

INCH-KILMALEY-CONNOLLY PARISH NEWSLETTER

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28th Sunday Ordinary Time Year "B" 11th October, 2015

MASSES:	Inch	Sun 18 th Oct 9.30am	Special Intention
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	Kilmaley	Sat 10 th Oct 7.30pm	Dick & Elizabeth Nagle, Letteragh Joe Hayes, Kyleatunna Patrick Casey, Knockadangan Martin Connellan, Lisroe Martin & Peg Cahill, Knockatunna
		Sun 11 th Oct 11.30am	Mary McInerney, Mowlam Nursing Home Ennis & Cullen (Month's Mind)
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SYMPATHY: We offer our sympathy, support and prayers to the family, relatives and friends of **Kevina O' Rourke, Kyleatunna**, who was buried during the week.

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES: Connolly – Mon, Tue, Wed @ 10.00am Kilmaley – Thur, Fri, Sat @ 10.00am

MINISTRY OF THE WORD: Kilmaley- Sat 17th Oct @ 7.30pm **Mike Rynne** Sun 18th Oct @ 11.30am **Ann O'Loughlin**
Inch- Sun 18th Oct @ 9.30am **Anne-Marie Upenicks** Connolly – Sun 11th Oct @ 10.30am David Dillon & Roisin Ni Ceallaigh

BASKET & ENVELOPE COLLECTIONS: A sincere thanks to all who contribute so generously every weekend to all the various collections: The total last weekend was as follows- **Weekly Envelope €780.45; Priests Collection €391; Sick and Retired Priests' Fund €18.50; Missions €20; All Saints €20**

MISSIONS SUNDAY: World Missions Ireland on behalf of the Society for the Propagation of the Faith thank you for your support on Mission Sunday. In 2014, the Mission Sunday Collection in Killaloe Diocese amounted to **€64,642**. Thank you for your great generosity in difficult times. The people in Killaloe Diocese have been urged to support missionaries working in some of the world's poorest countries by donating during the forthcoming Mission Sunday collection on October 18th. The theme for World Mission Sunday in Ireland this year 2015 is **"Abundant Life"**. As we thank you for your wonderful generosity to the Missions over the years we invite you to please continue to help our young churches to share the gift of faith through your prayer and whatever financial assistance you can.

MATT TALBOT NOVENA 2015 – SHANNON – 23RD YEAR OF THE NOVENA: The annual Novena praying for all suffering or sharing in the life of addictions, will begin for the 23rd year, on this Tuesday October 13th at 7pm, in SS John & Paul Church, Shannon. The Preacher for the third evening will be **Rev. Michael Geraghty, recently ordained, Nenagh**. The Novena can be viewed each week live on line at www.shannonparish.ie where petitions can also be sent to the special online petition form. Please spread the word! A warm welcome awaits all.

KILMALEY MEITHEAL ANNUAL FUNDRAISER: This will take place on 24th & 25th Oct. The 5th **Kilmaley's Got Talent** competition will be held at Magowna House, Inch on Sat 24th Oct @ 6pm (**Applications to Parish Schools & Shops or email info@kilmaleymeitheal.ie**) **Open air Mass & walk will commence at 1pm on Sun. 25th Oct with the "Blessing of the Grotto" (outside Connolly church)** followed by a picnic and a walk to the Kilmaley Inn (via back roads) for a **bbq & social evening**. All welcome. **There will be NO 10.30 a.m. Mass in Connolly Church on Sunday 25th October**

FORMATION PROGRAMME IN LITURGY AND LITURGICAL MUSIC: designed for people working in music ministry as directors of choirs or folk groups, cantors, musicians etc will be held in 2015/2016. The programme will run three Saturdays (November, February, April) for two years. Each Saturday will begin at 10 am and end at 4 pm. A Certificate of Course Completion will be awarded by the National Centre for Liturgy, Maynooth. **Application forms from Maureen Kelly, Pastoral Development Office, 45 Garden View, Clarecastle, Co. Clare (087 2890942)**

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: A Sincere thanks to all those who are part of our Eucharistic Adoration every Tuesday. Sincere thanks to all who join in prayer in your own time. **The month of November is quickly approaching & we are organising 24 Hours Adoration on Tuesday November 3rd from 10 a.m. to Wednesday 4th November at 10 a.m. This is a special time of prayer in remembrance of the Holy Souls.** We are inviting extra people to be part of this special time of prayer, especially during the night time hours. Anyone who would like to give an hour please give your names to the Parish Office.

JUSTICE AND PEACE AND CARE OF CREATION STRAND OF THE PASTORAL PLAN FACEBOOK PAGE: Currently available on the page is the encyclical *Laudato Si* and also some key principals of Catholic Social Teaching. The Facebook page is available at this link: <https://www.facebook.com/KillaloeDioceseJusticeandPeace?fref=ts>. or alternatively you can just type Killaloe Diocese Justice and Peace Group into the Facebook search engine and it should come up.

THE ANNUAL TRIDUUM TO ST. GERARD MAJELLA in Esker Redemptorist Church Mon 12th October to Wed 14th. 2 Sessions each day 10am and 8pm. Blessing with First Class Relic at each session. Further details www.redemptoristsesker.ie 091 844549

INSPIRED BY THE WORDS OF POPE FRANCIS IN LAUDATO SI', We are joining with Catholics worldwide, as part of the [Global Catholic Climate Movement](#) to call on our political leaders to take urgent action to prevent climate change pushing people deeper into poverty. Be part of this global movement [by signing this petition now](#) and we will deliver it to Taoiseach Enda Kenny on your behalf before they travel to Paris for the major climate negotiations there at the end of November. Please sign the petition here: <http://www.trocaire.org/takeaction/climate-justice> or alternatively you can log onto the Killaloe Diocese Justice and Peace group Facebook Page and click the link and sign from there.

