

INCH-KILMALEY-CONNOLLY PARISH NEWSLETTER

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SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER (DIVINE MERCY) "YEAR B" 8th April, 2018

MASSES:	Inch	Sun 8 th April @ 9.15am	Maisie Kennedy, Ivy Hill Peggy Lawlor, Shean & Ennis John Killeen, Clonfeigh
		Fri 13 th April @ 7pm	Michael (Mick) Killeen, Ivy Hill, 1 st Anniv.
		Sun 15 th April @ 9.15am	Special Intention
Connolly	Sun 8 th April @ 10.30am	Special Intention	
	Sun 15 th April @ 10.30am	Special Intention	
Kilmaley	Sat 7 th April @ 7.30pm	Special Intention	
	Sat 14 th April @ 7.30pm	Frank Healy, Furroor Mary Ann & Michael O'Neill, Drimanure	
	Sun 15 th April @ 12 Noon	Celebration of Confirmation	

SYMPATHY: We offer our sympathy; support and prayers to the family, relatives and friends of **Oisín Cahill, Clonfeigh, Inch** buried during the week. We offer our sympathy; support and prayers to the family, relatives and friends of **Darragh Killeen, Clonfeigh House, Inch** buried during the week.

TRÓCAIRE – Last year our parish contributed **€3,780**. Thank you for the contributions handed in during the ceremonies of Holy Week. We continue to ask your generous support.

ANNIVERSARY MASSES: April Group Anniversary Masses are as follows- **Kilmaley** – Sat 14th at 7.30pm & Sat 28th at 7.30pm **Connolly** - Sun 15th & Sun 29th at 10.30am **Inch** – Sun 8th & Sun 29th at 9.15am

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES: Connolly – Mon, Tue & Wed @ 10.00am Kilmaley – Thur, Sat @ 10.00am, No Mass on Friday

MINISTRY OF THE WORD: **KILMALEY** - Sat 14th April @ 7.30pm Brian Flynn

INCH – Sun 15th April @ 9.15am Christopher Forde

CONNOLLY – Sun 15th April @ 10.30am Rose Fox

ALTAR SERVERS ROTA: Sat 7th Apr @ 7.30pm Group D; Sun 8th Apr @ 9.15am Group E; Sun 8th Apr @ 10.30am Group B

LOURDES DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE: Bishop Fintan Monahan will lead the 62nd Diocesan pilgrimage to Lourdes from Shannon Airport on Tuesday 26th June returning on Sunday 1st July. €695 full board for online booking at www.joewalstours.ie or €705 for paper booking. Special section for sick or assisted pilgrims at a reduced price. Early booking advisable. Full details from Fr Tom Ryan Pilgrimage Director 061-364133.

SHRINES OF ITALY: St. Padre Pio Anniversary Pilgrimage to San Giovanni, Alba Adriatica & Rome, visiting Monte Sant Angelo, Loreto & Manopella. **5th – 13th September**. Bus transfer from Miltown Malbay via Ennis to Dublin. For further details, please contact Mary O'Loughlin 085-2252251 / 065-7084000 or Fr. Pat Larkin 087-2300627. Booking by 25th April due to Limited Number of Places.

SORRENTO & SAN GIOVANNI: 15th-22nd October; Afternoon flight from Dublin; Cost: €995. For information contact Group Leader: Mary O'Sullivan: 087 1247669; Spiritual Director: Fr Tom Hogan PP

DIOCESAN FAMILY PICNIC DAY: There will be a Diocesan Family Picnic Day on **Sunday, 6th May 2018 from 3-6pm**. The Venue: Showgrounds Ennis. More details later.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY APRIL 8TH 2.30pm ENNIS CATHEDRAL: DEVOTIONS, CONFESSIONS, MASS AND BENEDICTION LED BY BISHOP FINTAN MONAHAN. The Feast of Divine Mercy is a public feast day formally established by St John Paul II in May 2000. The Divine Mercy Devotion is inspired by the experiences and writings of a Polish nun, Sister Faustina, who died at 33 years of age in 1938 and canonised in April 2000. It embraces priests, religious and laity united in their commitment to live mercy in relating to their brothers and sisters, to make the mystery of Divine Mercy known and to invoke God's Mercy for mankind. Novena of Divine Mercy starts Good Friday.

APOSTOLIC WORK SOCIETY: A meeting of the Apostolic Workers will take place in Fr. Pat's House this **Wednesday 11th April at 8.00pm**. All members are invited to attend.

