CRÍOCHA CALLAN PASTORAL AREA

INCH-KILMALEY-CONNOLLY NEWSLETTER

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TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME -- "Year C" - 29th September 2019

Masses:

Inch

Sun 29th September @ 9.15am Community Lay Led Liturgy

Sun 6th October @ 9.15am Special Intention

Connolly

Sun 29th September @ 10.30am Community Lay Led Liturgy

Sun 6th October @ 10.30am No Mass

Sun 6th October @ 2.00pm Harvest Mass in Cloontabonnive

Kilmaley

Sat 28th September @ 7.30pm Special Intention
Sat 5th October @ 7.30pm Special Intention

<u>WEEKDAY MASS TIMES</u>: Connolly – Mon. Tue. Wed. @ 10.00am; Kilmaley – Fri @ 10.00am

FIRST FRIDAY: Friday next is the First Friday in October. Mass times are as follows - Kilmaley 10.00am, Connolly 11.00am. Communion calls will take place at the usual times. Mass and the Sacrament of the Anointing will take place this Thursday 3rd October at 11.00am in the Kilmaley Day Care Centre. All are welcome. If any sick or housebound parishioner would like to have a Communion call please let Fr. Martin know.

<u>DAY CARE CENTRE</u>: On Wednesday 16th October there will be a Mass to the Sacred Heart at 11.30am. All are welcome.

MINISTRY OF THE WORD: KILMALEY - Sat 5th Oct @ 7.30pm Anne McMahon; INCH - Sun 6th Oct @ 9.15am Siobhán Maher.

<u>ALTAR SERVERS ROTA</u>: Sat 5^{th} Oct @ 7.30pm Group C; Sun 6^{th} Oct @ 9.15am Group B.

ANNIVERSARY MASSES: October — Kilmaley Sat 26th @ 7.30pm; Connolly Sun 27th @ 10.30am; Inch Sun 27th @ 9.15am; November: Kilmaley Sat 23rd @ 7.30pm; Connolly Sun 24th @ 10.30am; Inch Sun 24th @ 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 €827.30, Priests Collection €1,020.20, Sick & Retired Priests €10, Other Collections €24.50

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 remains open, prayerful and vibrant. Communities Led Liturgies will take place in the parish this Sunday 29th September 2019 in both Inch and Connolly Churches. Mass will be celebrated in Kilmaley Church this Saturday 28th September at 7.30pm. Your support of these liturgies would be very much appreciated.

KILMALEY MEITHEAL OPEN AIR PARISH MASS OF THANKS-GIVING will be held next 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.

HOLY COMMUNION PARENTS MEETING: A meeting for the parents of the Holy Communion children will take place in Kilmaley Day Care Centre on Monday 14th October @ 7:30pm. We ask that all families be represented.

YOUTH MINISTRY LEADER TRAINING: Killaloe Diocese Youth Ministry are holding a Youth Ministry leader training course this autumn in Carrigoran Wellness Centre, Newmarket on Fergus, Co Clare. This Wednesday 2nd October, from 7.15pm to 9.15pm. The theme is "Prayer special Liturgies, Youth Masses and Pastoral care" More details are available from Donagh O'Meara 087 2322140, Joanne O'Brien 085 8749207 or Cora Guinnane 087 2400135.

KILMALEY LOTTO: Numbers Drawn 1, 10, 14, 19. Jackpot Next Week €13,300 - €30 Winners Niall Reynolds Kilmaley, Jean Pyne c/o McNamee's XL, Adrian Murphy on-line, Marie Lynch Connolly, Michael O'Halloran Glenmore. Play online at www.kilmaleygaa.ie

<u>CLARE HOSPICE AT CAHERCALLA:</u> Weekly Draw Result — 1st Prize €650.00 — Marie Moloney, Ennis. 2nd Prize €200 Maura Conway, Cree. To join contact Fundraising Office 065 6821966 www.cahercalla.ie

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 of 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.

FREE COOKERY CLASS FOR THOSE IN MILTOWN MALBAY AREA: 10 week Basic Cookery Skills starting Thursday 10th October 2019 at 9.30am to 11.30am. Further details contact Education and Training Centre, Ballard Road Miltown. Contact 065 7084774.

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.

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.

<u>COMMUNITY GAMES:</u> Huge congrats 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 at the West County Hotel on the 11th October.

DAY FOR LIFE: The 2019 day for life will be celebrated on **6**th **October**. The theme this year is domestic abuse and copies of the bishops' message are available at entrances to the Church. One in four women and one in six men experience domestic abuse in their lifetime. Almost nine out of ten women murdered in Ireland are killed by a man known to them. It is time to start talking and taking action. Go to www.dayforlife.org to find out what more we can do.

BEGINNING EXPERIENCE is a worldwide specially designed support programme for men and women who have suffered the loss of a spouse/partner by death, separation or divorce to work through the grief process, and to discover for themselves that merely "existing" in life can be transformed into "living" a new life, though a different one. The next weekend is being held at the Ennismore Retreat Centre, Cork from Friday 1st to Sunday 3rd November, 2019. Please contact 087 9886480 email:beginningexperiencecork@gmail.com www.beginningexperiencecork.com

INTERNET SAFETY: Talk for parents on the "impact of the internet on young people "by Dr. Maureen Griffin, Forensic Psychologist on Tuesday 1st October at 8.00pm in the Bellbridge House Hotel. Admission €2.

SOCIAL MEDIA, YOUNG PEOPLE AND MENTAL HEALTH - a presentation by Dr. Maureen Griffin, Forensic Psychologist & Mr. Martin Moloney, Principal, Clarecastle N.S. Thursday 3rd October at 8.00pm at the Temple Gate. Doors open 7.00pm. First come first served. Fee: €5 payable at the door. No pre-booking. Proceeds to Ennis Mental Health Association.

BOOK LAUNCH: To mark the canonization of Blessed John Henry Newman a book on Newman by Bishop Fintan Monahan will be launched on October 9th at 8.00pm in the Canon O'Kennedy room, St. Flannan's College, Ennis. Introduction and welcome by Maureen Kelly. Staged reading of some aspects of Newman. Choir of St. Flannan's College. Refreshments served. All welcome.

COASTAL ROSARY FOR LIFE, FAITH AND LOVE: Join in with thousands of people all around Ireland, as we gather on our coasts, near rivers, in our churches, at grottos etc. to pray the Rosary for Life, Faith and Love on Sunday October 13th at 2.30pm. We will join in with many countries around the world. To register a location please visit www.coastalrosaryireland.ie or text/call 087 278 6552.

I began to realise how important it was to be an enthusiast in life...

If you are interested in something, no matter what it is,
go at it full speed ahead.
Embrace it with both arms,
hug it, love it
and above all become passionate about it.
Lukewarm is no good.
Hot is no good either.
While hot and passionate is the only way to be.

Notices for Newsletter to Parish Office by 4pm on Tuesday

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