

## INCH-KILMALEY-CONNOLLY PARISH NEWSLETTER

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### TWENTY- SEVENTH SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME “C”--- 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2016

<b>MASSES:</b>	<b>Inch</b>	Sun 2 <sup>nd</sup> October @ 9.30am	Special Intention
		Sun 9 <sup>th</sup> October @ 9.30am	Special Intention
	<b>Connolly</b>	Sun 2 <sup>nd</sup> October @ 10.30am	Special Intention
		<b>Fri 7<sup>th</sup> October @ 11.00am</b>	<b>First Friday Mass</b>
		Sun 9 <sup>th</sup> October @ 10.30am	Denis & Michael Kearney, Connolly Bridgie & Mary Ann Kearney, Connolly Nora & Gerry Connellan, Kilcolumb William O’Connor, Drimanure
	<b>Kilmaley</b>	Sat 1 <sup>st</sup> October @ 7.30pm	Mike Fitzgerald, Clonlaheen, Month’s Mind
		Sun 2 <sup>nd</sup> October @ 11.30am	Special Intention
		Sat 8 <sup>th</sup> October @ 12 Noon	Kevina O’Rourke, Kyleatunna, 1 <sup>st</sup> Anniv.
		Sat 8 <sup>th</sup> October @ 7.30pm	Joe Hayes, Kyleatunna Paddy Casey, Knockadangan Martin & Peg Cahill, Knockatunna Joe Frawley, Shean Martin O’Sullivan, Furroor
		Sun 9 <sup>th</sup> October @ 11.30am	Special Intention

**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 Anointing will take place on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> October at 11am in the Kilmaley Day Care Centre. All are welcome.**

**MARRIAGE BLESSINGS:** We congratulate and wish every Blessing to **Michael Barry, Mahonburg & Lynda McLeish, Killaloe** who were married on 23<sup>rd</sup> September in the Church of St. Flannan, Killaloe. We pray that God will bless their journey of married life and fill them with happiness.

**DAY FOR LIFE:** This day is celebrated yearly by the Catholic Church in Ireland, Scotland, England and Wales. It is dedicated to raising awareness about the meaning and value of human life at every stage and in every condition and the care of creation. An Information Card is available as you leave Mass this weekend.

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

**WEEKDAY MASS TIMES:** Connolly – Mon, Tue, Wed @10am & Fri @ 11am Kilmaley – Fri @ 10am, Sat @ 12 Noon

**MINISTRY OF THE WORD:** Kilmaley - Sat 8<sup>th</sup> Oct @ 7.30pm Roisín Burke; Sun 9<sup>th</sup> Oct @ 11.30am Ann O’Loughlin  
Inch – Sun 9<sup>th</sup> Oct @ 9.30am Martina O’Loughlin Connolly – Sun 9<sup>th</sup> Oct @ 10.30am Noleen & Grace Doherty

**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 €638; Priests Collection €424.20; Sick & Retired Priests’ Fund €5; (To date €745.30); Lourdes €5.25 (To date €675.25); Missions €5; All Saints €3; Assumption €2;**

**KILLALOE DIOCESE JPIC COMMITTEE** would like to announce the following upcoming events: ***Laudato Si and its implications for our modern world.*** A talk presented by Trócaire official Colm Hogan. Mount St. Joseph’s Abbey, Roscrea, **October 3<sup>rd</sup> at 8pm.** All welcome. There will be some books available courtesy of Trócaire and Veritas. **October 29<sup>th</sup>:** S.M.A. Justice and Peace Group Training Day - Ennis Pastoral Centre, October 29<sup>th</sup>, 10-2p.m.

**SACRED STILLNESS: A DAY TO EXPLORE THE INNER JOURNEY WITH JOHN DOHERTY.** Saturday, October 8<sup>th</sup> at Mt St Joseph’s Abbey, Roscrea, from 10am 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.

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

**CHRISTMAS PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND 2016 FROM 19<sup>TH</sup>-27<sup>TH</sup> 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**

**MATT TALBOT NOVENA:** The annual Matt Talbot Novena praying for all suffering or sharing in the life of addictions begins this **Tuesday evening October 4<sup>th</sup> at 7pm in SS. John & Paul Church Shannon**. Petitions /Prayers of Thanksgiving can be left at the shrine or sent securely to the special online email available on [www.shannonparish.ie](http://www.shannonparish.ie). The novena can also be viewed live each week on Shannon Parish webcam. This week's preacher will be Fr Damian Nolan Corofin.

