CRÍOCHA CALLAN PASTORAL AREA

INCH-KILMALEY-CONNOLLY NEWSLETTER

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TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME -- "Year B" - 16th September 2018

MASSES: Inch Sun 16th September @ 9.15am NO MASS (Mass Kilmaley Graveyard at 3pm)

Sun 23rd September @ 9.15am Special Intention

Connolly Sun 16th September @ 10.30am **Special Intention**

Sun 23rd September @ 10.30am Michael & Ellen Mescall, Kilcolumb

Michael Connellan, Kilcolumb Nora Connellan, Kilcolumb

Kilmaley Sat 15th September @ 7.30pm Patricia (Trish) Keane, Bealcragga, Month's Mind

Fri 21st September @ 7.30pm Ramie McGuane, Lisroe, 1st Anniv.

Sat 22nd September @ 7.30pm Breda Neylon, Kilclogher

Martin Connellan, Lisroe Michael & Mary Pyne, Kilclogher

John & Mary Sullivan, Kilclogher

<u>CHILDREN STARTING SCHOOL:</u> It is hoped to have a blessing of all children starting school in the area in **Kilmaley Church on Thursday 27th of September at 7pm**. All children and parents are welcome.

<u>GARDA VETTING FORMS</u> have being sent out to all Eucharistic Ministers, Child Protection Representatives, Choir Members, Money Counters and Sacristans in the Parish. Many thanks to all have returned same so far. We ask those still remaining to return this week please.

<u>CLARECARE ANNUAL COLLECTION</u>: The Annual Church Gate Collection in support of the work of Clarecare **will take place next weekend at all Masses 23**rd / **24**th **September.** Clarecare's family and childcare activities throughout the county depend on the support and generosity of the community. We ask your generous support for this vital work.

LOURDES AUTUMN PILGRIMAGE: Pilgrims who would like to travel to Lourdes on the autumn pilgrimage that leaves from Shannon Airport on Sunday 7th October and returns Friday 12th October are requested to book their seat with joewalshtours.ie. Tel: 01 2410810 €679pps

ROME/SAN GIOVANNI EASTER 2019 WITH PAPAL CEREMONIES IN ROME for the Easter Period 7 night's €995 pps. Payments can be made in instalments contact James Treacy on 061921470 or 0860572216

MASS FOR DECEASED MEMBERS 22ND BATTALION FCA will be celebrated in Ennis Cathedral this <u>Sunday</u>, <u>16th September</u> <u>at 11.30am</u>. A wreath laying and flag raising ceremony will take place after the Mass at The Battalion Monument. All former members and their families in Co. Clare are invited to attend to remember and honours colleagues who have died.

<u>CHRISTMAS PILGRIMAGE GROUP TO THE HOLY LAND</u> 19th – 27th December 2018 (Last Remaining Places) Taking in Bethlehem, Jerusalem (Mount of Olives, Garden of Gethsemane, Last Supper Room and Calvary), Mount Tabor, Cana, Nazareth, Jericho, River Jordan, Dead Sea and Sea of Galilee. Contact James Treacy 061-921470 or 0860572216 payments can be made in instalments before December.

<u>ANNIVERSARY MASSES:</u> <u>SEPTEMBER</u> - Kilmaley - Sat 8th & Sat 22nd @ 7.30pm; Connolly Sun 9th & 23rd @ 10.30am; Inch Sun 9th & 23rd @ 9.15am; <u>OCTOBER</u> - Kilmaley – Sat 13th & 27th @ 7.30pm; Connolly Sun 14th & 28th @ 10.30am; Inch Sun 14th & 28th @ 9.15am.

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

MINISTRY OF THE WORD: KILMALEY - Sat 22nd Sept @ 7.30pm Catherine McMahon

INCH – Sun 23rd Sept @ 9.15am Anne-Marie Upenieks CONNOLLY – Sun 23rd Sept @ 10.30am Patrina Cullen

<u>ALTAR SERVERS ROTA</u>: Sat 22nd Sept @ 7.30pm Group C; Sun 23rd Sept @ 9.15am Group A; Sun 23rd Sept @ 10.30am Group B

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 €1,029.85; Priests' Collection €335; All Saints €10; Assumption €15.50; Missions €5; Sick & Retired Priests' Fund €201; Immaculate Conception €6; St. Patrick's Day €2; Christmas Day €8;

<u>FUNDRAISING BINGO NIGHT FOR CONNOLLY N.S.</u>: Connolly N.S. will be once again holding its **Bingo Night on Friday 12**th

October in Magowna House Hotel starting at 8pm. There will be a raffle on the night with lots of prizes. If you would like to sponsor a line or a full house on the night please let the school know. A great night is guaranteed.

