

Diocese of
Killaloe



KILMALEY-CONNOLLY-INC H PARISH



Críocha Callan
Pastoral area

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IBAN numbers for personal banking donations: Parish Current Account: IE09 BOFI 9042 1030 1660 28 Priests' Salary Account: IE56 BOFI 9042 1073 5476 56.

Mass times ~ Kilmaley: Saturday 7.30pm, Thursday and Friday 10am. **Connolly:** Sunday 10.30am, Monday and Tuesday 10am. **Inch:** Sunday 9.15am, Wednesday at 8pm

THE PARISH OFFICE IS TEMPORARILY CLOSED.

For all Parish business please contact Fr John on 065 68 39735 or email kilmaleyparish@gmail.com.
Website: www.kilmaleyparish.ie



MASS CARDS;

For your convenience, mass cards are now available in the foyer of Kilmaley Church.

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK:

Kilmaley:

Sat 16th 7.30pm **Peggy and Pap Burke Culleen and their grandson Gearard O'Sullivan Lahaknock.**

Sat 23rd 7.30pm

Month's Mind: Gerry Russell, Clonlaheen.

Anniversaries: Breda Neylon Kilclogher.

Pakie Moroney Ballymacooda.

Mattie McMahan, Kyleatunna.

Joe McMahan, Kyleatunna.

Inch:

Sun 17th & 24th 9.15am **No intention booked**

Connolly:

Sun 17th 10.30am **Mary Murphy, Aildavour and her son Martin Murphy late of Carrigaholt. Michael and Nora Reidy Sliveloughane Connolly. Seán Ó Ceallaigh, Rae na gCiseach, Kilmaley.**

Sun 24th 10.30am **No intention booked**

ANNIVERSARY MASSES can be booked for any of the scheduled masses. Contact 065 68 39735.

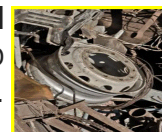
GOD'S FORGIVENESS & OUR FORGIVENESS



In divisive times like these, Jesus' message to us about forgiveness proves to be challenging. How do we forgive? With so much pain and sorrow and hurt, with so much misunderstanding, how do we forgive? Peter asks Jesus, "Lord, if my brother or sister sins against me, how often must I forgive? As many as seven times?" Maybe Peter was hoping that Jesus would give a step-by-step plan for forgiveness. But, Jesus' response is this, "I say to you, not seven times but seventy-seven times." This response leaves Peter perplexed. The Gospel stories are filled with moments like this where Jesus' love and compassion exceed what the disciples, and we, expect, or even understand. This is the beauty of God's unfailing love. My question remains, how do we forgive? If I do x, y and z then forgiveness will come? But we know with Jesus, it's a matter of heart and compassion and mercy. Instead of **how** do we forgive, Jesus has a different question: Do we **desire** to forgive? Here, in our desire, will come transformation of heart. As we realize this desire again and again, God's love will transform us and give us the courage to labour for peace to prevail in our world. This is God's dream. www.ignatiansolidarity.net

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION on Tuesdays from 2 - 8pm in the "crying room" at Kilmaley Church. If you can commit to an hour please contact Mary on 0872399797.

KILMALEY GAA CLUB: Scrap metal collection fundraiser Sat Sept 30th. Drop off point at the club grounds in Lisbiggeen. Contact Emmet Pyne on 087 2373427.



BASKET & ENVELOPE COLLECTIONS:

Weekly Envelopes €750.
Priests Collection €1520.
Retired Priests' fund €107.
Other collections €31.

We sincerely thank you for your generous contributions, they are vital in keeping our parish going. They can also be dropped into the Parochial House or into one of the secure collection boxes available in Kilmaley Church or online using the IBAN numbers above.

TAX RELIEF FOR DONATIONS TO ELIGIBLE CHARITIES. Please return your CHY3 form to Fr John.

ST FLANNAN'S COLLEGE NIGHT CLASSES and Saturday Workshops for Adults will resume on **Wed Oct 4th**. Night Classes include Make-up, Ukulele, Sustainable Living Skills, Cross-stitching, Skincare, Creative Writing, Aromatherapy and Genealogy. Saturday workshops in Yoga, Mosaic, Stained Glass and Aromatherapy.

SAMARITAN VOLUNTEER RECRUITMENT: can you offer approximately 3 to 4 hours a week to help deliver a 24-hour emotional support service to callers. If you are tolerant, open-minded, and willing to help others contact 085 1763491 or email ennis.branchrecruitment@samaritans.org.

KILMALEY LOTTO: 9th Sept: Numbers drawn 7, 8, 28, 29. No Jackpot Winner. Next Jackpot €5,700. "Win a house" ticket winner James Carmody. €30 winners, James Warren, Anne Romer. Play on line at www.kilmaleygaa.ie. Tickets also on sale locally.

Notices for Newsletter can be sent by email to kilmaleyparish@gmail.com or drop them in the letterbox at Kilmaley presbytery by **1.00pm on Wednesday**. We include notices for parish and church related events. Where space permits we also include notices for local not-for-profit groups.