

CRÍOCHA CALLAN PASTORAL AREA

INCH-KILMALEY-CONNOLLY NEWSLETTER

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THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD "Year B" 10th JANUARY 2021.

PUBLIC CELEBRATION OF MASS: With level 5 restrictions in place the celebration of Mass is only available via Kilmaley Parish live mass facebook or on our parish radio. Fr Martin will celebrate mass from his home this weekend at the normal times and Monday to Friday @ 10.00am. To view **log into Facebook - Kilmaley parish live mass, or parish radio link for ALL MASSES.**

CHURCH CLOSED: Kilmaley church will remain **CLOSED** for personal prayer or a visit to the Crib until Monday, 11th January, 2021 .

MASSES ON FACEBOOK

Kilmaley:

Saturday 9 th January @ 7.30pm	Special Intention
Sunday 10 th January @ 9.15 am	Special Intention
Sunday 10 th January @ 10.30am	Christy Moloney, Renagisha, Month's Mind Mass
Friday 15 th January @ 7.30pm	Annie Dooley, Doolough, Connolly, 1st Anniversary
Saturday 16 th January @ 7.30pm	Special Intention
Sunday 17 th January @ 9.15am	Special Intention
Sunday 17 th January @ 10.30am	Paddy O'Malley, Cappalea South

MARRIAGE BLESSING: We congratulate and wish every blessing to **Fiona O'Sullivan**, Furroor and **Joseph Smyth**, Cooraclare who were married on 31st December in St Michael's Church, Connolly. We pray that God will bless their journey of married life and fill them with happiness.

BAPTISM: Up to the 12th January, Baptism may take place with limited number of family attending or until the parish is advised otherwise.

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES: Mon — Fri @ 10.00am via Facebook only.

MINISTRY OF THE WORD: Due to level 5 restrictions no readers are required at the moment.

ANNIVERSARY MASSES: Group Anniversary Masses will not take place for the time being. Anniversary Masses can now be booked for any scheduled weekday or weekend mass by contacting the parish office via phone or e-mail only. One intention per mass.

PARISH OFFICE: As the situation with Covid-19 continues to deteriorates and spreading at an alarming rate, we are being advised and encouraged to put even more severe restrictions in place. This is for everyone's health and safety. Accordingly, our Parish Office will be closed for the time being to the public. But parishioner are asked if they need to contact the parish office to do so via phone or e-mail. Mass Cards can be requested via post by forwarding a stamped addressed envelope, together with your name and contact number they will then be posted out to you.

CLARE HOSPICE AT CAHERCALLA: Weekly Draw Result — 1st Prize €650.00 — Pauline Parks, 2nd Prize €200.00 — Joe Normoyle. To join contact Fundraising Office 065 682196 or www.cahercalla.ie

KILMALEY LOTTO: Numbers Drawn 3, 4, 10, 31. Jackpot next week €4,900. €30 winners: Paraic McNamara, Colm Lynch, Cathal O'Loughlin, Seamus Murphy, Martin O'Halloran. **Please Note:** play on line at www.kilmaleygaa.ie. Tickets also available in local businesses.

BASKET & ENVELOPE COLLECTIONS: We sincerely thank you for your contributions, they are vital in keeping our parish going. They can be dropped into one of the secure collection boxes available in Kilmaley Church. We thank you for your support at this time. Total last week was as follows: Weekly Envelopes €821.00, Priests Collection €768.00, Other Collections €224.00.

COLLECTIONS: In these times of Government lockdown and restrictions on attendances at public masses, many people who are unable to attend church services are interested in contributing to the support of their parish or their priests. Sincere thanks to all our parishioners who have contributed during this time. It is now possible to make a contribution by credit or debit card directly to your parish using the Diocesan Website – www.killaloe-diocese.ie. The full contribution as received by the Diocesan website will be fully paid to Kilmaley Parish. Simply go to the Diocesan Website and click on the red “Donate to your Parish” button on the top of the page. You will be invited to select your parish and the parish fund you wish to contribute to. Your support is greatly appreciated.

ST. PAUL’S SUNDAY MISSAL: The 2021 Sunday Missal is now for sale in the Ennis Parish office for €7. An ideal companion for Sunday Mass on preparation especially when participating online or listening on the radio.

TAX EFFICIENT DONATIONS: If you donate a total of €250 or more in a calendar year to the parish and if you are an Irish taxpayer (PAYE or Self Assessed), the parish can claim back tax relief of 31% on your total donations. That means that your donation of €250 could be actually worth €362 to the parish – at no extra cost to you. All you have to do is complete a CHY3 form and return it to your local parish office.

ON LINE EUCHARIST ADORATION: Due to Level 5 restrictions at this time, our EUCHARIST ADORATION has been postponed until future notice. Thank you for your understanding.

ADDICTION COUNSELLING: Ciarán Carey- Professional General and Addiction Counsellor-Limerick City working with Individuals, Couples, Families and Groups for Addictions, Mental Health, Anxiety, Depression, Trauma, Bereavement and Personal Issues to achieve positive growth. 085-7721279
Email:Info@culracounselling.ie

LEGION OF MARY: The Legion of Mary will be on at 7pm every **Tuesday** and will be available to **view on the webcam** from Mullagh Church. We would sincerely love for people to join in with these prayers by tuning in to www.kibparish.ie view our webcam.

SR ETHEL NORMOYLES MISSION IN SOUTH AFRICA:

South Africa is suffering badly because of Covid 19 poverty and hunger are making things more difficult. If you would like to help, you may make a donation to: AIB Bank Place Ennis.BIC: AIBKIE2D IBAN: IE92AIBK93538715431041
Bank Account Number: 15431041 or visit www.missionvaleurireland.org

HOMECOMING PRAYER

by Liam Ryan OSA

We invite you into the experience of returning home to God
this Year,

to allow the Word to become flesh again to your life, to
make your home in him.

God of welcome and acceptance,

Call me home from the four winds of distraction.

Call me home to my own heart.

Welcome me into your peace.

Call me home from a far country,

Call me home from darkness and sin.

Welcome me into your forgiveness.

Call me home from my place of exile,

Call me home from the Christmas rush,

Help me to make my home with you.

Call me home to my faith and my church,

Call me home to Bethlehem, to rebirth,

Help me to see divinity in a stable.

Give me a heart for the homeless, for the refugee.

Give me a prayer of healing for homes where there is violence, grief or separation.

Give me a heart of love for those who are
afraid to come home.

Help us all to turn our houses into homes,
Into places of welcome and acceptance for God and

One another.

Amen

Notices for Newsletter to Parish Office by

1.00pm on Wednesday

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