

CRÍOCHA CALLAN PASTORAL AREA

INCH-KILMALEY-CONNOLLY NEWSLETTER

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PARISH SAFEGUARDING REPRESENTATIVES - Frances Connellan, John McMahon.

TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME “Year B” 12th SEPTEMBER 2021

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

Mass from Kilmaley Church is broadcast on the Parish Radio link and via the Kilmaley Parish Webcam.

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK:

Kilmaley:

Saturday 11th September @ 7.30pm: Paddy & Nora McGuane, Letteragh

Saturday 18th September @7.30pm: Martin & Joe McMahon, Kyleatunna, Kilmaley

Inch:

Sunday 12th September @ 9.15am: Brid Warren, Cappalea North, Kilmaley

Sunday 19th September @ 9.15am: Special Intention

Connolly:

Sunday 12th September @ 10.30am: Martin Murphy, Carrigaholt & late of Aildavour Connolly

Tuesday 14th September @10am: Gerard O'Sullivan, Lahaknock.

Sunday 19th September @10.30am: Sean O'Ceallaigh, Rae na gCiseach, Kilmaley

WHEN ATTENDING CHURCH CEREMONIES:

FROM 6 SEPTEMBER 2021: Religious ceremonies can take place with up to 50% of the place of worship's normal capacity. As ***2 metre social distancing between households still applies***, this will dictate the actual number that each church can accommodate.

The following precautions still remain in place:

- ***hand sanitisation***
- ***wearing of face coverings***
- ***Please do not come to church if you have any covid symptoms or if you are deemed a close contact.***

People may also attend Mass by sitting in their cars outside churches and Holy Communion will be distributed.

Thank you all for your assistance and patience in complying with these public health measures. Some further relaxation of restrictions will occur in October and we will keep you informed and we continue to endeavour to keep our churches as safe as possible.

ANNIVERSARY MASSES:

Anniversary Masses can be booked for any scheduled weekday or weekend mass by contacting the parish office. Normally there will be one intention per mass.

MINISTRY OF THE WORD:

KILMALEY - Sat 18th September @ 7.30pm — **Katie & Jack.**

INCH - Sun 19th September @ 9.15am — **Christopher Forde**

CONNOLLY—Sunday 19th September @ 10:30am — **Roisin Ni Ceallaigh**

PARISH OFFICE: Opened Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday 10.00am — 4.30pm. We continue to ask all to observe all HSE guidelines, when visiting the office.

PARISH WEBCAM: The camera was installed in Kilmaley church during the week. It is now up and running and can be accessed at <http://www.kilmaleyparish.ie/webcam/> or by clicking on **View Webcam** link on the Kilmaley Parish Website home page. Sincere thanks to all involved in the set up of webcam and to all who contributed financially.

SACRAMENT OF FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: Congratulations to the boys and girls from Inch school who receive their First Holy Communion this weekend. First Communion for the children in the other schools takes place on:

Saturday September 18th @ 2pm Connolly N.S.

Saturday October 9th @ 11am Kilmaley N.S.

BASKET & ENVELOPE COLLECTIONS: We sincerely thank you for your contributions, they are vital in keeping our parish going. They can be dropped into the Parish Office or 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 €605.00, Priests Collection €362.00, Other Collections €0.00.**

COLLECTIONS: 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.kilalloedioocese.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.

CONNOLLY TIDY VILLAGE: Thanks to everyone who supported Connolly Tidy Village in our recent bog walk. It was a great success. We would like to thank everyone for their generosity throughout the year.

CLARE HOSPICE AT CAHERCALLA: Weekly Draw Result — 1st Prize €650.00 Tom & Rita Burke Ennistymon — 2nd Prize €200.00 — Charlie Lynch Blackrock Dublin. To join contact Fundraising Office 065 682196 or www.cahercalla.ie

KILMALEY LOTTO: Numbers Drawn 3, 16, 26, 30. Jackpot next week €3,450. €30 winners; Ger Scanlan, Rosín Burke, Simone O'Neill, Vincent Killeen, Shane Finucane

Please Note: play on line at www.kilmaleygaa.ie. Tickets also available in local businesses

COVID-19 SUPPORT LINE FOR OLDER PEOPLE: ALONE manage a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to COVID-19 (Coronavirus). Professional staff are available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary. The support line is open seven days a week, 8am - 8pm, by calling 0818 222 024.

FERN CELTIC, BALLYEA will run UEFA's Disney Playmakers programme from Saturday 18th Sept and running for 10 weeks. Contact Niamh Doyle 086 8358252 to register.

GUIDED PILGRIMAGES ON THE LOUGH DERG PILGRIM PATH: will be offered on Sunday 12th, Wednesday 15th, Saturday 18th & Sunday 26th September and Sunday 3rd October, with Mass outdoors, weather permitting. The full route is a 12km loop, with a shorter 8km option. **Advance booking is essential.** For further information email info@loughderg.org or telephone 0(0353) 71 9861518 www.loughderg.org Lough Derg Pilgrim Path, Pettigo Co Donegal F94N289.

EUCARIST ADORATION: Adoration continues every Tuesday from 2pm to 8pm. If you can commit to an hour please let **Mary know at 087 2399797** adoration takes place in the main body of the church.

DEMENTIA/ALZHEIMERS AWARENESS TALK: - A Healthy Ireland at your Library event. Online event 1pm – 2pm **Wednesday, 15th September 2021.** Join Sean Donal O'Shea, Dementia Advisor working with the Alzheimer Society of Ireland and learn about the condition and the various supports available to people who are living with dementia as well as their families and carers. Free event for people throughout Co Clare aged 18+. Booking is essential. In order to take part, participants will require remote access to Zoom. Please book your place by emailing kilrush@clarelibrary.ie or by calling Kilrush Library on 065 9051504 during branch opening hours.

AGE ACTION'S: Care and Repair prioritises carrying out jobs in the homes of older people who are being discharged or have recently been discharged from hospital. If someone is coming out of hospital, no matter where they live, we would support them to make sure their home is safe. It's a free service delivered nationwide. Referrals can be made by email to careandrepair@ageaction.ie. Or Please contact Óisín on 087 1956047 with any queries.

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN BECOMING A HOST CARER? Home Share Clare offer short respite breaks to adults and children with an intellectual disability in the county of Clare. The uniqueness of this service is that you the host carer can offer support to an individual in your own home affording the person supported the opportunity to make new friends outside of their family circle. Currently our hosts come from a wide range of backgrounds and can be single, married, older, younger, working or retired. No formal qualifications or experience is necessary and training will be provided. A payment is made to host carers for the service provided. If you would like to hear more about hosting and getting involved please email homeshareclare@bocsi.ie or phone 065 6849400.

**Notices for Newsletter to Parish Office by
1.00pm on Wednesday
E-mail: kilmaleyparish@gmail.com**