## CRÍOCHA CALLAN PASTORAL AREA

### INCH-KILMALEY-CONNOLLY NEWSLETTER

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ALL SAINTS SUNDAY "Year A" 1ST NOVEMBER 2020.

<u>PUBLIC CELEBRATION OF MASS</u> In View of the latest Government Statement and the need to avoid indoor public gatherings All public Masses in this diocese, Sundays and weekdays (with the exception of Funeral Masses and the Celebration of Marriage – see below) are suspended until **2nd December** or until further notice.

<u>KILMALEY PARISH LIVE MASS</u>. Fr Martin will celebrate weekday mass from Kilmaley Church on Monday to Friday @ 10.00am. Saturday @ 7.30pm, Sunday 9.15am and 10.30am. To view **log into Facebook** - **Kilmaley parish live mass.** 

#### **MASSES ON FACEBOOK**

Saturday 31st October @ 7:30 pm: Paul Hickey, Tullassa
Sunday 1st November @ 9:15am: Special Intention

Sunday 1st November @ 10:30 am: Hehir, McInerney and Kennedy Families

Saturday 7th November @ 7:30 pm: Special Intention Sunday 8th November @ 9:15: Special Intention Sunday 8th November @10:30: Special Intention

**SYMPATHY:** We offer our sympathy, support and prayers to the family and friends of **Johnny Carney**, **Feighroe**, who died in America. Brother of the late Denis and uncle of Paschal and Berry.

<u>FIRST FRIDAY:</u> Friday next is the first Friday in November. Unfortunately due to Covid-19 First Friday calls this month are cancelled.

CHURCHES ARE OPEN: Our Churches are open daily from 09:30am—06:00pm for private prayer. This will give people the opportunity to call to the Church, say a prayer and light a candle. Churches are obliged to close when Funerals are being celebrated until at least the 1st December, 2020.

<u>WEEKDAY MASS TIMES:</u> Celebration of the Eucharist will be moved to online. Please join us in prayer at 10am each weekday morning on Facebook - Kilmaley parish live mass.

<u>ANNIVERSARY MASSES:</u> booked for next few weeks will now not go ahead publicly, they can be viewed online or rescheduled for a later date.

<u>FUNERALS:</u> The recommendation is that only immediate family and close friends would attend the funeral liturgy. A thoughtful card or note expressing sympathy might be effective in expressing our solidarity with the bereaved.

<u>WEDDINGS:</u> The recommendation is that no gathering of more than 25 persons take place for weddings. Wedding guests should be limited to the Bridal Party and immediate family. Guests are asked to observe the hygiene protocols and observe social distance while in Church.

**FACE COVERINGS:** The Diocese of Killaloe now 'strongly recommends' the wearing of face coverings in addition to social distancing and sanitising of hands in all its Churches and buildings when attending public Masses and services.

CLARE HOSPICE AT CAHERCALLA: Weekly Draw Result — 1st Prize €650.00 — Kay Hennessy, 2nd Prize €200.00 — Vincent McInerney. To join contact Fundraising Office 065 682196 or www.cahercalla.ie

**KILMALEY LOTTO:** Numbers Drawn 5,6,30,31. Jackpot next week €3,600. €30 winners; Rita O' Malley, Paul Kennedy, Michael Keane, David Tierney, Helena McNamara. **Please Note:** play on line at **www.kilmaleygaa.ie.** Tickets also available in local businesses.

BASKET & ENVELOPE COLLECTIONS: Sincere thanks to all who contribute so generously every weekend to all the various collections. Total last week was as follows: Weekly Envelopes €200.00, Priests Collection €162.00, Other Collections €71.00 There is now an On-line Donations facility on the Diocesan Website which enables parishioners to make on-line contributions to their own individual parish. Log on to www.killaloediocese.ie using the Donate button, select own parish (Kilmaley) to make your contribution. Donations to parish funds, priests collections or other special collections can be accommodated. Your ongoing support is greatly appreciated. If Parishioners would like to pay their weekly contribution and church offerings they can drop them through the letter box of the parish office.

MASS CARDS: Selection of signed Mass Cards, Sympathy, Get Well, Thank you, Special Occasions Mass Bouquet, Birthday Wishes, Exam Success, Wedding Day, etc. all available from Parish Office.

