INCH-KILMALEY-CONNOLLY PARISH NEWSLETTER

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TWENTY- SIXTH SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME "C"--- 25th September, 2016

MASSES: Inch Sun 25th September @ 9.30am Special Intention

Sun 2nd October @ 9.30am Special Intention

Connolly Sun 25th September @ 10.30am Danny Gleeson & Family Members

Seán Ó Ceallaigh, Rae na g Ciseach

Sun 25th September @ 11.30am Breda Neylon, Kilclogher

Mary McInerney, Cullen 1st Anniversary

Mattie McMahon, Kyleatunna

Sat 1st October @ 7.30pm Mike Fitzgerald, Clonlaheen, Month's Mind

Sat 2nd October @ 11.30am Special Intention

<u>EUCHARISTIC ADORATION</u>: A sincere thanks to all those who are part of our Eucharistic Adoration every Tuesday. Sincere thanks to all who join in prayer in your own time. If there is anyone who may have a free hour on a Tuesday please consider joining us in Kilmaley Church. The Adoration takes place from 10.00am to 10.00pm. The month of November is quickly approaching and we will be organising 24 Hours Adoration on Tuesday November 8th from 10.00am to Wednesday 9th November at 10.00am This is a special time of prayer in remembrance of the Holy Souls. We will be inviting extra people to be part of this special time of prayer, especially during the night time hours. Please put this date in your diary. More information will be available nearer the date.

80th BIRTHDAY MASS OF THANKSGIVING & CELEBRATIONS: DVD's of Canon Michael's 80th Birthday Mass of Thanksgiving & Celebrations which were ordered are now available in the Parish Office at €5. Please collect before Wednesday.

<u>BAPTISM</u>: We welcome into God's family and the Christian Community Alison Lily O' Callaghan, Tullassa, Ennis. We congratulate her parents James & Éilish and pray that God will always guide and protect her.

ANNIVERSARY MASSES: The dates for the October Grouped Anniversary Masses are as follows- Kilmaley – Sat 8th at 7.30pm & Sun 23rd at 11.30am Connolly - Sun 9th & Sun 23rd at 10.30 am; Inch – Sun 9th & Sun 23rd at 9.30am

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

MINISTRY OF THE WORD: Kilmaley- Sat 1st Oct @ 7.30pm Leanne McMahon; Sun 2nd Oct. @ 11.30am Deirdre Neylon

Inch – Sun 2nd Oct @ 9.30am Christopher Forde Connolly – Sun 2nd Oct @ 10.30am Martha Dillon

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 €647.70; Priests Collection €1,542.30; Sick & Retired Priests' Fund €47.80; (To date €740.30);

<u>KILLALOE DIOCESE JPIC COMMITTEE</u> is launching its "Be Proud of Your Parish" project. We aim to create a DVD celebrating the natural beauty of our Diocese. So, we are inviting you to Be Proud of Your Parish. Go out and photograph the areas which make your parish beautiful and special. Send your photos to Fr. Gerard Fitzgerald at fitz.ger@gmail.com and let's celebrate together the beauty of our Diocese.

SACRED STILLNESS: A DAY TO EXPLORE THE INNER JOURNEY WITH JOHN DOHERTY: Saturday, October 8th at Mt St Joseph's Abbey, Roscrea, from 10.00am to 4.30pm. Through guided meditation and input, we will be helped to anchor in the present and to understand something of the contemplative path. Booking essential. Contact Anthony Lenihan 086 616 3492; Fr Donagh O' Meara 087 232 2140; Maureen Kelly 087 289 0942; Organised by Killaloe Diocesan Spirituality Group.

THE BIBLE EXPOSED-10 WEEK INTRODUCTORY CRASH COURSE in the Bible VENUE Limerick Pastoral Centre, Denmark Street, Limerick. TIME 7.30 - 9pm Commencing Monday 26th September – 5th December. To Book a Place, contact Sharon Clohessy 087 9027217 or Eilish Carter 087 8170420 (after 6 pm). FEE €100 (PAYMENT OPTIONS AVAILABLE) Booking Deadline: Monday 19th September.

<u>BEFRIENDING THE WOMEN OF THE BIBLE</u>: Venue: Limerick Diocesan Pastoral Centre, Denmark Street, Limerick (Venue is subject to change). Dates: Commencing Tuesday 11th October until Tuesday 22nd November 2016 inclusive, 7.30-9pm. Cost: €70 for 7 weeks (payment options available) Booking Deadline: Tuesday 4th October 2016 - Limited places available! To book your place contact: Sharon Clohessy 087-9027217.

KILLALOE DIOCESE AUTUMN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES: The Diocese has secured an extra aircraft to bring pilgrims to Lourdes on Sunday 2nd October. The pilgrimage will leave Shannon Airport on Sunday 2nd October returning on Friday 7th October. Fare €667 per person sharing with €10 discount for online bookings. Limited capacity so early booking is advisable. Contact www.joewalshtours.ie or ring (01) 2410810.

