

INCH-KILMALEY-CONNOLLY PARISH NEWSLETTER

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TENTH SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME “C”--- 5th June, 2016

MASSES: Inch	Sun 5 th June @ 9.30am	Paul Hickey, Tullassa, 1st Anniversary
	Sun 12 th June @ 9.30am	John Barry
Connolly	Sun 5 th June @ 10.30am	Special Intention
	Sun 12 th June @ 10.30am	Michael & Maureen Moloney, Renagisha
Kilmaley	Sat 4 th June @ 7.30pm	Special Intention
	Sun 5 th June @ 11.30am	Special Intention
	Sat 11 th June @ 7.30pm	Mary McMahan, Lecarrowmore
		Ann McNamara, Fortville
		Jane McNamara, Fortville
		Peter Czyszczak, Poland
		Thomas Cahill, Kilmaley Hill
		Mary Cahill, Kilmaley Hill
	Sun 12 th June @ 11.30am	Special Intention

BAPTISM: We welcome into God’s family and the Christian Community **Robbie Edward Kennedy, Kilmorane Heights, Kilrush Road, Ennis**. We congratulate his parents Raymond & Aoife and pray that God will always guide and protect him.

SYMPATHY: We offer our sympathy, support and prayers to the family, relatives and friends of **Flan McMahan, Barefield**, father of Martina Carmody, Feighroe, Connolly buried during the week. We offer our sympathy, support and prayers to the family, relatives and friends of **Gerard Mulrooney, Lahaknock, Kilmaley** who died during the week. We offer our sympathy, support and prayers to the family, relatives and friends of **Mrs Tessie Sheedy, nee O’Neill formerly of Drimanure** who died in Hertfordshire, England during the past week.

MASS ON MOUNT CALLAN: Over the past years the Four Parishes in the Críocha Callan Cluster have gathered to celebrate Mass on Mount Callan for the 15th August. At a recent meeting of the Críocha Callan Cluster organising group it was decided that Mass will not take place this year on Mount Callan.

TRÓCAIRE-THANK YOU: A very sincere thanks to all who contributed so generously towards the annual Lenten Trócaire collection. A cheque for €2,200 was sent to the Diocesan Office & they in turn will send to Trócaire.

WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES AND VISIT OF POPE FRANCIS: In the past week, Pope Francis confirmed the dates of the World Meeting of Families for Dublin from 22nd – 26th August 2018. Pope Francis indicated that he or his successor will attend. In anticipation of this second Papal visit to Ireland in 2018, a National Collection is taking place throughout the Country to help prepare and plan for this Papal visit. **The collection will take place in our parish on the weekend of 18th / 19th June. Envelopes will be available in the Church porches for this collection. We ask your generous response.**

ANNIVERSARY MASSES: The dates for the June Grouped Anniversary Masses are as follows - **Kilmaley** – Sat 11th at 7.30pm & Sun 26th at 11.30am **Connolly** - Sun 12th & Sun 26th at 10.30am; **Inch** – Sun 12th & Sun 26th at 9.30am

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES: **Connolly** – Mon, Tue, Wed @10.00am **Kilmaley**— Thur, Fri, Sat @ 10.00am

MINISTRY OF THE WORD: **Kilmaley** - Sat 11th June @ 7.30pm Ann Griffin; Sun 12th June @ 11.30am Brian Flynn
Inch– Sun 12th June @ 9.30am Christopher Forde **Connolly** – Sun 12th June @ 10.30am Martha Dillon

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 €785.76; Priests Collection €40; Education Fund €11 (to date €686.30); Lourdes €4; Peter’s Pence €2; Assumption €2**

LOURDES DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE: Lourdes has been designated as one of the International Jubilee sites for this Year of Mercy. The Diocesan Pilgrimage takes place from 26th June returning on 1st July. Extra capacity has been provided in the flights from Shannon Airport. Bookings to Joe Walsh Tours (01) 2410810 or www.ioewalshstours.ie. Fully inclusive fare of flights, hotel and all meals for €687 with €10 discount for online booking.

ANNUAL KILLALOE DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE will take place on **Sunday 3rd July 2016**, sharing with Ferns as we have in previous years. Led by Rev. Des Hillery. Ceremonies begin at 2:30pm **For bus transport please contact: Glynn’s Coaches, Ennis @ 065-6828234**

THE KILLALOE DIOCESE JPIC COMMITTEE World Environment Day is June 5th. We as a diocese would like to encourage all people to be environmentally aware in this next week. Perhaps we could do some planting, become recycling aware or perhaps read some of Pope Francis encyclical on Care for creation entitled “Laudato Si”... Together we can make the world a better place.

YEAR OF MERCY LIMERICK / CLARE GROUP 3 DAY PILGRIMAGE TO LOUGH DERG on August Bank Holiday Weekend **30th July to 1st August** Bus leaves Arthurs Quay Limerick at 6am with pickup available in Ennis, Gort, Oranmore, Claregalway, Tuam, Knock and Sligo. Contact James Treacy on 0860572216 or 061921470.

