

CRÍOCHA CALLAN PASTORAL AREA

INCH-KILMALEY-CONNOLLY NEWSLETTER

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EPIPHANY OF THE LORD --“Year C” 5th January, 2020

Masses

Inch

Sunday 5th January @ 9.15am

Sunday 12th January @ 9.15am

Special Intention

Patrick O Malley, Cappalea South

Barbara and Michael O Malley, Cappalea North

Michael and Mary Cullinan, Slaveen

Michéal Cullinan, Slaveen

Connolly

Sunday 5th January @ 10.30am

Monday 6th January @ 10.30am

Sunday 12th January @ 10.30am

Special Intention

The Epiphany of the Lord

Special intention

Kilmaley

Saturday 4th January @ 7.30pm

Monday 6th January @ 7.30 pm

Saturday 11th January @ 7.30pm

Special Intention

The Epiphany of the Lord

Ann Haren, Ennis and Tullaghaboy, Connolly

Ger McNamara, Fortville, Kilmaley

SYMPATHY: We offer our sympathy, support and prayers to the family, relatives and friends of:

- **Mary Mc Mahon (nee Quinn)** Cahermore, Kilmaley
- **Maura Culligan (nee Markham)** Kilclogher, Kilmaley
- **Paddy Meehan**, Bealcragga. Funeral Mass this Sunday, in St Michael's Church, Connolly at 10.30am with burial afterwards in Inagh Cemetery.
- **Bridget (Beetie) Flynn (Nee McGann)** Miltown Malbay and formerly of Gortagannive, Kilmaley.

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES: Connolly — Mon, Tues, & Wed 10.00am Kilmaley – Thurs & Fri @ 10.00am.

EPIPHANY: The Feast of the Epiphany is celebrated on 6th January. This feast is also called Little Christmas and Women's Christmas. The three kings arrived from the East to Honour the infant Jesus. They knelt to worship Him and offered him precious gifts of Gold, Frankincense and Myrrh.

ANNIVERSARY MASSES: **JANUARY** Kilmaley Sat. 11th and 25th @ 7.30pm. Connolly Sun. 12th and 26th @ 10.30am. Inch Sun 12th & 26th @ 9.15am. **FEBRUARY** Kilmaley Sat. 8th and 22nd @ 7.30pm. Connolly Sun. 9th and 23rd @ 10.30am. Inch Sun 9th and 23rd @ 9.15am.

MINISTRY OF THE WORD: **KILMALEY** - Sat. 11th January @ 7.30pm Ann O'Loughlin **INCH** – Sun. 12th January @ 9.15 am Brid Higgins. **CONNOLLY** – Sun. 12th January @10.30am Rose Fox.

ALTAR SERVERS ROTA: **KILMALEY** Sat. 11th January @ 7.30pm Group A; **INCH** – Sun. 12th January @ 9.15am Group B; **CONNOLLY** – Sun. 12th January @ 10.30am Group C;

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 Envelopes €1,125.50 Priests Collection €1,914.85, Other Collections €52.10.

KILMALEY LOTTO: Numbers Drawn: 2, 3, 4, 30. Jackpot next week €14,700. €30 winners; Kay Mc Aleer, Rebecca Cahill, Sean Courtney, Joe O Connell and Geraldine Madigan. Play online at www.kilmaleygaa.ie

CLARE HOSPICE DRAW (CAHERCALLA): This weeks winners 1st Prize Grainne Dunne, Quin, Co. Clare. 2nd Prize Brid Callinan Clarecastle, Co. Clare. To join contact Fundraising Office 065 6821966 www.cahercalla.ie

READERS AT WEEKEND MASSES: St Paul Sunday Missal 2020 available from the Sacristy in all Churches.

MASS CARDS: Selection of signed mass cards— Sympathy, Get Well, Thank you, Special Occasions Mass Bouquet, Birthday Wishes, Exam Success, Wedding Day, etc. all available from Parish Office.

PARISH FACEBOOK PAGE: Kilmaley, Inch, Connolly Parish - The parish now has a Facebook page. This will be an additional means of communicating with our parishioners. Please like and share our page. Follow the link at the bottom of our parish website www.kilmaleyparish.ie

KILMALEY PARISH JOURNAL: Due to unforeseen circumstances the 40th issue will not be on sale until the end of January.

PENDANT ALARMS: A Pendant Alarm can save your life in the event of an accident, or any other emergency. It can be pressed in any situation when you need help and cannot reach a telephone. Alarms are available for landline and mobile. For further information and application form please contact Family Carers Ireland (Ennis) @ 0656893690

HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE 11 Day Pilgrimage to The Holy Land **February 12th to February 22nd 2020** cost €1,475.00 deposit €450.00. **Spiritual Director Canon Paddy McGinn**, further details contact **Brenda Murray-Flynn** on 041 6863390 or brenda.murray-flynn@travelcounsellors.com Philip on 087 250 8043 or pmcardle006@gmail.com.

