reconnect with its roots and find an Irish welcome in the place of their forebears.

So a big thank you to Stephen, Niall and Desmond for your welcome and a thank you to the present congregation at Taney for the vibrant faith which like the church has stood solidly as a witness to Christ for more than 100 years.

Dedication of Wheelchair Lift – The Gift of Dolly Turner

Following the Care Group Holy Communion for Easter, The Rector dedicated a Wheelchair Lift in the Parish Centre. The lift has been donated by Dolly Turner (seated) in memory of her late husband Tom who for a lifetime was a member of Taney Parish and an honorary member of the Parish Snooker Club where he was one of its most gifted players.



Trip to St George's Church, Dublin



In March, Niall and Stephen had the privilege of being showed around St George's Church, Hardwick Place.

This church has strong connections with Taney Parish. The bells from St George's hang in Christ Church and the prayer desks, which originally stood in St George's, were presented to St Nahi's in memory of William V. Jolley and Gladys Wilkinson.

St George's Church was formed from St Mary's Parish in 1793. The Church was designed by Francis Johnston and consecrated in 1814. At a time St George's was one of the biggest parishes in Dublin (a title now held by Taney). Unfortunately, urban change and the population move to the suburbs led to the demise of the Church. It closed for worship in April 1990. Afterwards, it was used as a theatre and a nightclub. The current owners have completed a detailed refurbishment of the building and it is hoped that it may be used as an office space in the future. We were both very impressed at the massive restoration project that has restored this beautiful building to something of its former glory.

"The belfry of George's Church sent out constant peals..."
James Joyce, Ulysses

Easter General Vestry

The Easter General Vestry was on Sunday 29th March following a short Morning Service led by the Confirmation Candidates in Christ Church, Taney. Following the Rector's Report, the Parish financial report was presented by the Hon. Treasurer, Alanna Carter, giving details of Parish Income & Expenditure. In the midst of all the figures and data on major Parish projects and day to day income and expenses, there was a report on our giving to Mission, Charities, Christian partners overseas and those in need. As a Christian community, we in Taney have always given priority to our support of those who at home or abroad give help to others in need or who lend their

support to worthwhile projects. Two years ago, we gave over €54,000. It is good to report that once again our giving last year (2008) came to over €56,000. This total is spread across a wide range of mission partners, charities and worthy causes. Bishop Tucker Theological College, Uganda, 'Children of Bethlehem', Bishops Appeal, Near East Council of Churches Relief Work in Gaza represent only some of our overseas giving. At home, a range of mission and charities, hospitals and church restoration projects are included. For the newly elected members of Select Vestry please see inside cover.

Lenten Lunches 2009

Once again the Committee sincerely thank all who helped in the success of our Lenten Lunches – the soup-makers, tray-bakers, teams of helpers and those who contributed with donations towards tea, coffee, etc. Lastly, very importantly, we thank those who came in great numbers to support us. We were glad to welcome in addition to our Taney Parishioners, our friends from Holy Cross Church and Dundrum Methodist Church.

We thank God for the wonderful result €5,390.15 to be shared between Christian Aid, through Bishop's Appeal, and Trocaire for work in the Third World.



St. Nahi's

Work is in progress on developing a podcast audio tour of St. Nahi's which may be downloaded from the Parish Website: www.taneyparish.ie. We are grateful for Harry and Dave Griffith for their work on this project. More details will follow later.



Churches Together in Dundrum – Tuesdays in Lent

Our Churches Together 'Tuesday's in Lent' series of sharing faith with our neighbours in Dundrum Methodist and Holy Cross took place in Holy Cross, Dundrum this year. These Lenten discussions were led by a group of lay people from our three churches.

Parish News (cont)

'Taney News' and Website: Prizes at General Synod



The winners of the Central Communications Board 2009 Communications Competition for the best newsletters/magazines, websites and innovative use of new technologies by individuals, parishes and dioceses were announced on Sunday 10 May, by the Archbishop of Armagh at the General Synod in Armagh City Hotel. The competition was independently judged by

external media professionals. The best parish magazine was won by the Parish of Castledermot. The runner-up was 'The Columban', the magazine of St Columba's Parish, Knock, Belfast. Finally in this category, 'Taney News' from Taney Parish, Dundrum, Dublin, was 'highly commended', praised as 'fresh and readable' with a good use of pictures and attractive front page. In the Websites category the external judge particularly looked for something more than mere information, such as interactivity, video, audio, etc. It was felt that the best sites make the viewer feel included, invited into a community, creating a coherent impression of the church itself. In the Parish websites category, St Mary's Parish, Ballybeen's fresh and attractive site scooped first place, with Taney Parish in second place, praised for its attractive design and current content.

Mothers' Union Visit

On Sunday 26th April we welcomed Ms Thandi Xundu as our preacher. Thandi is from Port Elizabeth, South Africa. She is a former Mothers' Union President for the Anglican Province of Southern Africa and is a Trustee of Mary Sumner House in London the HQ of Mothers' Union. She was also joined by Mrs Margaret Crawford, All Ireland Mothers' Union President.



