

INCH-KILMALEY-CONNOLLY PARISH NEWSLETTER

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THIRTIETH SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME “C” --- 23rd October, 2016

MASSES:	Inch	Sun 23 rd October @ 9.30am	Kitty Killeen, Clonfeigh, Inch Michael (Mike) Kennedy, Ivy Hill
		Sun 30th October @ 9.30am	Special Intention
	Connolly	Sun 23 rd October @ 10.30am	Paddy Murphy & Family members, Kilcolumb
		Sun 30th October @ 10.30am	Special Intention
	Kilmaley	Sat 22nd October @ 7.30pm	Special Intention
		Sun 23 rd October @ 11.30am	Tony Hehir, Ballyillaun Adrian O’Keeffe, Kyleatunna Cahill Family, Rathkerry Dick & Elizabeth Nagle, Letteragh
		Sat 29th October @ 7.30pm	Special intention
		Sun 30th October @ 11.30am	Special Intention

CONFIRMATION PARENTS’ MEETING: This will take place in “Magowna House Hotel” Inch on Thursday 27th October at 8pm. It will be facilitated by Ms Marie O’Connell Quinn who is one of our Pastoral Workers in the Diocese. We encourage all families to be represented on the night.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL: Our Pastoral Plan “Builders of Hope” envisions people and clergy working together so as to enhance the Church in our place at the present time. One of the ways in which this is carried out is through the work of Parish Pastoral Councils. This is a group of interested people and clergy working together to look at our present situation and to draw on the many talents of people in our community. In this manner we extend an invitation to form a Parish Pastoral Council comprising of 3 people from each area, covering all age groups (**Inch, Kilmaley, Connolly, Lisroe**). Nominations can be handed into the Parish Office. This is our place; let us continue to share our energy, talents and time.

MISSION SUNDAY: The people in Killaloe Diocese have been urged to support missionaries working in some of the world’s poorest countries by donating to the Mission collection. **The amount contributed so far is €464.55. The total contributed last year 2015 was €750.** Last year the Diocese contributed **€61,708**. The theme for World Mission Sunday in Ireland this year 2016 is *“Every Christian is a Missionary”*. As we thank you for your wonderful generosity to the Missions over the years we invite you to please continue to help our young churches to share the gift of faith through your prayer and whatever financial assistance you can.

24 HOURS EUCHARISTIC ADORATION: The month of November is quickly approaching and we will be organising 24 Hours Adoration on Tuesday November 8th from 10am to Wednesday 9th November at 10am. This is a special time of prayer in remembrance of the Holy Souls. There will be a list in each church from this weekend where anyone wishing to cover an hour between Tues 8th from 10pm to 10am on Wed the 9th can put their name in the hour of their choosing. We welcome and encourage as many as possible to be part of this special time.

BLESSING OF GRAVES: November is a special month when we remember all our beloved dead. There will be an opportunity on Sunday 6th November to pray for and visit the resting place of your loved ones. The Blessing of Graves will take place immediately after 11.30am Mass on Sun 6th November in Kilmaley weather permitting. Please let family members who may be living away from the Parish know of this special time of Prayer.

MASS OF REMEMBRANCE: The Mass of Remembrance for all those who died in the Parish during the past year will take place in Inch Church on Tuesday 22nd November at 7.30pm. All family members are invited to join with us in this special time of Prayer and please extend an invitation to family who are living away from the parish.

NOVEMBER - HOLY SOULS: There will be Mass in Inch Church Tuesday nights 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd at 7.30pm during the month of November. All are welcome.

SYMPATHY: We offer our sympathy, support and prayers to the family, relatives and friends of **Mary O’Dea nee Corcoran, Creagaun, Doora and formerly Shean, Kilmaley** buried during the week. We offer our sympathy, support and prayers to the family, relatives and friends of **James Finnuane, Frure North, Lissycasey** father-in-law of Leonard McNamara, Kilmaley N.S., buried during the week.

ANNIVERSARY MASSES: The dates for the November Grouped Anniversary Masses are as follows - **Kilmaley** – Sat 12th at 7.30pm & Sun 27th at 11.30am **Connolly** - Sun 13th & Sun 27th at 10.30am; **Inch** – Sun 13th & Sun 27th at 9.30am

MINISTRY OF THE WORD: Kilmaley - Sat 29th @ 7.30pm Mike Rynne; Sun 30th @ 11.30am Brian Flynn

Inch – Sun 30th Oct @ 9.30am Seosamh Reid

Connolly – Sun 30th Oct @ 10.30am Roisín Ni Cheallaigh

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES: Connolly – Mon, Tue, Wed @10.00am

Kilmaley – Thur, Fri, Sat @ 10.00am

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 €831.25; Priests Collection €267; Sick & Retired Priests' Fund €7(To date €772.30); Missions €144.16 (to date €608.71); Peter's Pence €1; All Saints €5; Assumption €3;**

KILLALOE DIOCESE JPIC COMMITTEE is hosting workshops in the Diocese to highlight the importance of Justice and Peace and to encourage people to get involved. Hosted by the SMA Father's the workshop takes place in Ennis Pastoral Centre on **October 29th at 10:00am**. All are welcome to come and gain insight into this most important area of our pastoral plan.