CHRISTMAS PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND 2016 FROM 19TH-27TH DECEMBER 8 NIGHTS: Taking in Bethlehem, Jerusalem (Mount of Olives, Garden of Gethsemane, Last Supper Room and Calvary), Mount Tabor, Cana, Nazareth, Jericho, Dead Sea and Sea of Galilee. Ex Dublin. Price 1,374 euro payments can be made in instalments. Contact James Treacy 061-921470 or 0860572216

<u>COPING WITH LOSS AFTER SUICIDE</u>: Are you finding it difficult to cope with a death by suicide of a family member, relative or friend? It may help to talk to a Clare Suicide Bereavement Support (Clare S.B.S) volunteer. We offer free confidential support to people who have experienced a death by suicide. Please phone or text 087 3698315 or 086 0565373. www.claresuicidebereavementsupport.com

<u>DR QUIGNEY - KILMALEY HEALTH CENTRE</u>: Dr Quigney will be attending Kilmaley Health Centre on the Second and Fourth <u>Thursday of each Month from 2 – 4pm</u>. 29th September, 13th October & 27th October, 10th November & 24th November, 8th December & 22nd December. Any Emergencies outside these hours contact 087-3395381 or Kildysart Health Centre 6832012. After 6pm and weekends SHANNONDOC 1850 212 999. Safron & Blue, Clarecastle 065-6829719.

<u>CONNOLLY N.S. BINGO NIGHT</u>: A Bingo Fundraising night for Connolly N.S. will take place in Magowna House Hotel, Inch on Friday 7th October starting at 8pm. A fantastic night guaranteed with great prizes.

<u>ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS</u> An Open Public Information Meeting of Alcoholics Anonymous will take place on Wednesday Sept 28th Venue; Clare Care Building, Ballard Road, Miltown Malbay, Time; 8.30pm. All are welcome!!!

<u>KILMALEY LOTTO</u>: Numbers Drawn 3, 22, 23, 29. No Jackpot Winner. **Jackpot Next Week €1,700** --- €30 Winners: Paul Hickey, Patrick McDonnell, Damien Lynch, John McMahon, Ciaran O'Neill. Next Draw on Saturday 24th September. Play online at <u>www.kilmaleygaa.ie</u>

<u>CLARE HOSPICE AT CAHERCALLA</u>: Weekly Draw Result -- 1st Prize €650.00 - Maurice Harmon, Corofin. 2nd Prize €200.00 - Mary Clancy, Tubber. To Join contact Fundraising Office 065 6821966 <u>www.cahercalla.ie</u>

ENNIS COMMUNITY COLLEGE, EVENING CLASSES: Art, Baking, French, Irish, Photography, Spanish, Sign Language, Woodwork and many many more. For a full list of evening classes please refer to our website www.enniscommunitycollege.com Enquiries can be made through the online enquiry form. If you have an enquiry, or wish to meet with the director of evening classes, please do pop into the college on: Monday 26th September (6-8pm)

<u>IRISH CLASSES COIS NA HABHNA</u>: Irish classes in Cois na hAbhna every Monday 7-8pm €60 for 10 week course (course started 19th September). LIMITED PLACES STILL AVAILABLE! All levels of Irish welcome. Further information — Clár as Gaeilge 065-6864474 or <u>anclarasgaeilge@gmail.com</u>.

<u>CLARE PARKINSON'S SUPPORT GROUP</u> monthly meeting will take place at Carrigoran Health & Wellness Centre, Newmarket-on-Fergus at 10.00am on Friday 30th September. 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 4158430.**

THE U.S. EMBASSY CONSULAR SECTION will be conducting a Consular Outreach visit to: SHANNON - Thursday, 6th October We will be accepting applications for the following services: U.S. passport applications. Consular Report of Birth Abroad applications. We will also be performing Notary services. U.S. citizens wishing to schedule an appointment for 6th October please send an email to Dublinoutreach@state.gov and include your name, telephone number and e-mail address, and which service is required (passport/CRBA/notary). The U.S. Embassy Dublin American Citizen Services Section will contact you with available appointment times, and the location of our Outreach in Shannon.

NEED HELP MOVING TO EMPLOYMENT OR FURTHER EDUCATION? Clare Youth Service are running a 3 month programme for people living in County Clare who are between 18-24 years that would like one to one sessions; CV and further workshops/training to reach their goals. For info please contact Emily Casey at Clare Youth Service 089-4621526 or 065-6845350 (Ext. 225) or email: YEI@clareyouthservice.org

<u>YOUTH 2000</u> invites all young adults between ages of 16-35 to a Catholic weekend retreat taking place from the 7th - 9th October 2016 in De La Salle College, Newtown, Waterford. This will be a very exciting weekend. What to expect? Good craic!, Excellent Speakers, Inspiring talks and workshops, prayer, great music, group activities, Youth Masses, Adoration, a Healing Service, games, lots of time to chill out and meet new people. For more details and to register online see www.youth2000.ie. The weekend is being organised by young people for young people. Parental consent is essential for all those under 18. All meals are provided for and accommodation is on site! Don't let money be an obstacle; just bring any donation and a sleeping bag. Newcomers very welcome!

<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>COMPUTER COURSES</u> varying from Basic to ECDL Expert available at CIOC, Elevation Business Park, Clonroad, Ennis, Co. Clare. Phone: 065 6841009 or email: education@cioc.ie Funding maybe available to jobseekers.

<u>THE MARY IMMACULATE COLLLEGE ALUMNI REUNION 2016</u> takes place on *Saturday 1st October 2016 from 1pm-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, via Email: alumni@mic.ul.ie or T: 061-774786.

Prayer for our Bishop Fintan

Eternal God, Shepherd and Guide,
May Fintan who will serve your Church
Be a shepherd after your own heart,
Who will walk in your ways
And with loving care,
watch over your people.
May he be a leader of vision
And a teacher of your truth.
So may your name be glorified
And your Church built up
Through Christ our Lord. Amen.