

CRÍOCHA CALLAN PASTORAL AREA

INCH-KILMALEY-CONNOLLY NEWSLETTER

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TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME -- "Year C" - 22nd September 2019

Masses:

Inch

Sun 22nd September @ 9.15am

Brid Warren, Cappalea
Mike Kennedy, Ivy Hill
Michael & Kitty Hehir, Mahonburgh

Sun 29th September @ 9.15am

Community Lay Led Liturgy

Connolly

Sunday 22nd September @ 10.30am

Michael & Nora Reidy, Sliveloughaune
Seán O'Ceallaigh, Rae na gCiseach
Bridget & Patrick Kelly, Kinturk
Nora & Gerry Connellan, Kilcolumb
John Walsh, Kilcolumb
William O'Connor, Drimanure

Sunday 29th September @ 10.30am

Community Lay Led Liturgy

Kilmaley

Sat 21st September @ 7.30pm

Gearard O'Sullivan, Lahaknock
Bridie & Tom Casey, Kilclogher
Pap & Peggy Burke, Culleen
Ramie McGuane, Lisroe
Mary & Michael Pyne, Kilclogher
Breda Neylon, Kilclogher
John & Mary Sullivan Kilclogher
Martin (Mattie) McMahon Kyleatunna
Joe McMahon Kyleatunna
Martin Connellan, Lisroe

Sat 28th September @ 7.30pm

Special Intention

BAPTISM: We welcome into God's Family and the Christian Community Diarmuid Kevin O'Connor, Cloontabonnive, Connolly. We congratulate his parents Thomas and Yvonne and pray that God will always guide and protect them.

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES: Connolly – Mon, Tue, Wed, @ 10.00am; Kilmaley – Thurs & Fri @ 10.00am

MINISTRY OF THE WORD: **KILMALEY** - Sat 28th Sept @ 7.30pm Billy Hamel

ALTAR SERVERS ROTA: Sat 28th Sept @ 7.30pm Group B; Sun 29th Sept @ 9.15am Group A; Sun 29th Sept @ 10.30am Group B.

ANNIVERSARY MASSES: **SEPTEMBER**— Kilmaley Sat 21st @ 7.30pm; Connolly Sun 22nd @ 10.30am; Inch Sun 22nd @ 9.15am; **October:** Kilmaley Sat 26th @ 7.30pm; Connolly Sun 27th @ 10.30am; Inch Sun 27th @ 9.15am

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 €559.20 Other Collections €18.00

COMMUNITY LED LITURGY: As you are aware Lay Led Liturgies have taken place in the other parishes within our Cluster. In planning for this a group from the parish completed training over the summer. With the decline in vocations this training prepares us for a time in the future when there may not be a priest available to celebrate mass each weekend. These Lay Led Liturgies will ensure that all churches in the parish remain open, prayerful and vibrant. Community Led Liturgies will take place in the parish next weekend Sunday 29th September 2019 in both Inch and Connolly Churches. Mass will be celebrated in Kilmaley Church on Saturday evening 28th September at 7.30pm. Your support of these liturgies would be very much appreciated.

KILMALEY LOTTO: Numbers Drawn 2, 3,21,31. Jackpot Next Week €13,200. - - €30 Winners - Tom Chambers Ballyea, Tom Chambers Ballyea, Tommy Keane Kilmaley, Eileen Killeen Gortmore, Daire Fitzgibbon Darragh. Play online at www.kilmaleygaa.ie

CLARE HOSPICE AT CAHERCALLA: Weekly Draw Result — 1st Prize €650.00 — Ann O’Gorman, Kilmihil; 2nd Prize €200 Pat King, Shannon. To join contact Fundraising Office 065 6821966 www.cahercalla.ie

AUTUMN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES: The Diocesan Autumn Pilgrimage to Lourdes will depart Shannon Airport on **Sunday 29th September returning Friday 4th October.** €699 flight and full board for the five days, with €20 discount for online bookings at joewalstours.ie. Booking forms also available from Pilgrimage Director Fr. Tom Ryan 087-2349816

ST FLANNAN'S COLLEGE NIGHT CLASSES AND SATURDAY WORKSHOPS FOR ADULTS will resume on Wednesday October 9th. **Classes include:** Mindfulness, Jewellery-Making, Make-up, Sign Language, Interior Design, Floral Art, Acrylics Painting, Crochet, Spanish, Yoga, Creative Writing, French for Holidays, Poetry and Skincare. We will also offer once-off Saturday Workshops in Stained Glass, Portrait Painting, Mosaic, Creative Writing, Mindfulness and many more. Text/phone 085 1670326 for further details and bookings.

