

INCH-KILMALEY-CONNOLLY PARISH NEWSLETTER

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24th Sunday Ordinary Time Year "B"

13th September, 2015

MASSES:

Inch	Sun 13 th Sept, 9.30am	Brid Warren, Cappalea North Jack, Teresa & Micko Fitzpatrick & family members, Tullassa Gerald & Mary Barry & family members, Slaveen
	Sun 20th Sept, 9.30am	Special Intention
Kilmaley	Sat 12 th Sept, 7.30pm	Pap & Peggy Burke, Culleen
	Sun 13th Sept, 11.30am	Special Intention
	Sat 19 th Sept, 7.30pm	Martin McDonnell, Loughburke, Memorial Mass
	Sun 20th Sept, 11.30am	Special Intention
Connolly	Sun 13 th Sept, 10.30am	Michael & Nora Reidy, Slievealoughaun Danny Gleeson & family members, Aildavour
	Sun 20 th Sept, 10.30am	Seán Ó Ceallaigh, Rae na gCiseach, 1 st Anniversary

"YEAR OF CONSECRATED LIFE": We extend a warm welcome to join with our Criocha Callan Cluster to celebrate this special occasion on **Thursday 24th September at 7.30 p.m. in Miltown Malbay Church**. We ask that any family who have members in Religious Life be as Sisters, Brothers, Priests to contact the Parish Office with their names & addresses as soon as possible. We hope to send a personal Invitation to each one concerned.

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

**MINISTRY OF THE WORD: Kilmaley - Sat 19th Sept @ 7.30pm McDonnell Family Sun 20th Sept @ 11.30am Ann O'Loughlin
Inch - Sun 20th Sept @ 9.30am Siobhan Barry Connolly – Sun 20th Sept @ 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 €674.90; Priests Collection €50; Assumption €20.40; Sick & Retired Priests €110 (Total to date €690); Peters Pence €2;**

AUTUMN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES. The Killaloe Diocese Autumn Pilgrimage to Lourdes takes place from **Sunday 4th October to Friday 9th October**. €667 per person sharing with a €10 discount for online booking to joewalshstours.ie. Enquiries to Fr Tom Ryan Shannon Pilgrimage Director, 061 364133.

NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS 2015 will take place in Knock on **September 26th - 27th**. The theme **Christ Our Hope**, is reflective of the theme of IEC2016. For more information see the website – www.nec2015.ie

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

BURREN OUTDOOR RETREAT, Friday 25th to Sunday 27th September: Would you like to come on a journey through the Burren with its limestone pavements, rare flora and ancient sacred sites? Let the beauty of this place renew you in body and soul. Commuters welcome. Booking: Des 085 1614951

MEDJUGORJE PRAYER MEETING: Monday 14th September: District Daycare Centre, Clarecastle: 8pm: All welcome.

POLAND PILGRIMAGE: Divine Mercy Pilgrimage to Poland takes place on October 5th 2015 for 9 nights. The Pilgrimage takes in Warsaw, Czestochowa, Zakopane, Krakow and Wadowice the birthplace of St. John Paul 2nd. The Spiritual Director is Fr. John Walsh and the group leader is Kathleen Hayes. Cost is €1,169.00. For further details contact Kathleen Hayes on 061 368549 / 085 1996440.

TRÓCAIRE-REFUGEE CRISIS: Trocaire have an online petition seeking justice for the refugee crisis at the moment. The petition is available here: <http://www.trocaire.org/refugeecrisis>.

KILMALEY LOTTO: **Numbers Drawn 7, 16, 19, 27.** No Jackpot Winner. Jackpot next week €6,600---- €30 Winners- Una Daly, Aly Carmody, Kevin Keane, Cisty Slattery, Angela Cahill. Next Draw on Saturday 12th September. Play online at www.kilmaleygaa.ie

PARISH RADIO LINK: At present we are trying to compile a list of all those who have a **hand radio receiver** for our Parish Mass Radio Link. If any person who has one and not using it, could it be returned to parish office or any of the churches please.

CLARECARE Annual Church Gate Collection is on this **Sat/Sun, September 12th & 13th**. All proceeds from this collection are spent in County Clare. Clarecare relies on your generosity to sustain services to vulnerable. Children, Families and Older Persons. All support would be greatly appreciated.