ALL SAINTS DAY: A short prayer service will be held on the Kilmaley parish live mass Facebook page for the souls of the faithfully departed on Sunday November 1st at 11.30am, throughout the day Fr Martin will bless the grave yards. Ennis Cathedral will hold an online liturgy at 3pm, to view visit Ennis parish webcam.

NOVEMBER HOLY SOULS: There will be Mass on line on Tuesdays 3rd, 10th, 17th & 24th at 10.00am during the month of November. All are welcome to view online. Envelopes for the list of Holy Souls who you would like to be remembered and prayed for during the month of November are available in the Church Porches, and parish office. These can be dropped back to the Church and parish office in your own time.

INCH NATIONAL SCHOOL FUNDRAISER: There will be a Clothes Collection for Inch National School on Friday 6th November - you can drop bags of clothes off to the school from Monday 2nd November. It is an excellent excuse to get rid of some of those clothes that are clogging up your wardrobe, utility or attic! A black bag or two of clothes would be really appreciated and earn some cash for our wonderful school. Every little helps.

<u>PARISH FACEBOOK PAGE:</u> Kilmaley, Inch, Connolly Parish - Follow the link at the bottom of our parish website <u>www.kilmaleyparish.ie</u>

<u>CONNOLLY TIDY VILLAGE:</u> Would you like to clear your bookshelves to help fundraise for Connolly Tidy Village. Banner Books in Ennistymon will give 40c for every book you donate (more if it is a sought after title) All you need to do is to drop your books in to Banner Books in the Square, Ennistymon and tell them they are a donation for Connolly Tidy Village or leave them at McGraths Shop in Connolly, Londis or O'Brien's shops in Kilmaley for collection. Please make sure books are in good condition.

<u>CHIME HEARING SERVICES:</u> We know people are missing our monthly outreach clinics. If you require tubing, batteries or support please contact: Sarah Tynan- Community Resource Officer. Tel: 061-467494 or Email: <a href="mailto:sarah.tynan@chime.ie">sarah.tynan@chime.ie</a>

THE IRISH RED CROSS CLARE AREA with the support of Clare GAA Clubs all sporting groups, Community support Groups, working with Clare County Council Help Line Staff and others. We are here to support you in any way possible.

We have been supporting the people of Co. Clare with Medical appointments since 2016 and will continue to do so. Keep safe at all times. Contact Number is (086)8323456

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 the outbreak of 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.

LOUGH DERG NOVEMBER MEMORIAL SERVICE for deceased pilgrims and benefactors. Live via webcam from St. Mary's Church, Pettigo, Sunday 22nd November at 7pm www.churchservices.tv/pettigo. To enrol a departed loved one please contact us by email: info@loughderg.org or Tel: 0(0353)719861518

<u>CARE OF THE ELDERLY</u>: Affordable Live-in Homecare provides live-in carers for the elderly in your area. If you are looking for a live-in carer for your relative, please call Eileen or Tom today on 087 9916791 or 087 7440729. Our website is <u>www.alhomecare.ie</u>

<u>VISITING A GRAVEYARD</u>: We are unable this November to gather together to remember at the cemetery service. A short prayer service will be held on the Kilmaley parish live mass Facebook page for the souls of the faithfully departed this **Sunday November 1st at 11.30am.** 

# A prayer as you make your own visit.

May perpetual light shine upon the faces of all who rest here. May the lives they lived unfold further in spirit. May all their past travail find ease in the kindness of clay. May the remembering earth mind every memory they brought.

May the rains from the heavens fall gently upon them. May the wildflowers and grasses whisper their wishes into light. May we reverence the village of presence in the stillness of this silent field.

J O'Donohue.

#### **AN ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION:**

While we cannot receive communion at this time we can still make an act of Spiritual Communion in which we express our faith in Jesus and his presence in the Eucharist and invite him to unite himself with us. Act of Spiritual Communion My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love you above all things, and I desire to receive you into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive you sacramentally into my heart. I embrace you as if you were already there and unite myself wholly to you. Never permit me to be separated from you.

Amen.

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