DISCOVER THE RICHES OF THE MASS - A BIBLICAL WALK THROUGH THE MASS: A Five-Part Bible Study Featuring Edward Sri. In A Biblical Walk through the Mass, you will come to know and understand the Mass like never before. Wednesdays: 9, 16, 23, 30th November and December 7th 2016. 7.30-9pm. St. Michael's Pastoral Centre, Denmark Street, Limerick **FEE €50 for 5 weeks**. Booking Deadline: Wed, 2nd November. For further details, contact Sharon Clohessy 087 9027217 or Eilish Carter 087 8170420 (after 6pm).

MATT TALBOT NOVENA: The annual Matt Talbot Novena praying for all suffering or sharing in the life of addictions continues this **Tuesday evening October 25th, at 7pm in SS. John & Paul Church Shannon**. This week's preacher is Rev. Pat Malone PP Clarecastle/Ballyea. Petitions /Prayers of Thanksgiving can be left at the shrine or sent securely to the special online email available on www.shannonparish.ie. The novena can also be viewed live each week on Shannon Parish webcam.

APOSTOLIC WORK SOCIETY: A meeting of the Apostolic Work Society will take place on Wednesday 26th October at 8pm in Fr. Pat's House. The group would welcome new members to help in this great work.

A WEEKEND OF DISCOVERY, A LIFETIME OF LOVE: HUSBANDS AND WIVES WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER is designed to give married couples the opportunity to look at their lives together... a time to share their hopes, joys and fears with the one person they have chosen to live with for the rest of their lives. THE NEXT WEEKEND WILL BE AT THE LAKE HOTEL, KILLARNEY FROM 18th - 20th NOVEMBER 2016. FOR MORE INFORMATION AND / OR TO BOOK, VISIT www.marriageencounter.ie ALTERNATIVELY TEXT OR CALL 087-6670418 /086-8334382.

HALLOWEEN PARTY: Annual Halloween Party, Bogdale House on Monday 31st October. It will take place from 3pm – 6pm Fancy Dress Competition for all ages. Disco and raffle. Bring a carved pumpkin and a win prize. €5 per child, €12 for family of 3. Treat bag for every child, included. **All proceeds in aid of Connolly Pre-School.**

CLARE PARKINSON'S SUPPORT GROUP monthly meeting will take place at Carrigoran Health & Wellness Centre, Newmarket-on-Fergus at 10.00 am on Friday 28th October. These informal get-togethers provide a chance for people to talk, discuss worries or experiences and normally include a presentation by a guest speaker, such as a healthcare professional or complementary therapist. Activities that assist people living with Parkinson's such as Yoga, Dance, Occupational Therapy or Tai Chi generally form part of these sessions - and there is the social aspect with time to enjoy a coffee or tea and a scone! **All are Welcome. For further information contact 087 415 8430**

THANK YOU FROM CONNOLLY N.S.: The Board of Management and Staff at Connolly N.S. would like to thank sincerely all the pupils, parents, parishioners, Bingo Callers, Magowna House and the broader community for making our Bingo Fundraising night a huge success on 7th October. We would like to thank all who gave sponsorship, contributed money and spot prizes. Thank you to the committee for their help in fundraising and again their hard work on the night. Without all your help and contributions this would not have been possible.

KILMALEY LOTTO: Numbers Drawn 13, 17, 18, 20. No Jackpot Winner. **Jackpot Next Week €2,100** ---- €30 Winners: Mary Cahill, John Cahill, Julie Moloney, Brian McDonnell, Eoin O'Malley. Next Draw on Saturday 22nd October. Play online at www.kilmaleygaa.ie

CLARE HOSPICE AT CAHERCALLA: Weekly Draw Result – **1st Prize €650.00** – Martin & Tara McInerney, Cusack Road, Ennis. **2nd Prize €200.00** – Mary O'Gorman, Cooraclare. To join contact Fundraising Office 065 6821966 www.cahercalla.ie

THE BACK TO EDUCATION INITIATIVE, FURTHER EDUCATION AND TRAINING CENTRE, Clonroad Campus, Clonroad Business Park, Ennis, Co. Clare are currently recruiting for learners interested in exploring the creative and collaborative world of performance and production in the dramatic arts. The programme (QQI Level 4) will consist of 10 hours of class work over two days per week aimed at adults who wish to explore their creative self and creative opportunities in both education and work. You will study performance and production, along with relevant I.T. Skills, looking at theatre design which includes stage and costume design, storylines, plot and acting. Phone: 065-6843633 or Email: Martina.crowleyhayes@lcteb.ie or Eilish.liddy@lcteb.ie

KILMALEY PARISH JOURNAL: If there are any parishioners still alive who wrote essays and stories for the 1937-1938 schools' Folklore Collection, we would be very grateful if they would contact David Dillion on 087 9373895. It is hoped to include some of their work in the Kilmaley Parish Journal.

Notices for Newsletter to Fr. Larkin by 12 Noon on Thursdays