<u>CLARE HOSPICE AT CAHERCALLA</u>: Weekly Draw Result — **1**st **Prize €650.00** - Clare Cotter, Gallows Hill, Ennis. **2**nd **Prize €200.00** – Niamh Carroll, Newhall, Ennis. To join contact Fundraising Office 065 --6821966 <u>www.cahercalla.ie</u>

<u>KILMALEY LOTTO</u>: Numbers Drawn 1, 4, 20, 27. Jackpot Next Week €7,800 ---- €30 Winners – Jo Lohan, E,R,E, L Courtney, Marie Lynch, Lisa Glynn, Mike Lynch. Next Draw on Saturday 15th September. Play online at <u>www.kilmaleygaa.ie</u>

KILMALEY YOUTH CLUB: Talk for Parents Only and Registration Evening on Monday 17th Sept at 7.30pm in the Kilmaley Inn. Please note this will be the only Registration Evening this year. Registration Fee €20. Because of interest this year, not all Youth can be accommodated - numbers are limited to 50.

<u>CLARE OLDER PERSON OF THE YEAR AWARD</u> and the launch of the Clare age friendly strategy 2018-2022: Will be held on Tuesday 25th September 2018 from 2pm to 6pm in Woodstock Hotel, Ennis. Includes refreshments, guest speakers, raffle and music provided by Tom Ryan and the 'Forever Young' Choir. All welcome.

ENNIS & CLARE BRANCH OF THE SAMARITANS: are holding Information Sessions at Clare Education Centre, Kilrush Rd., Ennis, on Wed 19th & Thurs 20th Sept from 7.00pm. For those who are interested in joining Samaritans no formal qualifications or specialised experience is required. Anybody over 18 years can become a Volunteer. Training will be provided. Contact details for recruitment: email: samaritansrecruitmentennis@gmail.com; Phone: 0851763491; Online: samaritans.org/ennis

<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 at the end of September. For further information please contact Clare Haven Services on 065 6842646.

<u>BEGINNING EXPERIENCE</u> is a worldwide specially designed Support Programme for men and women who have suffered the loss of a spouse/partner by death, separation or divorce. The next weekend is on at Ennismore Retreat Centre, Cork from Friday 12th - Sunday 14th October. **Please contact 087 9886480 or email: beginningexperiencecork@gmail.com** or www.beginningexperiencecork.com

EVELYN MAC MAHON SCHOOL OF SPEECH AND DRAMA: Classes resuming. Classes available for primary and secondary pupils. For further info: Tel: Evelyn Mac Mahon A.L.C.M.T.D. L.L.C.M.T.D. F.L.C M. 085 1884158

<u>ALZHEIMER SUPPORT GROUP</u>: If you are caring for someone with Dementia this is an opportunity to meet with others who are also caring for their family members. Should you need support or advice, please drop in for a chat and a cuppa. On Thursday 20th September at 7.00pm Alzheimer Society of Ireland at Cuan on Chláir, Cahercalla

BURREN PEAKS WALKING FESTIVAL SATURDAY 22ND & SUNDAY 23RD SEPT, Ballyvaughan, Co. Clare: Groups, Clubs and Individual walkers all welcome. All walks are graded and guided by members of local walking club - Take the opportunity to walk for a charity of your choice. Festival Dinner Sat night in Monks Bar & Restaurant, Ballyvaughan followed by talk and slideshow presentation by Burren expert Dr. Brendan Dunford, and Eoin Hogan, Rural Recreation Officer - all are welcome. For more info and to book your walks & dinner please visit www.burrenpeakswalkingfestival.com or phone 087 7779714.

<u>SERVICES FOR DEAF AND HARD OF HEARING PEOPLE</u>: Our next clinic will be Wednesday 19th September, from **10:00am to 1:00pm in the Parish Centre in the Cathedral Grounds, on Station Road, Ennis.** This is a free service where you can acquire information regarding hearing loss, guidelines for good communication, information on equipment for your home to help you hear the doorbell, phone, smoke alarm and television.

DEMENTIA WORKSHOP: NORMAL & NOT NORMAL AGEING; Understanding the difference: Kaye Faulkner – CareNet is holding a Dementia Awareness & Education workshop at Clare Education Centre, Kilrush Road, Ennis on Tuesday 18th September at 7pm and Saturday 22nd at 10am. This workshop runs for 2 hours. It will help you recognise and understand "normal" and "not normal" ageing. It will provide essential information on how to have a positive and meaningful relationship with loved ones with Alzheimer's or other forms of dementia. Cost €27. For further information go to our Facebook page; @carenet.ie or call 0877888300.

MARY IMMACULATE COLLEGE ALUMNI REUNION 2018 – 6th October 2018: Did you graduate from MIC in 1958, 1963, 1968, 1973, 1978, 1983, 1988, 1993, 1998, 2003, 2008, or 2013? Then this is the event for you! MIC is welcoming back its Alumni on Saturday 6 October 2018 from 2.30pm - 5pm. This is the perfect opportunity to meet up with old friends, and reacquaint yourself with the College. Should you wish to attend, please advise us in advance alumni@mic.ul.ie and put "Class Reunion" in the subject line. More details: www.mic.ul.ie/marketingpr/Pages/Alumni.aspx

<u>WALK4FAMILIES – WEAR YOUR STRIPES</u>: Sunday, 7th October 2018. Venue: The Shibeen Pub, Doora, Ennis, County Clare. Registration at 10.00am – Walk Start time: 11.00am. Price: €10.00 per Adult - Kids go free. For more information contact: walk4familiesdooraclare@gmail.com