CONNOLLY DEVELOPMENT PLAN: Following on from the recent community surveys, Connolly Community Development CLG will present '**Connolly Development Plan 2019 to 2021**' at a public meeting in Connolly National School this Thursday 26th September at 8.30pm. The plan has been developed based on the results of the surveys carried out in April, and under the guidance of Clare Local Development Group (CLDC) mentor. The plan will be very useful for funding applications to LEADER and other rural development funding. Please come and have your say on the development plan for Connolly. Tea/Coffee served afterwards. You can view the plan at the link below prior to attending the meeting; <https://www.dropbox.com/s/9rqspin0tgt9fin/Connolly%20Community%20Development%20Plan%202019.pdf?dl=0>.

PILATES CLASS: Pilates classes commencing Wednesday 25th September in Kilmaley Daycare Centre at 8.00pm. Contact Mairead for further details 087 2969194.

VOLUNTEERING OPPORTUNITY FOR THIRD LEVEL STUDENTS: Will you be a college student in January 2020? Would you like the opportunity to be a leader in the Meitheal Leadership programme for Transition Year students? Killaloe Diocese Youth Ministry are recruiting up to 20 third level students to work on a week-long residential programme which will take place from 6th – 10th January 2020. If you are interested in working with young people and developing communication, leadership, and teamwork skills while having fun, then this could be the perfect opportunity for you. There will be an information evening for third level students on **Friday 27th September @ 8pm** in St. Flannan’s College, Ennis.

To register for this information evening, please contact: Joanne O’Brien 085 874 9207 jobrien@killaloe-diocese.ie or Fr Donagh O’Meara 087 232 2140 donag-homeara@gmail.com

A TRADITIONAL NIGHT TO REMEMBER: On **October 11th** Killimer Parish are hosting a Fantastic night of entertainment in Knockerra Hall. The world acclaimed Cherish The Ladies and Clare’s own Kate Purcell will perform in Concert. To book call 089 241 2943.

YOUTH PRAYER MEETING COMING TO KILMALEY: If interested in getting involved contact Fr. Martin or Katie on 083 4895189 for more information.

BEREAVEMENT INFORMATION EVENING at Milford Care Centre, Castletroy Limerick. Thursday 26th September, time 7.00pm—9.00pm (registration from 6.45pm) for more information please contact 01 4045378 – 085 2888 888.

KILMALEY MEITHEAL OPEN AIR PARISH MASS OF THANKSGIVING will be held on Sunday 6th October at 2.00pm in Cloontabonnive. The Mass will be followed by a Community Picnic and Bog walk. A social evening in Carney’s afterwards. Please support. A letter with details and an envelope for your contribution will be delivered to every house in the parish in the coming weeks. Thanks for helping to enhance our Parish and enjoying a great community event.

ST. FLANNAN'S PARENT ASSOCIATION MEETING will be held on **Monday September 23rd at 8.00pm.** We invite all Parents/Guardians to come along and have their voices heard.

FUNDRAISING BINGO NIGHT FOR CONNOLLY N.S.: Connolly N.S. will be once again holding its Bingo Night on Friday 8th of November in Woodstock Hotel starting at 8.00pm. 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.

ART GROUP IN KILMALEY: All adults aged 18 and over are welcome to join. Classes are on Wednesday, there is a choice of three groups, a morning one (11.00am-1.00pm), an afternoon one (2.00pm-4.00pm) and an evening one (7.30pm-9.30pm). They will start on 2nd October and will run for 8 weeks. Anyone interested please contact Andrew on 086 8074125 or www.andrewnewland.com.

MARY IMMACULATE COLLEGE ALUMNI REUNION: Mary Immaculate College (MIC), Limerick is inviting its past students back to the College on Saturday 5th October for the annual Alumni Reunion. This year the College will celebrate those who graduated in 1949, 1954, 1959, 1964, 1969, 1974, 1979, 1984, 1989, 1994, 1999, 2004, 2009 and 2014. Taking place at MIC (South Circular Road, Limerick) from 2.30pm to 5.00pm. If you wish to attend the event, please email Alumni@mic.ul.ie to book your place. Please provide your name, programme from which you graduated from and the year in which you graduated.

PARKINSON'S MEETING will be held on next Friday 27th September at Carrigoran Wellness Centre 10.00am - 1.00pm. All are welcome. Further information contact 087 4174014.

BLUEBIRD CARE CLARE are hosting an Open Day on Monday 23rd September from 10.00am to 4.00pm at the Bluebird Care Clare Office, 7 Market Place, Ennis, Co. Clare. This is an opportunity for anyone to come along and talk to the team about a career in care. Contact: Bluebird Care Clare on 065-6868222 or Email clare@bluebirdcare.ie for more info.

COMMUNITY GAMES: Huge congratulations to Harry Hamel and Saoirse Kent who are both selected for Clare Community Games Awards for athletics and talent for 2019. Well done to them both on a great achievement. They will be presented with their awards at a function in the West County Hotel on 11th October.

Notices for Newsletter to Parish Office by 4pm on Tuesday

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