BIG BINGO NIGHT: Fundraising Night in Aid of **Connolly National School** will be held on Friday 9th of October at 8pm in Magowna House Hotel. Jackpot €300, Each House €70, Each Line €30; Double Book €12; Single Book €10; Children's Books €5 Jackpot sheet €3 or 2 for €5. A great nights fun guaranteed. Please support

MILFORD CARE CENTRE AND ANAM CARA ARE HOLDING A BEREAVEMENT INFORMATION EVENING on Thursday 17th of September 2015 from 19:00 to 21:00 in Milford Care Centre, Co. Limerick. The guest speaker for the evening is Brid Carroll and the topic is "Coping with loss when a child dies". All Anam Cara Services are available free of charge to bereaved parents. Anam Cara will need to confirm numbers for room set up, we would appreciate if you could RSVP to info@anamcara.ie before Wednesday, 16th September 2015 or call us 01 4045378.

TRACTOR RUN on Sunday 20th September in aid of the West Clare Cancer Centre. Starting at Fanny O'Deas Lissycasey at 12 noon. Entry fee €20 per tractor. Route via Crows Cross, Kilmaley, Frure and return to Fanny O'Deas for refreshments, raffle and music. Please support this worthy cause (In memory of Tony Lynch formally of Moyasta and 5 Cul Daire, Lissycasey).

RACE NIGHT: A Race Night will be hosted by **Kilmaley N.S. on Saturday 10th October at 9 p.m. in the Kilmaley Inn** with all funds raised going to the "Kilmaley National School Development Fund. We are inviting families in the area to purchase a horse at a cost of €20 each. We are also seeking spot prizes and any business who would like to sponsor a race contact Evelyn 087-6982500

TOMMY FLEMING IN CONCERT: On the 3rd of October TOMMY FLEMING will be performing in **KNOCKERRA HALL**. This is a great opportunity to see one of IRELAND'S GREATEST PERFORMERS. To book please call 089 2412943. BOOKING ESSENTIAL

COLAISTE MUIRE 40 YEAR RE-UNION 1970-1975 Templegate Hotel, Saturday 17th October at 7.00pm. Casual get-together with dinner and 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. 087 776 1204; Hilary Corcoran (Campbell) 087 7834139; Cora McNulty (Hahessy) 087 9873702.

IRISH TENOR IN ENNIS: Anthony Kearns of the Irish Tenors and accompanist Patrick Healy share their songs, stories and well-loved melodies, in concert October 1st at 8pm at Danlann an Chláir, Coláiste Muire, College Road, Ennis. Tickets €20 available from Custy's music shop, O'Connors Newsagents, Market street, Ennis and online at Eventbrite.ie

SIMON SAYS... WALKSIMON'S WAY SEPTEMBER 25TH – 27TH: THE CLARE COAST—some of the most breath-taking scenery in the world—from Kilrush to Fanore—and we're inviting you to join us. It's a 72 kilometre walk, in eight stages. To register please visit www.precisiontiming.net. For more information please call 061 608980 or email fund@midwestsimon.ie

CLARE MONEY ADVICE & BUDGETING SERVICE: Would you like to manage your money better? If you are finding it hard meeting loan repayments or making ends meet, MABS can help you manage your debts and plan a budget. This is a Free, Independent and Confidential Service. Phone : 07610 72430 (Ennis Office) for an appointment in your area. MABS Helpline: 07610 72000. Web: www.mabs.ie

COMMUNITY COACHING IN SPORT: Clare Local Development Company is delighted to commence a course in Quin Community Centre this Tuesday, 15th September. The programme Community Coaching in Sport is offered to individuals who are Long Term Unemployed. If you are interested in finding out more information call CLDC on 065 6866800.

STEPFIT: Kilmaley StepFitt 6 weekly programme commencing Monday 14th September 2015 in Kilmaley Day Care Centre, 7-8pm spaces are limited, to book your step please contact Clare on 0876855569.

ARTHRITIS IRELAND is recommencing Gentle Yoga classes for people suffering from arthritis and related diseases. A session of 4 classes will start at Cois na hAbhna, Ennis on Fri 11th Sept at 11am. Cost €20 for the session. This will be followed on by Gentle Tai Chi starting 9th Oct at 11 am. Cost €30 for the session of 6 classes. Please contact Chris at 087 0568150 to book.

CLARE HAVEN SERVICES INSIGHTS PROGRAMME - A free and confidential programme for women who are or have been in an abusive domestic relationship will commence in Ennis in late September. For further information please contact Clare Haven Services on [065 6842646](tel:0656842646).

JUNIOR CERT RESULTS: Congratulations to all who received their Junior Cert. results during the past week. We wish you every success as you continue with your studies and anyone who may have been disappointed there is still time to give the extra effort.

ASTRO TURF PITCHES: Kilmaley GAA Club are now taking bookings for their Astro turf pitches. Ideal for GAA or soccer training pitch 63MX63M. Contact: Conor @ 0876184211 for bookings now.

Notices for Newsletter to Fr. Larkin at pjlarlarkin@eircom.net by 12 Noon on Thursdays