

CRÍOCHA CALLAN PASTORAL AREA

INCH-KILMALEY-CONNOLLY NEWSLETTER

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PARISH SAFEGUARDING REPRESENTATIVES - Frances Connellan, John McMahan.

The Fifth Sunday in Lent Cycle C

3rd April 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. Apologies for any inconvenience this may cause.

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK:

Kilmaley: Sat 2nd Apr 7.30pm Oisín Cahill Clonfeigh Inch
MV Hehir and deceased family members Ballyillaun

Sat 9th Apr 7.30pm Anne Queally, An Cluainín
Mike Joe Neylon, Kilclogher
Paddy Lynch Kilcolumb

Inch: Sun 3rd Apr 9.15am John Killeen and Darragh Killeen Clonfeigh
Sun 10th Apr 9.15am Andy Clancy Bushy Park
Michael Killeen, Ivy Hill, Inch

Connolly: Sun 3rd and 10th Apr 10.30am no intention booked

EASTER CEREMONIES 2022

Palm Sunday 9th/10th April Masses at usual weekend times. **Please bring a palm branch with you from home** and it will be blessed during the mass.

Spy Wednesday 13th Apr 7.30pm **Ennis Cathedral.** Annual CHRISM MASS. No mass in Inch.

Holy Thursday 14th Apr 8.00pm **Connolly Church.** Mass of the Lord's Supper. No 10am mass.

Good Friday 15th Apr 3.00pm **Kilmaley Church.** Commemoration of the Lord's Passion. No 10am mass.

Holy Saturday 16th April 9.00pm **Kilmaley Church.** Celebration of the Easter Vigil.

Easter Sunday 17th April **Inch Church;** mass at 9.15am. **Connolly Church;** mass at 10.30am.



Easter Water: For environmental reasons we will not be providing plastic bottles this year. If you would like some Easter Holy Water, **fill a bottle or container with water** and take it along to the Easter Vigil or any of the Masses on Easter Sunday and I will bless it during the mass.

ANNIVERSARY MASSES can be booked for any scheduled weekday or weekend mass. Contact 065 68 39735.

COVID 19 GUIDANCE

FOR CHURCH CEREMONIES:

As most restrictions are lifted and society is returning to normal many may feel a little apprehensive, so in the churches we will be moving forward gradually. It makes sense to continue to:

- > 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 €693.

Priests Collection €300.

Other collections € 21.

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 Simply go to the Diocesan Website and click on the red “**Donate to your Parish**” button.

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

The Parish Pastoral Council has been in place in the parish since 2019. Due to a falloff in numbers and having consulted with current and former members and the Bishop, the current council is being wound up with immediate effect. I wish to thank the outgoing members for their contribution to the excellent work and achievements of the council during very challenging times globally. I will initiate the process of establishing a new parish pastoral council presently. Fr John

MINISTRY OF THE WORD: 9th / 10th April, 2022

KILMALEY — Anne McMahon

INCH — Siobhán Barry

CONNOLLY — Roisín Ni Ceallaigh

Extra readers are needed at the Easter Vigil. If you are available please contact Fr John.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION will take place on Tuesdays from 2pm—8pm in the “*crying room*” at Kilmaley Church. If you can commit to an hour please contact Mary on 087-2399797



SPECIAL COLLECTION FOR UKRAINE:

Thank you for your extremely generous donations which came amounted to €2300.

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE is on 22nd May 2022. Everyone from the Parish and community is invited to attend. A tour of the beautiful shrine grounds, a visit to the Museum, concelebrated Mass and time to enjoy lunch are included. The Ark Children’s Club is available for those with small children. Busses organised by Brigdale Coaches 087-2661333 (Cian) and Noel O’ Shea 087-2550155. Any questions Contact - Claire 065-6828638 Killaloe Diocesan Office

LOURDES 2022: The Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes from 28th Jun to 3rd Jul, from Shannon. Sick or assisted pilgrims will not travel this year. Cost €739 to €759 depending on the choice of hotel. Contact Joe Walsh Tours 01-2410800 email: info@joewalshstours.ie Post: Joe Walsh Tours 69 O’Connell Street Dublin 1. Autumn pilgrimage is on 2nd to 7th Oct 2022. Enquiries to Fr Tom Ryan 087- 2349816 or tfryan.ennis@gmail.com

KILMALEY LOTTO: 26th Mar: Numbers Drawn 2, 22, 25, 29. Next Jackpot €7,800. €30 winners; Kevin O’Connor, Freddie Markham, Chris Queally, Paul Kenny, Monica Murphy. Play on line at www.kilmaleygaa.ie. Tickets also on sale locally.

CLARE HOSPICE AT CAHERCALLA: Draw result; Tue Mar 29th: 1st Prize €650.00 Ann Thynne Kilshanny. 2nd Prize €200.00 Aidan Coll, Ennis. Contact Fundraising Office 065 682196 or www.cahercalla.ie.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: The Ray of Sunshine are looking for tradespeople to give up 11 days in Jan, 2023 to travel to Mombasa, Kenya as a volunteer to assist in building an Out-Reach Home and respite unit for girls. Contact Olive Halpin 087/6994599 or rayofsunshine.ie.

NATIONAL HELLO, HOW ARE YOU? DAY, a new mental health promotion campaign developed and managed by Mental Health Ireland is on Thur April 7th. Full details at www.hellohowareyou.info. Ennis Mental Health Association will host a ‘**Hello Clare How Are You?**’ information event at The Height in Ennis from 2pm on Apr 7th. Check out **Hello Clare, How Are You?** on YouTube

Notices for Newsletter to Parish Office by

1.00pm on Wednesday

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