New Website Launched www.taneyparish.ie

Pictured at the launch of a new website for the parish are the Canon Des Sinnamon, Rector, Alanna Carter, Hon Treasurer of Select Vestry, the Rev Niall Sloane, the Rev Stephen Farrell (Curates) and Dudley Dolan, Hon Sec of Select Vestry.



Summer Art School

Once again the Summer Art School will take place in the Parish Centre on Friday mornings from 10.30 to 12.00pm. The course will begin on Wednesday 15th July and end on Wednesday 26th August. The fee for the course will be €30. Whether you are a 'past pupil' of the Art School, or a complete beginner, you will receive a warm welcome and a lot of encouragement from Bernie and Gillian. Places are limited so don't wait too long to put your name down! We look forward to seeing you there. Bernie

Congratulations!

Well done to Eugene Griffin who has been recommened by the Archbishop to commence training for Holy Orders in the Church of Ireland Theological Institute. Eugene is a member of Christ Church Choir and has made a significant contribution to our worship in Taney. We wish him every blessing in his studies.

Choir Visit

The Parish Communion in Christ Church on Sunday 3rd May had a European element as we welcomed 'Choralia', the Choir of the Evangelical Lutheran Church, Tampere, Finland. The choir were visiting Dublin over the Bank holiday weekend and sang a number of pieces during the service.

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Parish News (cont)

Dublin and Glendalough Diocesan Church Music Committee

Website: www.churchmusicdublin.org e-mail: info@churchmusicdublin.org

For almost twenty years, the Church Music Committee has provided a three-year modular training course for musicians working in the local church. There are three strands – individual organ tuition leading to an organ examination, training in working with choirs, and seminars exploring various aspects of the role of music in the Church's liturgy. Students are expected to participate fully in all areas of the course. Those who complete each year satisfactorily are awarded a certificate by the Archbishop of Dublin.

Currently there are fourteen students, each sponsored by a parish in Dublin and Glendalough, including Taney. The cost of tuition is shared by the students, the parishes and the dioceses.

Applications to enter the course in September 2009 should be sent by 31st May 2009. Further information is available on the Committee's website and from the Hon. Secretary, Mrs. Jacqueline Mullen on (01) 298 8923, jacqulmullen@eircom.net

The purpose of the course is to ensure a continuing supply of musicians for the local church. It is in the long-term interest of all parishes to make this practical training widely known. We hope you will encourage anyone who might be interested to enquire further.

Safeguarding Trust

On April 20th, Mrs. Olive Good, the Diocesan Safeguarding Trust Officer conducted a triennial audit of the Safeguarding Trust provisions in the parish. Meeting with the three members of the Safeguarding Trust panel, Charlie Sloane, Beryl Tilson and Trilly Keatinge and the parish clergy, all aspects of health and safety and child protection were assessed. Whilst highlighting several areas for improvement, the parish was commended for the way in which Safeguarding Trust practice and procedures are implemented and Taney was described as being 'near the top of the class' in the Diocese.

All issues raised have now been rectified and further details are available from the parish panel

Taney Parish seeks

- To create a safe environment which will promote healthy and fulfilling participation of children and minimise the possibility of harm, either deliberate or accidental.
- To encourage safe practices for those who work with children
- To safeguard those who work with children from the consequences of unfounded accusations
- A Training Session has been held in the Parish giving all those who work with children a full introduction to child protection and best practice.

Should you have any concerns or questions contact a member of the Parish Safeguarding Trust Panel
Charles Sloane Tel: 295 5008 Trilly Keatinge Tel: 492 2791 Beryl Tilson Tel: 295 3397

members or the clergy. At this venture thanks and appreciation must be extended to all who work with children in the parish for their hard work and willingness to adapt to the requirements of Safeguarding Trust.

Hundreds of children visit the Churches and Parish Centre of Taney Parish for worship, Sunday School, etc and for other social, educational and recreational purposes each week. The Church's ministry to them is a priority for the Parish and it is only possible because of the commitment of adults who are prepared to work with children. Safeguarding Trust is designed to protect and enhance that ministry.

Open Christianity Network

Committee Members of the OCN (Open Christianity Network) are holding an Open Day at Bloomville, Geashill, County Offaly, courtesy of Christopher Fettes, on July 4th, 2009 beginning at 12.00 noon. SEAN O'CONNAILL, an active member of Voice of the Faithful and author of *Scattering of the Proud* will speak on the subject of 'Schism and Accountability.' This will be followed by a discussion. A light buffet lunch will be provided. So that we can estimate numbers for catering, those planning to attend should inform our host, Christopher Fettes: 057-9343883 www.bloomfettes@eircom.net

We hope to welcome you to Bloomville. You will have an opportunity to meet others who are searching for

an honest and open faith centred on the teachings of Jesus and the best traditions of Christianity. Bloomville is just off the road between Portarlinton and Tullamore (R420). If you are coming from Portarlinton, go through CLONEYGOWAN, travel a further 1.5 miles, and turn left (before reaching a church on the right). Coming from Tullamore, go through GEASHILL, travel a further 2.5 miles, and turn right (after passing a church on the left). 1.3 miles down this road, just before a bridge over the railway, is an entrance on the left, with the name "Bloomville" on the right-hand pillar. Park at 45 degrees on the grass on the left of the avenue: this will make it easy for you to back out and depart by the back gate (which you will have passed on your way to the front one!). If lost, phone 057-9343883.

