INCH-KILMALEY-CONNOLLY PARISH NEWSLETTER

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17th Sunday Ordinary Time Year "B" 26 July 2015

MASSES: Inch Sun 26th July @ 9.30am Special Intention

Sun 2nd Aug @ 9.30am Special Intention

Kilmaley Sat 25th July @ 7.30pm Mary & Danny Hickey, Bealcragga

Ann & Martin Hickey, Slaveen

Sun 26th July @ 11.30am Fr Michael McNamara, Fortville & PP Doora/Barefield

Mary & Michael Pyne, Kilclogher Thomas Casey, Knockadangan Tom & Jane Lynch, Lisroe Patrick McMahon, Kilcolumb Mary McMahon, Kilcolumb Paddy McMahon, Kilcolumb Michael McCarthy, Shean

Sat 1st Aug @ 7.30pm Special Intention Sun 2nd Aug @ 11.30am Special Intention

Connolly Sun 26th Aug @ 10.30am John & Theresa, Meehan, Connolly

Sun 2nd Aug @ 10.30am Special Intention

<u>DATE FOR YOUR DIARY</u>: Mass on Mount Callan on Friday 14 August at 7 pm. All those who are interested in travelling by bus please give your names in at the Parish Office. More details later.

<u>"YEAR OF CONSECRATED LIFE":</u> We extend a warm welcome to join with our Criocha Callan Cluster to celebrate this special occasion on **Thursday 24 September at 7.30 pm in Miltown Malbay Church**. We ask that any family who have members in Religious Life be as Sisters, Brothers, Priests to contact the Parish Office with their names & addresses as soon as possible. We hope to send a personal Invitation to each one concerned.

SYMPATHY: We offer our sympathy, support & prayers to the family, relatives & friends of **P.J. Ronan, Kyleatuna, Kilmaley** who was buried during the week.

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES: Connolly –Mon, Tue, Wed @ 10 am Kilmaley –Thur, Fri, Sat @ 10 am

MINISTRY OF THE WORD: Kilmaley- Sat 1 Aug @ 7.30pm Fintan Cabey Sun 2 Aug @ 11.30 am Seamus Lynch Inch- Sun 2 Aug @ 9.30 am Seosamh Reid Connolly – Sun 2 Aug @ 10.30 am Patrina Cullen

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 Envelopes €571.90; Priests' Collection €60; Lourdes €10; Peters Pence €22; Feast of the Assumption €2;

<u>PILGRIMAGE TO CANON ISLAND</u> will take place on Sunday 16 August. Boats will leave Crovraghan Pier (off Ennis Road, Kildysart) at 5.30pm. Life jackets are compulsory (some will be available at the pier). Priests are welcome to concelebrate.

TIME FOR BODY & SOUL; Annual 3 day Ennis Parish Pilgrimage to Lough Derg; Mon 3rd August to Wed 5th. Bookings being now taken at Parish Office 065 6824043.

LOUGH DERG 2015: Last day of the Three Day Pilgrimage is Thursday 13 August. Pilgrims can begin their pilgrimage any day up until then. No need to book. Information available at www.loughderg.org or phone 071 9861518

<u>AUTUMN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES.</u> The Killaloe Diocese Autumn Pilgrimage to Lourdes takes place from Sunday 4th October to Friday 9th October. €667 per person sharing with a €10 discount for online booking to joewalshtours.ie. Enquiries to Fr Tom Ryan Shannon Pilgrimage Director.061 364134

<u>HOLY YEAR PILGRIMAGE</u>: Pope Francis has announced a **Holy Year dedicated to Mercy** from 8th December 2015 to 20th November 2016. The Diocese is organising a Holy Year Pilgrimage to Rome from Sunday, 31st July to Friday, 5th August, 2016. Air-conditioned accommodation at the Irish College. Details from info@culturalconnections.eu or Albert McDonnell.

<u>GRANDPARENTS PILGRIMAGE</u>: The Catholic Grandparents Association would like to invite all Grandparents, Parents and Grandchildren to celebrate this wonderful memorial day for St Joachim and St Anne on 26th July, and we will be delighted to welcome you all to our **National Grandparents Pilgrimage at Our Lady of Knock Shrine, on 13th September.**

<u>YOUTH 2000:</u> The Youth 2000 Summer Festival will take place at the Cistercian College, Roscrea from Thursday 13th – Sunday 16th August. For young peope aged 16-35, an opportunity not to be missed to experience the Catholic Faith & meet many new people, with over 1000 young people from all corners of Ireland attending last year. The festival is donation only. Free buses available from all around Ireland. For more info & to book online, see www.youth2000.ie or phone 01-6753690

<u>FIRST LIGHT</u> supports parents and families who have lost a child, regardless of the circumstances or when the death took place. Please contact 1850391391 or email <u>support@firstlight.ie</u> 24/7 for advice. There are monthly support groups and meetings in Co Limerick and Clare. CHY7716

<u>BRING THEOLOGY HOME:</u> Theology Matters! Join our enthusiastic student community & study theology from home or in class. Application dedline September 21st phone 01-4048124 or e-mail enquiries@prioryinstitute.com or <u>www.prioryinstitute.ie</u>

<u>DEFIBRILLATORS</u>: Defibrillators located at **Connolly Church & Kilmaley Daycare Centre**. Be Prepared-Get Trained -Save a Life. **Contact Debbie 087- 6103716 or Eilish 087- 9742162**

KILMALEY LOTTO: Numbers Drawn 4,11,15,29.No Jackpot Winner. Jackpot next week €5,900---- €30 Winners- Eoin Enright, Rita Donnelly, David Lynch, Donal Sexton, Mary Killeen. Next Draw on Saturday 25th July. Play online at www.kilmaleygaa.ie

<u>CLARE 22ND BATTALION ASSOCIATION</u> Due to circumstances outside the control of the Organiser, Clare 22 Battalion Association, the **concert in aid of Slainte an Chláir to be held on the 30th July, has been postponed** to a date in late September.

<u>COILLTE - PUBLIC CONSULTATION:</u> Coillte's currenrt Business Area Unit Strategic Plans & Forest Management Plans are due for review at the end of 2015. Coillte will produce drafts plans for the period 2016-2020 and are seeking input from the public. **Public Consultation period runs from Monday 20 July – Friday 28 August.** Submissons may be sent be email to consultation@coillte.ie & further inforamtion is available on their website www.coillte.ie

THE CARERS ASSOCIATION are providing the QQI (FETAC) Level 5 Care Support module in Shannon, Co Clare in August 2015 for more info contact the training unit on 057 93 70221.

<u>BEREAVED BY 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 confidential support to people who have experienced a death by suicide. Please phone or text - 086 0565373 or 087 3698315; www.claresuicidebereavement.com

BEFORE & AFTER SCHOOL CLUB: Grainne O'Shea will be running a before & after school club in Inch National School starting from September. Hours: 8:20 am - 9 am and 2 pm - 6 pm. She will be running a very flexible service to accommodate all parents needs. For full details on all activities please contact Grainne on 0851658033.

MOVING TO COLLEGE? Why not come along to Clare Youth Service "Preparation Workshop" at The Junction, Cloughleigh Road, Ennis. 14 August, 1pm − 5pm, €5 (lunch included). Places limited, book by 22 July. See Clare Youth Service on Facebook for more details. Contact Patricia Flynn 065 6845350 / 085 8726293.

Notices for Newletter to Fr. Larkin at pjlarkin@eircom.net by 12 Noon on Thursdays