

INCH – KILMALEY - CONNOLLY PARISH NEWSLETTER

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3rd Sunday in Advent Year (B) 14th December, 2014

MASS REQUESTED

INCH

Sun 14th Dec 9.30am *Christy Barry, Tullassa, Tommy, Lil & Sonny Hogan, Tullassa, Maura & Jimmy Hickey, Ivy Hill and their sons Stephen & Jimmy*

Sun 21st Dec 9.30am Special Intention

KILMALEY

Sat 13th Dec 7.30pm *Lena, Pat, John & Katie Crowley, Miltown Malbay, Tom & Bill Casey, Kilclogher*

Sun 14th Dec 11.30am Special Intention

Sat 20th Dec 7.30pm Special Intention

Sun 21st Dec 11.30am Special Intention

CONNOLLY

Sun 14th Dec 10.30am *Catherine Keane, Corrancreagh, Peter Baker, Corrancreagh*

Sun 21st Dec 10.30am Special Intention

DAILY MASSES

Connolly: Mon, Tues, Wed 10am

Kilmaley: Thur, Fri and Sat 10am

MINISTRY OF THE WORD

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Sun 21st December *Moirá Lawlor*

Connolly

Sun 21st December *Noeleen Doherty*

SYMPATHY: We offer our sympathy, support & prayers to the family, relatives & friends of Teresa Neylon, Cahermore, Kilmaley - Jarlath (Gerry) Hassett, Clounboula, Connolly - . Winnie Kennedy, Lissane Clarecastle all who were buried during the week.

BASKET & ENVELOPE COLLECTIONS: A sincere thanks to all who contribute so generously every weekend to all the various collections. The total contributed last weekend was as follows – Envelopes €879.11 Priests' Collection €2030.76; Feast Immaculate Conception €174.30; Missions to date €740.30; All Saints €30; Christmas Day €13

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Eucharistic Adoration continues each Tuesday in Kilmaley Church from 10 a.m. – 10 p.m thanks to the many people who are giving of their time. We continue to extend invitations to anyone who would like to commit to an hour. If anyone was available to cover 1-2 p.m. it would be greatly appreciated. Also if people would like to share an hour (taking it turn every second week) this would be greatly appreciated. We would like to have the wider community involved so a box for petitions will be placed in Kilmaley Church. These petitions will then be remembered & prayed for during the hours on the Tuesday. If you would like to include petitions place them in the box provided.

CHRISTMAS FOOD GIVING: A very sincere thanks to all who contributed so generously to the Annual Food appeal in support of Clarecare last weekend. Sincere thanks to Seamus Lynch for organising all the boxes and taking them to Clarecare last Monday.

CAROL SINGING: Carol singing will take place before and after Kilmaley Mass on Saturday evening, 20th December. Proceeds will go to charities. Please support.

FESTIVAL OF CRIBS: Come along to see the huge display of Cribbs taking place 13/14/15th December from 9am to 7pm each day in St. Bridget's Church, Liscannor. A "time-out" to reflect on the true meaning of Christmas!

TROCAIRE CHRISTMAS GIFTS: Trócaire Christmas gifts are now on sale and can make a life-changing difference to families in some of the world's poorest countries. 'Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God.' Hebrews 13:16. Log on to trocaire.org/gifts

SAMARITANS: A sincere thanks to all who supported the recent church gate collections. Inch €151.93 & Kilmaley €227.52

*Items for inclusion in newsletter should be send to Fr.Larkin, in writing or by e-mail pj.larkin@eircom.net on or before **12 noon** on Thurs. It would be appreciated if this deadline were adhered to.*

"BETHLEHEM SKY" CONCERT: Fr. Liam Lawton 'Bethlehem Sky' Christmas Concert to be held at Glór Theatre, Ennis on Thursday 18th December at 8pm. Special guests on the night are, Cantare Chamber Choir & Holy Family Senior Choir. Tickets on sale at Glor Theatre 065-6843103. www.glor.ie Further information available from www.liamlawton.com

DANNY HUNT AT CARRIGORAN HOUSE: Afternoon Christmas Dance with Danny Hunt at Carrigoran House Day Centre on Sunday 14th December 3 – 6 pm All proceeds to Alzheimer's and Elderly Care Services.

WEST CLARE DRAMA FESTIVAL: Season Tickets for the 2015 Festival are now available the perfect Christmas gift for the drama fanatic in your life! Contact Noilin on 087 8075662. Only €60 for 10 great night's entertainment!

MARTY MORRISSEY'S CHRISTMAS CONCERT: For anyone who was unable to get tickets to the Marty Morrissey's Christmas Concert in St. Mary's Church, Mullagh on Sunday 21st December, RCB radio are delighted to announce that they will be broadcasting the concert live on the night. All can listen in locally or worldwide to our stream on www.rcb.ie or where possible on 94.8fm Contact information relative to broadcast to mike@rcb.ie

ATEASEWITHDYSLEXIA.COM: Would you like your child to have the ability to read better and have greater comprehension? How would it feel if your child could learn with ease their weekly spellings and retain them or the peace in your house if they could follow a set of instructions. Our Visualisation Program can help with all the above. Contact Breda Coughlan 086 3792360 Web Page: ateasewithdyslexia.com

BURREN CHARITY CHALLENGE - Saturday December 27th - Ballyvaughan. 10K/5K - Run/Walk or 40K - Cycle/Duathalon. Registration at Logues Lodge from 11am. Cycle Starts at 1pm followed by Run/Walk. 40K Cycle/Duathalon €20 - 10K & 5K Run/Walk €10. Childrens Fun Run (free) at 12.30pm. Proceeds from event to Stella Maris Day Centre, Lisdoonvarna. Please come out and take part in this event, your support would be greatly appreciated.

THE IRISH BLOOD TRANSFUSION SERVICE will be holding a blood donor clinic in the West County Hotel, Ennis, on Mon. 15th, Tue. 16th, Wed. 17th and Thursday 18th December from 6pm – 9pm. 3000 units of blood are required every week. 1000 people receive blood or a blood product every week 1:4 of our population require blood at some point in their live. 3% only of our population give blood

KILMALEY CAMOGIE: will hold their Annual Christmas Bake Sale this Sunday 14th December. Directly after mass in each of the 3 schools, Inch 10.00 am, Connolly 11.00am and Kilmaley NS 12 noon. We hope that all our members and supporters can be in attendance and support this great fundraiser. We will have lots of freshly baked goods, come early as all items are expected to sell out. We will also have a raffle for several hampers. All are welcome.

CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE:

Christmas Eve – Inch 6.30pm Children's Mass;
Kilmaley 7.30pm
Connolly 8.30pm
Christmas Day- Inch 9.30am
Connolly 10.30am
Kilmaley 11.30am