

## CRÍOCHA CALLAN PASTORAL AREA

### INCH-KILMALEY-CONNOLLY NEWSLETTER

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PARISH SAFEGUARDING REPRESENTATIVES- Frances Connellan, John McMahon.

## Second Sunday of Christmas Cycle C

### 2<sup>nd</sup> JANUARY 2022.

**MASS TIMES:** *Connolly Church: - Sunday 10.30am - Monday and Tuesday 10.00am*

*Inch Church: - Sunday 9.15am - Wednesday 8.00pm*

*Kilmaley Church: - Saturday 7.30pm—Thursday and Friday 10.00am*

*Masses and other liturgies from Kilmaley church can be viewed on the parish webcam using the following link <http://www.kilmaleyparish.ie/web-cam/> The webcam is switched on 20 minutes before each mass. For GDPR reasons it is off at all other times. Mass from Kilmaley church continues to be broadcast on the Parish Radio link.*

**THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.**

For all Parish business please contact Fr John on 065 68 39735 or email [kilmaleyparish@gmail.com](mailto:kilmaleyparish@gmail.com). Apologies for any inconvenience this may cause.

### MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK:

**Kilmaley:** Sat 1<sup>st</sup> Jan 7.30pm

Sat 8<sup>th</sup> Jan 7.30pm

Mary McMahon Cahermore

Martin and Nora O'Sullivan Furroor

**Inch:** Sun 9<sup>th</sup> Jan 9.15am

Paddy O'Malley Cappalea South.

**Connolly:** Mon 3<sup>rd</sup> Jan 10,00am:

Thomas Monahan, Corrancreagh

## Happy New Year!

A very Happy, Holy and Prosperous New Year to all our parishioners and friends.

## FEAST OF THE EPIPHANY

Thursday 6th January is the feast of the Epiphany which celebrates Jesus as the Messiah of Israel, Son of God, and Saviour of the world. It is a Holy Day of Obligation. **Mass in Inch at 9.15am, Connolly at 10.30am and Kilmaley at 7.30pm on Thursday**



**Please pray for Joan Spaight** (née Mc Inerney)

Sixmilebridge and late of Glin, mother of Patricia McGuane Sheun **Bridget Rhodes** (nee Gregan) Leeds and late of Knock, Inch, **Anthony (Tony)**

**Perrill**, Gort brother of Tessie O'Keefe, Mahonburgh, Inch who died this week. We offer our prayerful condolences to their families and friends.



**ANNIVERSARY MASSES** can be booked for any scheduled weekday or weekend mass. Contact 065 6839735. Normally there is one intention per mass.

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION** is postponed until the spring.

**MINISTRY OF THE WORD:** 8<sup>th</sup>/9<sup>th</sup> January, 2022

**KILMALEY** — Mike Rynne  
**INCH** — Siobhán Barry  
**CONNOLLY** — Frances Connellan

**COVID 19 GUIDANCE**  
**FOR CHURCH CEREMONIES:**

Religious services and weddings can proceed without capacity limits but with all other protective measures remaining in place. These protective measures mean that we will all need to act individually and collectively in our everyday lives to keep this risk under control, in particular:

- > Isolate and get tested if symptomatic;
- > Use face coverings where appropriate;
- > Good ventilation in indoor spaces
- > Social distancing when appropriate;
- > Cover our coughs and sneezes
- > Keep our hands clean.

**BASKET & ENVELOPE COLLECTIONS:**

**Weekly Envelopes €1,696.**

**Priests Collection €761.**

**Other collections €2.**

We sincerely thank you for your contributions, they are vital in keeping our parish going. They can be dropped into the Parochial House or into one of the secure collection boxes available in Kilmaley Church.

**Online donations** to Kilmaley Parish can also be made by credit or debit card using the Diocesan Website [www.kilalloediocese.ie](http://www.kilalloediocese.ie) Simply go to the Diocesan Website and click on the red **"Donate to your Parish"** button on the top of the page.

**MISSALS FOR MINISTERS OF THE WORD:** Your missals for 2022 haven't arrived yet. We will let you know as soon as they are delivered. Sorry for the inconvenience and thank you for proclaiming the word of God during mass in the parish.

**GIFTS CAN KEEP ON GIVING:** We all are delighted to receive gifts and appreciate the generosity and thought they express. From time to time we may get duplicate items or items that don't quite suit our taste. If you have received any such gifts, you may consider donating them to cheer up somebody who can use them. Any donations can be dropped off at the sacristy of any of the churches. No chocolates please. Success! I managed to write that without using the word "unwanted".

**SVP ANNUAL APPEAL:** "Many Families will face impossible choices this Christmas. You can help. Please support the SVP Annual Appeal by giving locally. Ways to donate: Online: [svp.ie](http://svp.ie). By phone: 0818 176 176. By post: to SVP, Vincent's Shop, 86 Parnell Street, Ennis. Cheques made payable to 'Society of St. Vincent de Paul'. When donating you can nominate your local area. Blue envelopes: Special blue envelopes will be in newspapers/RTE Guide and delivered to homes can also be used.

**Requests for confidential assistance and support can be made directly to 065 682 4188.**

**ALONE** manage a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to COVID-19 (Coronavirus). If you or someone you know needs support this Christmas, please call our National Support and Referral Line on 0818 222 024 from 8am – 8pm, seven days a week. ALONE operates 365 days a year so we will be there to take your call when you need us most.

**SAMARITANS** Ennis and Clare Branch are currently recruiting new volunteers for the New Year. Full training will be given. For information please log on to [volunteer.samaritans.org](http://volunteer.samaritans.org), text 085 176 3491 or email [Ennis.BranchRecruitment@samaritans.org](mailto:Ennis.BranchRecruitment@samaritans.org)

**AWARE VOLUNTEER DRIVE:** Aware offers free support, education and information services to those impacted by anxiety, depression, bipolar disorder and related mood conditions. Volunteers, many of whom had their own experience of depression or bipolar disorder, and who wanted to support others, are the backbone of the organisation. Check out: <https://www.aware.ie/get-involved/volunteering/>

**KILMALEY LOTTO:** 28<sup>th</sup> December, 2021: Numbers Drawn 14, 19, 24, 32. Jackpot next week €5,850. €30 winners; Aida Griffey, Mary Hickey, Anne Romer, Mary Lynch, Liam & Eoin McMahan. Play on line at [www.kilmaleygaa.ie](http://www.kilmaleygaa.ie). Tickets also on

**Notices for Newsletter to Parish Office by**

**1.00pm on Wednesday**

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