CLARE HOSPICE AT CAHERCALLA: Weekly Draw Result – **1st Prize €650.00** - Terry Kelly, Ennis. **2nd Prize €200.00** – Kathleen O' Neill, Ennis. To join contact Fundraising Office 065 6821966 www.cahercalla.ie

MARANATHA PRAYER MINISTRY invites you to our Healing Retreat on Sunday, 15th April, 2018 at 2.30pm at St. Pauls Church, Dooradoyle, Limerick through the Ministry of Fr. Kevin Brown, Redemptorists, Limerick and Heidi Gilroy, Kildare.

KILMALEY LOTTO: Numbers Drawn 4, 26, 29, 30. No Jackpot Winner - Jackpot Next Week €5,600 ---- €30 Winners – Kieran Barry, Declan Rigney, Susan Fitzgibbon, Ray Lynch, Kevin McNamara. Next Draw on Saturday 7th April. Play online at www.kilmaleygaa.ie

JUNIOR BRANCH OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL: **St. Flannan's College Junior Branch of St Vincent de Paul** are holding a Clothes Collection to fund their work. It will run from April 9th until April 14th and the collection point is the main entrance to the Old College – every day from 1.10pm to 2.00pm; Mon & Tue from 4.00pm to 4.30pm; Wed, Thu & Fri from 3.20pm to 4.00pm; Saturday from 9.00am to 11.00am. All Clothes, Shoes, Belts, Handbags, Towels, Uniforms accepted.

11TH ANNUAL CLARE BURREN MARATHON CHALLENGE - Sat May 26th The Burren, Ballyvaughan, Co. Clare. Choice of Full, Half & 10K Mini marathons. Walk - Jog - Run, both on & off road, across the beautiful Burren terrain. Entry options & info: <http://www.clareburrenmarathonchallenge.com/> or phone 087 7779714. Charity Groups, individuals, runners, walkers - everyone welcome to take part.

SCOLÁIREACHTAÍ MHAIRÉAD NÍ GHRÁDA: The date for receipt of names of post primary students interested in being included in the draw for **3 scholarships of €800 each is being extended to Friday 13th April**. Give your name to one of the 3 school principals or call 065-6839753 or 087-9373895 before that date.

APOSTOLIC WORK (KILMALEY) since its foundation in 1981 has supported the work of Irish Missionaries. The fruits of their fund raising efforts and the work of their own hands has made a real difference. If you are blessed with the talents of knitting, sewing, baking etc. and are willing to help, the society would welcome your support for its **Annual Display Day on Sunday, 6th May, 2018**. If anyone would like to donate a sacred vessel such as chalice or ciborium (full list of items and price available from parish website on www.kilmaleyparish.ie) in memory of a loved one or in petition or thanksgiving for a favour they are welcome to do so and should contact **Maureen O'Rourke @ 6839054 as soon as possible. If you have used stamps, they would also be appreciated and can be handed in on the day.**

LEGENDS OF SPORT CHARITY EVENT: In aid of Cahercalla Community hospital and Clare Crusaders Clinic, at Treacy's West County Hotel; Sat 14th April; 8.30pm. Hurling legends Cyril Farrell, Galway, John Leahy, Tipperary & Aiden Fogarty, Kilkenny. Rugby legend Marcus Horan, Clonlara will be interviewed by Clare FM'S Derek Lynch about their sporting careers. Tickets €20 available from the charities and Treacy's West County.

GATHERING FOR RETURNED VOLUNTEERS & LAY/RELIGIOUS MISSIONARIES: Have you ever volunteered overseas or worked as a missionary in Africa, Asia or South America? Would you like to meet up with like-minded people? Join us for our first gathering which takes place on Thurs 19th April at 8pm at St Flannan's College, Ennis, Co Clare. For more info email jim.farrell@amri.ie or phone 083 8422468.

CLARE MONEY ADVICE & BUDGETING SERVICE: Would you like to manage your money better? If you are finding it hard meeting Loan/Mortgage repayments or making ends meet, MABS can help you manage your debts and plan a budget. This is a Free, Independent & Confidential Service. Phone: 07610 72430 (Ennis Office) for an appointment in your area. MABS Helpline: 07610 72000. Web: www.mabs.ie Address: 7 The Mall, Clare Road Business Centre, Ennis, Co. Clare.