DEFIBRILLATORS: Defibrillators located at **Connolly Church & Kilmaley Daycare Centre**. Be Prepared-Get Trained -Save a Life. Contact Debbie 087- 6103716 or Eilish 087- 9742162

KILMALEY LOTTO: Numbers Drawn 6, 7, 10, 23. No Jackpot Winner. Jackpot next week €7,000---- €30 Winners- Geraldine Meehan, Róisín Ni Cheallaigh, Tom Hogan, Joan Pyne, Mary Lynch. Next Draw on Saturday 10th October. Play online at www.kilmaleygaa.ie

CLOTHING COLLECTION CONNOLLY NATIONAL SCHOOL: Please drop in bags of used clothes to Connolly National School between 11 and 12 on Sunday 11th October. Many thanks for your support.

HALLOWEEN PARTY: This will take place on Saturday 31st October at the Bogdale Inn, 4-7 p.m, Goody bags, Fancy dress competition & loads of prizes. Fantastic time for all. €5 per child /€12 for family. Proceeds to Connolly Preschool

CLARE PRO LIFE TALK by Kate Bopp of Family & Life in the Old Ground Hotel, Ennis on Monday October 12th 7:30pm in the Banner Suite. All welcome!

REGINA NATHAN SOPRANO will perform **My World is My Song**, an exciting concert featuring a rich and eclectic mix of songs that enhances the deep connections between the music we love, our everyday experiences and our personal stories. **Saturday October 17th in Glór at 8.00pm** Regina Nathan Soprano, Robert Chevara Director, Elizabeth Rossiter Piano, Nolan & Lambe @ glór will be open on the evening and you can opt for a pre-show supper before the event for just €16.50. This may be booked with box office directly or online. Walk ups also welcome.

SOCIAL DANCE IN AID OF BUMBLEANCE: Bellsfort Inn, Newmarket On Fergus on Friday 16th October, Music By: Dermot Lyons. Admission €10, pay at the door on night or tickets on sale from 086-0839020. For more details contact: Tracey (0860839020) Pat (0878472211) **BUMBLEance** is the world's first interactive children's ambulance and the most technologically advanced on the planet.

CHARITY WALK: 5K Walk, Jog, Run will take place on Bank Holiday **Monday 26th October at 12 noon** starting and finishing at Frure GAA Pitch, Lissycasey. Entry fee Adults €10 and Family €20. The proceeds of this fundraiser will go towards the building of a rescue home for the forgotten children of Kenya which are used for the trafficking industry. Local volunteer John Culligan will travel with the Ray of Sunshine Charity for 12 days in January 2016. Your support would be greatly appreciated. Spot prizes and refreshments served afterwards in the club house. Further information please contact: John Culligan 087 6186048

COLAISTE MUIRE 40 YEAR RE-UNION 1970-1975: Templegate Hotel, Saturday 17th October at 7.00pm. Casual get-together, dinner & refreshments. Invitation to everyone who started in Colaiste Muire Ennis in 1970. See Facebook Event – Colaiste Muire Ennis Reunion 1970-1975. For details contact Margaret Heaslip (Neylon) Tel. 087 7761204; Hilary Corcoran (Campbell) 087 7834139; Cora McNulty (Hahessy) 087 9873702.

TABLE QUIZ will be held in the Old Ground Hotel Thursday 15th starting at 9pm. Prizes consist of trip the Aran Island, dinner of two in Ennis and others. Teams €20 for 4. Contact Marie 087-2100297

ROAD OPENING: Proposed Road Opening from The Hand to Ennis. Any parishioners who are opposed to this controversial development or who will be affected by it are asked to contact their local T.D.'s, County Councillors & the planning section of Clare County Council without delay.

PREMIERE HOSTING: Following on the success of the *Irish Premiere of Les Miserables in 2013*, *Cuan an Chlair* are delighted to host the Irish premiere of "Brooklyn" by Colm Toibin and starring Saoirse Ronan Thursday November 5th in the Ennis Movieplex at 8pm. Tickets are priced at €20 and include late supper at the Old Ground Hotel. Tickets available from the Hotel, Veritas, Parish Office, and the Ennis Book shop. A fabulous night out guaranteed to support this local charity.

CAMOGIE NEWS Kilmaley Camogie held a successful Cake Sale last weekend €448 was raised for the club. The club wishes to thank all the members and friends of Kilmaley Camogie that baked items for this sale and to all who supported us on the day. Your support is very much appreciated. Kilmaley Camogie club are currently collecting second hand clothes for its clothes collection. All donations should be give to Chairman Martin Glynn 087 4199874. This is an important stream of revenue for our club as we are in continuous need of funds to run our club. On the playing fields our under 13s, 15s and 16s are all in county finals. Under 13s this Saturday v Sixmilebridge in Shannon Camogie Pitch. U 16s v St Josephs Doora Barefield this Friday 16th at 5.30pm. Venue TBA and the under 15s play Corofin. The Under 21s will commence in the coming weeks. Kilmaley Camogie wish to extend their deepest sympathy to the O'Rourke family on the recent death of Kevina. Our prayers and thoughts are with her family and friends at this sad time.