**MID CLARE PTAA- PIONEER SOCIAL:** Annual Mass & Social at the Temple Gate Hotel, Ennis on **Friday 14<sup>th</sup> October**. Mass at 8pm followed by Meal. Music by Stealaway Tickets €25 Contact 6891720 / 6822365

**CHERISH LIFE! PROLIFE CAMPAIGN NATIONAL CONFERENCE 2016** will be held at the RDS, Dublin on **October 8<sup>th</sup> from 1.00 to 4.30pm**. Attending the Conference will provide you with information on the current Life situation and dispel the many myths now being argued. For further details, contact the Prolife Campaign on 01 6629275 or [info@prolifecampaign.ie](mailto:info@prolifecampaign.ie). Alternatively in Co. Clare, contact June on 086 1908318.

**COPING WITH LOSS AFTER SUICIDE:** 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](http://www.claresuicidebereavementsupport.com)

**DR QUIGNEY – KILMALEY HEALTH CENTRE:** Dr Quigney will be attending Kilmaley Health Centre on the **Second & Fourth Thursday of each Month from 2 – 4pm. 29<sup>th</sup> September, 13<sup>th</sup> October & 27<sup>th</sup> October, 10<sup>th</sup> November & 24<sup>th</sup> November, 8<sup>th</sup> December & 22<sup>nd</sup> 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**

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

**KILMALEY LOTTO:** Numbers Drawn 9, 15, 25, 31. No Jackpot Winner. **Jackpot Next Week €1,800---** €30 Winners: Noel Neylon, Sean Talty, Brid Keane, Eoin O'Malley, Noreen McDonnell. Next Draw on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> October. Play online at [www.kilmaleygaa.ie](http://www.kilmaleygaa.ie)

**CLARE HOSPICE AT CAHERCALLA:** Weekly Draw Result – **1<sup>st</sup> Prize €650.00** –Aileen Mc Antee, Clarecastle. **2<sup>nd</sup> Prize €200.00** – Mary O' Halloran, Clarecastle. To Join contact Fundraising Office 065 6821966 [www.cahercalla.ie](http://www.cahercalla.ie)

**A LIFE LINE FOR MARRIED COUPLES- RETROUVAILLE:** Are you disillusioned or bored in your marriage? Unable to communicate with each other? Feeling confused, stressed, unloved? Separated, divorced, or thinking about it? Do you want to try again? You can improve your marriage. Retrouvaille helps couples worldwide work through challenging times. Call or text 086-4135440

**PRIMARY SCHOOLS CROSS COUNTRY SUCCESS:** A huge congratulations to the girls and boys of **Kilmaley N.S., Inch N.S. and Connolly N.S. who took home the cup for the second year in a row in the North Clare Schools Primary Cross Country Championships**. Well done to all the boys and girls who ran in the different race as well as the teachers and parents who helped out on the day.

**NUI MAYNOOTH CERTIFICATE IN COUNSELLING** now recruiting for early October. Evening Course at the Clare Education Centre. For further details contact Pauline Bradley course tutor on 087 6383988

**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](mailto:YEI@clareyouthservice.org)

**SET-DANCING CLASSES:** Set dancing classes have recommenced in Kilmaley Inn on Tuesday Nights at 8.30pm. For further details contact Mary Clancy 087- 632 3360. All are welcome.

**YOUTH 2000** invites all young adults between ages of 16-35 to a Catholic weekend retreat taking place from the 7<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> 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](http://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!

### **A CHRISTIAN PRAYER IN UNION WITH CREATION**

Father, we raise you with all your creatures. they come forth from your all-powerful hand;  
they are yours, filled with your presence and your tender love. Praise be to you!

Son of God, Jesus, through you all things were made. You were formed in the womb of Mary our Mother,  
you became part of this earth, and you gazed upon this world with human eyes.

Today you are alive in every creature in your risen glory. Praise be to you.