IRISH DANCE CLASSES will resume in the Kilmaley Inn this Wednesday 8th January, at 6pm. Enquiries to Helan Greene, Irish Dance teacher. Phone: 087 6231106

AFTERNOON CÉILÍ, Sunday, 5th January, 2020 with The Dal gCais Céilí Band. Tickets €10 available at the door. Dancing 3.00pm—6.00pm. Further information phone: 065 68 24276 www.coisnabhabhna.ie.

ECHARISTIC ADORATION: the Eucharistic adoration will resume on this **Tuesday 7th January from 10.00am to 10.00pm**.

AGE ACTION FREE COMPUTER CLASSES the getting started programme aims to make over 55's comfortable using a computer /tablet/iPad's/smartphones and the internet. Tutoring is usually on a 1:1 basis in a relaxed atmosphere. Classes are on Wednesdays for 2 hours 10:30am —12:30pm for 5 weeks. For more information email gettingstartedgalway@ageaction.ie or call 091 527831.

STAMP APPEAL - USED STAMPS WANTED: The local branch of Apostolic Works Society would be delighted to receive them. They can be given to any member of the society or dropped into the box at Connolly Church.

BEEF PLAN MOVEMENT NEWS: Clare Beef Plan is holding their AGM and general elections on the Wednesday, 15th January, 2020 at 8.00pm in the Auburn Lodge Hotel. For more information please contact any of the Clare committee members.

SAMARITANS ENNIS are currently recruiting new listening volunteers. Everybody is welcome to apply. For information please log on to volunteer.samaritans.org, phone/text 085 176 3491 or email samaritansrecruitmentennis@gmail.com.

KILMALEY YOUTH GROUP MEETING Kilmaley Church this **Friday 10th January at 8:30pm**. All welcome.

MEDJUGORJE PILGRIMAGE to MEDJUGORJE ex SHANNON-20th to 27th May, 2020 Outward to MOSTAR (30 mins from Medjugorje) Return from SPLIT. Cost before Feb 1st is €675 p.p.s. Thereafter €725. Enquiries: **Kathleen Lee 086 1031508** or **Rachel Haren 087 6747869**.

LOURDES 2020 The 64th Diocesan pilgrimage to Lourdes will take place from **Friday, 26th June to Wednesday 1st July; €725** full board with €20 discount for online booking to: joewalshstours.ie The gift of a Pilgrimage to Lourdes for a family member this Christmas is often the solution for family members wondering what might be a suitable gift for their parents, family member or friend.

MARY IMMACULATE COLLEGE *On Saturday 11 January (10.00am-1.00pm)*, Mary Immaculate College will give thousands of prospective students the opportunity to explore its Limerick campus and discover all that the College has to offer from its range of undergraduate and postgraduate degrees, extra-curricular activities and exceptional facilities. The Open Day will be an invaluable opportunity for prospective students to get a real sense of the College and to get the information they need to make their final college choices. For more information, see micopenaday.ie.

VOLUNTEERS/LEADERS NEEDED - KILMALEY YOUTH CLUB- Kilmaley Youth club started in January, 2018 and is solely run by volunteers, leaders and parents. There are currently 60 youth registered aged between 13 and 16 years from Kilmaley, Connolly and Inch who meet every Friday from 8.00pm to 9.30pm in Kilmaley Hall. We need volunteers to supervise, assist with activities on a Friday night and help on trips to youth club discos and other outings. If you have an interest in Youth Work or enjoy working with young people, the committee would love to talk to you. Training, support and supervision will be provided. This is a great opportunity to make a difference to an organisation who is providing a valuable service to the young people of Kilmaley Parish. Please contact Aoife Clancy 086-0890408, Ciara Carmody 087-6694844, kilmaleeyouthclub@gmail.com or Facebook/Instagram.

VINYASA AND YIN YOGA CLASSES resume next Thursday, 9th January, 2020 at 8.30pm in the Day Care Centre. €80 covers six classes or bring a friend and both pay €60. Contact Kieran at 087 7958381.

***Almighty God,
whose Son our Saviour Jesus Christ
is the light of the world:
Grant that your people,
illuminated by your Word and Sacraments,
may shine with the radiance of Christs glory,
that he may be known and worshipped
to the ends of the earth,
through Christ our Lord.
Amen.***

Notices for Newsletter to Parish Office by 4.00pm on Tuesday
E-mail kilmaleyparish@gmail.com.