Holy Week & Easter in Taney

Special services marked Holy Week and Easter. Each evening in Holy Week Bishop Richard Henderson spoke on journeying to the Cross in a most insightful and thought provoking way. All ages packed into Christ Church and St. Nahi's for our Easter celebrations. In Christ Church Parish Eucharist was followed by a festive reception in Taney Parish Centre and an egg hunt for the children. Our thanks to organist, David Adams and the choirs for enhancing our worship at the main services of the day and to Suzanne Chadwick who prepared our Youth Choir for their contribution to

our Lenten services and Easter celebrations. As usual the Chancel Guild pulled out all the stops in decorating our churches with a distinctly Easter theme. Our thanks to them for all their hard work and dedication. Thanks to Mary Ann Williams and her team of helpers who organized the 'Egg Hunt' and Reception following the Service in Christ Church, Taney. Christian Aid Family Service for Christian Aid Week was on Sunday 10th May at 10.15am. Thank you to our Preacher Mr. Peter Byrne of Christian Aid Ireland.

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From the Registers

Baptism

7th March 2009 (in Christ Church) – Isabelle Iris, daughter of Toman MacGinley & Nicola Darley
8th March 2009 (in Christ Church) – Alex Conor, son of Diarmuid & Emma-Jane Quinlan
31st March 2009 (in Christ Church) – Kerry Wiseman (nee Booth)
26th April 2009 (in Christ Church) – Ben Nathan, son of Gerard & Susan Gogan
26th April 2009 (in St. Nahi's) – Luca Thomas, son of Serge & Michele Basini
3rd May 2009 (in Christ Church) – Tara Muriel, daughter of Ian & Hazel Quigley
3rd May 2009 (in Christ Church) – Dillon Michael, son of Gerard Byrne & Caroline Minchin
10th May (in St. Nahi's) – Ciara Ruth, daughter of Jon and Karen Willetts
17th May (in Christ Church) – Denise Nia, daughter of Edwin Hodgins and Leonora Fernandez.

Confirmation

17th May 2008 (in Christ Church) – From Taney Parish:- Jamie Belton, Oliver Brooks, Jane Connor, Craig Freemantle, Alastair Greene, Claire Hallissey, Aaron Johnston, Colin Kiernan, Eleanor Long, Michele Madden, Ciaran Maguire, Daisy Maloney, Sam Pollock, Andrew Rafter, Kirk Shimmins, Dean Tracey and Hazel Tracey. From Wesley College:- Christopher Dickson and Jessica Roe.

Marriage

11th April 2009 (in Christ Church) – Roland Matthews and Heather Dixon

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Funeral

10th March 2009 (in Christ Church) – Jean Dixon
16th March 2009 (in Christ Church) – Gladys James
6th May 2009 (in Christ Church) – Joan Conroy
11th May 2009 (in Christ Church) – Robert (Robin) Frater Luke
16th May 2009 (in Mount Jerome) – Hilary Cranston Stringer

Our sympathy and prayers are with all who have been bereaved remembering especially:-

Willie, Elaine & Heather on the death of Jean.

Sandra, Daphne, Gillian & Roger on the death of their mother, Gladys.

Ivan Rafter on the death of his Aunt.

Brian and Clodagh on the death of Joan.

Peter on the death of his father, Robin.

Muriel Galloway on the death of Victor.

Pamela and the wider family on the death of Hilary.

Hilary Doak on the death of her mother, Gertie

Edwin Doyle on the death of his sister, Cynthia Doyle (daughter of Marjorie Doyle sometime organist of St. Nahi's).

May they all know the comfort of God's love at this time.

Jean Dixon will be dearly missed by all in Taney where, with her husband Willie, she served as Sexton, organised and helped for a time in the Parish Coffee Shop and with humility in service and her natural modesty offered friendship to all who came through our doors.

A thank you from the Dixon family

I would like to take this opportunity to sincerely thank all of our family and friends for their tremendous support both while Jean was in hospital and following her passing. The cards, calls and visitors have been a testament to us for how well she was liked.

I would also like to thank the clergy; Canon Sinnamon, Rev Niall, Rev Stephen, and Archdeacon David Pierpoint for their prayers, in the hospital, at our home and in church. Although we are still trying to come to terms with our huge loss everyone's thoughtfulness & kindness is helping us along the way.

Yours sincerely,

Willie, Elaine & Heather Dixon

Hospitals

The clergy would appreciate being told if parishioners are in hospital, going into hospital, are being transferred or if they have been discharged, and will be pleased to offer pastoral support. A selection of prayers is available from the Clergy or in the Church porches.

Prayer Points

A selection of prayers is now available which pay particular attention to the current financial and economic situation. There are also leaflets available for monthly prayer points. Both these documents are available in the church porches or from the Parish Office.

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