## CRÍOCHA CALLAN PASTORAL AREA

## **INCH-KILMALEY-CONNOLLY NEWSLETTER**

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Sixth Sunday ORDINARY TIME -- "Year A" 16<sup>th</sup> February 2020

## Masses

Inch

Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> February @ 9.15am Special Intention Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> February @ 9.15am Special Intention

Connolly

Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> February @ 10.30am

**Special Intention** 

Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> February @ 10.30am

Martin, Annie & John Creehan, Kilcolumb Timothy Gallagher Junior, Slieveloughane

Pauline Gallagher, Slieveloughane

John & Mary McMahon, Kinturk, Connolly Packie & Chrissie Reidy, Cloonbooly Connolly

Kilmaley

Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> February @7.30pm

Special Intention Micko Hickey, Tullassa

Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> February @ 7.30pm

Seán Hickey, London & Slaveen

Packie & Kathleen Spellissy, Kilclogher Eileen Devine (nee Casey) Knockadangan

Catherine Casey, Knockadangan

Michael Hehir Shean

**BAPTISM:** We welcome into God's family and the Christian Community Chloe Eabha Lynch, The Hawthorns. Ennis. We congratulate her parents Eoin and Michelle and pray that God will always guide and protect her. We welcome into God's family and the Christian Community Seánie McGuane Kinturk, Connolly. We congratulate her parents Micheál and Clare and pray that God will always guide and protect her.

<u>SYMPATHY:</u> We offer our sympathy, support and prayers to the family relatives and friends of Kitty Griffin (nee Gleeson) Aildavour Connolly who died in England during the week.

MASS AT DAY CARE CENTRE this Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> February at 11.30am. All are welcome.

ANNIVERSARY MASSES: FEBRUARY: Kilmaley Sat  $22^{nd}$  @ 7.30pm, Connolly Sun  $23^{rd}$  @ 10.30am, Inch Sun  $23^{rd}$  @ 9.15am; MARCH: Kilmaley Sat  $14^{th}$  &  $28^{th}$  @ 7.30pm, Connolly Sun  $15^{th}$  &  $29^{th}$  @ 10.30am, Inch Sun  $15^{th}$  &  $29^{th}$  @ 9.15am.

MINISTRY OF THE WORD: KILMALEY - Sat 22<sup>nd</sup> Feb @ 7.30pm Mary Ita Griffin, INCH - Sun 23<sup>rd</sup> Feb @ 9.15am Siobhán Barry, CONNOLLY - Sun 23<sup>rd</sup> Feb @ 10.30am Noeleen Doherty.

ALTAR SERVERS ROTA: KILMALEY Sat 22<sup>th</sup> Feb @ 7.30pm Group C; INCH – Sun 23<sup>rd</sup> Feb @ 9.15am Group D CONNOLLY – Sun 23<sup>rd</sup> Feb @ 10.30am Group C;

BASKET & ENVELOPE COLLECTIONS: Sincere thanks to all who contribute so generously every weekend to all the various collections: Total last weekend was as follows— Weekly Envelope €575.86, Priests Collections €921, Other Collections €19.

**KILMALEY LOTTO:** Numbers Drawn 9, 19, 23, 31. Jackpot next week €15,300. €30 winners; Mary McMahon, Paul Burke, Sarah Tierney, Mary Kate Lynch, Lucia Murphy. Play online at www.kilmaleygaa.ie

<u>CLARE HOSPICE AT CAHERCALLA:</u> Weekly Draw Result — 1<sup>st</sup> Prize €650.00 —Mary Garry. 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize €200 — Margaret Talty. To join contact Fundraising Office 065 682196 www.cahercalla.ie

<u>MASS CARDS</u>: Selection of signed Mass Cards, Sympathy, Get Well, Thank you, Special Occasions Mass Bouquet, Birthday Wishes, Exam Success, Wedding Day, etc. all available from Parish Office.

<u>PARISH FACEBOOK PAGE:</u> Kilmaley, Inch, Connolly Parish - Follow the link at the bottom of our parish website <u>www.kilmaleyparish.ie</u>

<u>INCH N.S:</u> Enrolments now being accepted for Inch N.S. for September 2020. Application Forms can be obtained from the School. Tel No: 065 6839353. Closing date for receipt of completed applications is at **12.00noon Tuesday 31**<sup>st</sup> March **2020.** 

<u>KILMALEY N.S.:</u> Enrolments now being accepted for Kilmaley National School for the 2020/2021 school year, please contact the school at 065 6839360 by **17**<sup>th</sup> **February** to facilitate enrolment.

<u>CONNOLLY N.S.</u>: Connolly N.S. is now enrolling for September 2020. Expression of interest forms and Enrolment forms can be obtained from the school. Drop in and view our excellent facilities and preschool. Contact **Seán O'Neill** (**Principal**) on **Tel 065-6839550** or email connollynationalschool@gmail.com.