CONNOLLY PRESCHOOL: Now taking enrolments for September 2016, Free ECCE places, Part time and full time places available. Located in Connolly National School since 2001. Contact Susan 087 6290736

KILMALEY LOTTO: Numbers Drawn 9, 14, 18, 20. No Jackpot Winner. **Jackpot next week will be €10,400---- County Board Ticket Winners:** John Mc Mahon, Declan Healy, Valerie Vaughan, Robbie Kennedy, Oisín Markham. Next Draw on Saturday 4th June. Play online at www.kilmaleygaa.ie

KILMALEY G.A.A.: Hotel Woodstock is now offering **special discounted rates for all GAA club members**, for access to their leisure centre. Discounted rates are available for singles, couples and families. Please contact Shane Slattery 087-6731064 for further information.

CLARE HOSPICE AT CAHERCALLA: Weekly Draw Result--**1st Prize €650.00 – Michael Conlon, Barefield, 2nd Prize €200.00 Mai Devitt, Dromadrehid, Ennis.**

MILFORD CARE CENTRE & ANAM CARA are holding a **Bereavement Information Evening on Tuesday 14th of June from 7pm to 9pm** in Milford Care Centre, Limerick. The guest speaker for the evening is Peter Mc Cartan. All Anam Cara Services are available free of charge to bereaved parents. Anam Cara will need to confirm numbers for room set up, we would appreciate if you could RSVP to info@anamcara.ie before Monday, 13th June or call us on 01 4045378.

BAKING FOR BUGISI: Kilmaley girl Orla Hennessy is travelling out to assist the Our Lady of the Apostles Sisters on their Mission in Bugisi, rural Tanzania, where they provide vital and basic medical care to the local population, as well as spreading their faith. Orla is holding a raffle for a custom gourmet cake to raise money for the Clinic. This is a great opportunity to donate to a cause and know exactly where the money is going. Information and to donate go to www.idonate.ie/bakingforbugisi or email Orla on o.hennessy95@gmail.com

CLARE ARCHAEOLOGICAL & HISTORICAL SOCIETY commences their Summer Outings on **Thursday evening 9th June at pm.** A walk onto Inishcorker on the Fergus at Kildysart with Dolores Meaney and Jackie Elger. They will give a talk on the Islands of the Fergus Estuary. Meet at Kildysart GAA pitch at 7 pm. Members free and €5 for non-members. Any queries please contact Frances 087-2262259

HOST FAMILIES WANTED IN CO. CLARE: To host International students who will be on work placement during the summer months. Also for International Students who will attend local secondary schools for a period of 3 months up to 9 months. We also have students staying for 6 to 9 weeks. A generous tax free hospitality allowance will be paid to the suitable applicants. Contact Mary Greene on 086 1741506

FREE BENEFIT 4 COMPUTER CLASSES ON HOW TO: Send/Receive Email, Use Social Media, Use of Apps, Digital Photography, Online transactions such as: Book a ticket, Online Banking, Safety and Security online. These classes are held over two days (4 hours per day) and if you wish to enrol or need more information please contact Pauline/Mary Ellen at CIOC, Elevation Business Park, Clonroad, Ennis, Co. Clare. Phone: 065 6841009 or email: education@cioc.ie

SUNFLOWER DAYS CELEBRATES ITS 26TH ANNIVERSARY this year and takes place on **Friday, June 10th and Saturday, June 11th.** This is one of the biggest annual fundraisers for the hospice movement in Ireland and it is hoped that €1 million will be raised. The event is coordinated on behalf of the hospice movement by the Irish Hospice Foundation and **all of the funds raised locally, stay locally.** People are being encouraged to support their local hospice service on June 10th and 11th by purchasing various pieces of Sunflower merchandise - including sunflower pins for €2 each from collectors on the streets of cities, towns and villages across Ireland.

COTTAGE GARDEN CENTRE is open until 9pm Monday - Saturday for the duration of the roadworks. The road will be fully accessible this Sunday and Bank Holiday Monday and each evening after 7.30pm. At other times when approaching from the Connolly direction it should be free from or with minimal roadworks until the 10th June when works should be completed. Please call us on 087 6865443 with any queries.

Prayer before an Exam

*Dear Lord, as I take this exam,
I thank you that my value is not based on my performance, but on your great love for me.
Come into my heart so that we can walk
through this time together.
Help me, not only with this test, but with the many
tests of life that are sure to come my way.
As I take this exam, bring back to mind
everything I studied and be gracious with what
I might have overlooked.
Help me to remain focused and calm, confident
in the facts and in my ability, and firm in the
knowledge that no matter what happens today,
you are there with me.
Amen*

Notices for Newsletter to Fr. Larkin by 12 Noon on Thursdays