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES: Mary, God's Mother appeared to Bernadette in Lourdes 162 years ago and asked that people would come on pilgrimage to Lourdes. The Killaloe Diocesan Pilgrimage will be led by Bishop Fintan Monahan who warmly invites you to join him in Lourdes from the 26<sup>th</sup> June to 1<sup>st</sup> July. The cost this year is €725 per person sharing. €20 discount for online booking at www.joewalshtours.ie Booking forms can be obtained from: Joe Walsh Tours, 143 Lower Baggot Street, Dublin 2. Telephone: (01) 2410810 . A limited number of sick pilgrims will be accommodated in the Sanctuary of Lourdes at a cost of €638. Applications for sick pilgrims only to Fr. Tom Ryan, Pilgrimage Director, Cathedral House Station Road Ennis Co. Clare. Telephone: (065) 6824043

Families or individuals often sponsor a family member, parents, or a friend on the occasion of an anniversary or Jubilee with a visit to Lourdes. Sponsorship for sick people is always welcome. For more details, see poster in Church porch and on the Killaloe Diocese website www.killaloediocese.ie

PILGRIMAGE TO OBERAMMERGAU: The Killaloe Diocese has secured 40 tickets for the famous Passion Play that is held in Oberammergau Germany. Bishop Fintan Monahan will lead the Killaloe Diocesan Pilgrimage to the famous Passion Play at Oberammergau, Germany from 29<sup>th</sup> August to 2<sup>nd</sup> September this year. Flying direct from Shannon Airport the pilgrimage will include visits to Vienna, Salzburg, the German Marian Shrine of Our Lady of Altötting and Marktl am Inn (birthplace of Emeritus Pope Benedict XVI). Places are limited to 40 pilgrims, so early booking is advised. Cost of the Pilgrimage is €1095 per person sharing, no single rooms available. Further Information and booking forms from Fr. Tom Ryan, Killaloe Diocesan Director of Pilgrimages. 087 234 9816 Fr. Brendan Quinlivan, Killaloe Diocesan Communications Officer. Tel: 087 273 6310

<u>Clare Haven Services Insights Programme</u>: A free and confidential weekly programme for women who are or have been in an abusive domestic relationship will commence in Ennis in early March. For further information please contact Clare Haven Services on <u>065 6842646</u>.

BROTHERS OF CHARITY SERVICES CLARE: (Triest Community Employment Scheme) are seeking a person who meet Department of Social Protection eligibility criteria to work in the Clare area, as a support person for people with Intellectual Disabilities. Further information please Thomas Gilligan on 065-6823123

BLESSING FOR EXPECTANT MOTHERS this Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> February @ 7.30pm in Inagh Church.

ARISE - NATIONAL YOUNG ADULT EVENT ARISE: Young Adults 18+ National Event takes place in Knock Shrine on March 7<sup>th</sup> 2020. There will be inspirational speakers, music, celebration, fun, a chance to meet with other young adults and much more. Registration is from 10.00am and the day will finish at 4.30pm, Cost €10. For more information, booking, etc. please contact Joanne O'Brien, Director of Youth Ministry, Killaloe Diocese. Text, Call, etc. to 085 874 9207 or email: jobrien@killaloediocese.ie

MINDFULNESS WORKSHOP: This Wednesday  $19^{th}$  February at 3.30pm, De Valera Library Ennis, is hosting a mindfulness/meditation workshop for children aged 8-12 years. This workshop will be facilitated by Sonia Mulpeter, a creative mindfulness tutor and during the workshop, she will teach children about the tools needed to cope and thrive in today's world through nourishing roots of wellbeing. Free event. Booking is necessary. Contact De Valera Library at (065) 6846353. This is a Healthy Ireland at Your Library event.

.<u>USING TECHNOLOGY & COMPUTER SKILLS CLASSES</u>: Two new QQI courses for adults are starting soon at the LCETB Miltown Malbay Campus, Ballard Rd. 'Using Technology' and 'Computer Skills' QQI level 2 on **Fridays at 10.00am** are for those who are absolute beginners in computers and 'Internet Skills' QQI level 3 on **Tuesdays at 9.30am** is for those who wish to learn how to use the Internet and send and receive emails. Courses are free. Contact **Katie Lewis at 086 7807631** to book your place and find out start dates.

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT INFORMATION EVENING: Will take place in Milford Care Centre on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> February 2020 from 7.00pm - 8.30pm. The Bereavement Information evening is designed to give general information on grief and bereavement to bereaved people, their family and friends. Bereavement Counsellors will be in attendance to provide general information on Grief and Bereavement. The evening will comprise of: Short talk by a Bereavement Counsellor, Different experiences of Grief, Services available, Question Time. The Information Evening is Free.

M ED IN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION DEGREE At Mary Immaculate College (MIC) is delighted to announce that applications are now open for its Master of Education in Religious Education. This two year, part-time Master in Education is designed for teachers and educators who want to augment their understanding of religious education in the contemporary classroom and become religious education leaders in their schools, offers a variety of experience to build knowledge, competency and skills in religious education, framed within the primary-level context. For full details on the programme go to <a href="mailto:www.mic.ie">www.mic.ie</a> or contact the Admissions Office at <a href="mailto:admissions@mic.ul.ie">admissions@mic.ul.ie</a> or T: 061 204348.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE:** Kilmaley Inagh Group Water Scheme has issued a: **DO NOT DRINK NOTICE** to all customers. Water tankers are available at Inch, Kilmaley, Connolly, Inagh and Kilnamona Churches. While water from these tankers is safe to drink people are advised to boil the water before use.

Notices for Newsletter to Parish Office by 1pm on Wednesday E-mail kilmaleyparish@gmail.com.