INCH-KILMALEY-CONNOLLY PARISH NEWSLETTER

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TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY ORDIANRY TIME "A" 24th September, 2017

MASSES: Inch Sun 24th September @ 9.30am Special Intention

Sun 1st October @ 9.30am Monica Shroff (nee Griffey), New York & Nuaffe, Inch,

(Month's Mind)

Connolly Sun 24th September @ 10.30am Nora & Jerry Connellan, Kilcolumb

Ellen & Michael Mescall, Kilcolumb

John Welsh, Bealcragga

Danny Gleeson & Family Members, Aildavour

Sun 1st October @ 10.30am Special Intention **Kilmaley** Sat 23rd September @ 7.30pm Special Intention

Sun 24th September @ 11.30am Breda Neylon, Kilclogher Martin Connellan, Lisroe

Martin (Mattie) McMahon, Kyleatunna Deceased Members Frost Family, Kilclogher Deceased members Hassett Family, Kilclogher

Sat 30th September @ 7.30pm Parish Launch World Meeting of Families

Sun 1st October @ 11.30am Special Intention

<u>WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES:</u> Bishop Fintan will launch the programme of preparation for the Diocese at the 12 noon Mass in Ennis Cathedral next Sunday. **Our Parish launch will take place at the 7.30pm Mass in Kilmaley next weekend.**

<u>SYMPATHY:</u> We offer our sympathy, support and prayers to the family, relatives and friends of **Bridie Casey.** Kilcogher, Kilmaley who was buried during the week. We offer our sympathy, support and prayers to the family, relatives and friends of **Ramie McGuane**, Lisroe, Kilmaley who was buried during the week. We offer our sympathy, support and prayers to the family, relatives and friends of **Cornelius O' Sullivan**, **Bantry**, **Cork** father of Breda O' Donoghue, Bealcragga, Connolly who was buried recently. We offer our sympathy, support and prayers to the family, relatives and friends of **Brigid McCarthy nee Greene**, **Athy**, **Co.** Kildare sister of Joseph & Nancy Greene, Drimanure, Kilmaley and Mrs Kennedy retired teacher Inch National School buried during the week. We offer our sympathy, support and prayers to the family, relatives and friends of **Mary (Maisie) Shaloo (nee Haren) O'Callaghan Mills and formerly Kilmaley** sister of Bernadette Gregan, Knock. Burial this Sunday. **BAPTISM:** We welcome into God's family and the Christian Community **Katie Jane Barry, Inchmore, Inch.** We congratulate her parents Michael & Lynda and pray that God will always guide and protect her.

ANNIVERSARY MASSES: October Group Anniversary Masses are as follows- Kilmaley –Sat 7th at 7.30pm & Sun 22nd at 11.30am Connolly-Sun 8th & Sun 22nd at 10.30am; Inch –Sun 8th & Sun 22nd at 9.30am

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES: Connolly – Mon, Tue, Wed @ 10am Kilmaley — Thur, Fri, Sat @ 10am.

MINISTRY OF THE WORD: KILMALEY – Sat 30th @ 7.30pm Anne McMahon; Sun 1st Oct @ 11.30am Deirdre Neylon

INCH – Sun 1st Oct @ 9.30am Seosamh Reid Connolly – Sun 1st Oct @ 10.30am Martha Dillon

BASKET & ENVELOPE COLLECTIONS: A sincere thanks to all who contribute so generously every weekend to all the various collections: The total last weekend was as follows- Weekly Envelope €740.15.; Priests Collection €1,727; Assumption €8; Sick & Retired Priests €61(to date €780.77); Peters Pence €3; St. Patrick's Day €2;

<u>PRAYING WITH SCRIPTURE:</u> A Praying with Scripture weekend will take place from Oct 13th - 15th in Knock. The venue is Knock House Hotel and the speakers are Fr. Seamus O Connell and Dr. Jessie Rogers (lecturers in Scripture at St. Patrick's College Maynooth). Early booking is advised. Contact Knock House Hotel (094 9388088) to book a place. Any queries contact Josephine Kearney, 086-8810889

"COME AND SEE" JOHN 1:39 - SEEKING GOD IN PRAYER AND COMMUNITY: The Cistercian Monks of Mount Saint Joseph Abbey, Roscrea are hosting a Monastic Experience Weekend from Friday 29th September - Sunday 1st October 2017. It is an opportunity for Catholic men aged between 20 and 45 to find out more about monastic life and to listen to God's call by sharing the rhythm of the monastic day in prayer, silence, reading, work and community life. There will be some reflection together on the monastic vocation, some input from the monks and an opportunity to speak one-to-one with a monk. To make an enquiry or to arrange a meeting to talk about your vocation discernment, please contact our Vocations Director, Br Malachy Thompson, by email to malachy@msjroscrea.ie or text 'INFO' to 085 8338503.

<u>DIOCESAN YOUTH FAITH FESTIVAL</u> - The Diocesan Youth Fest. takes place on **Saturday Sept. 30th in St. Flannans College** Ennis. It's open to those in Transition Year to Leaving Cert. 9.30 a.m. Registration with various workshops throughout the day. Lunch is provided & the entire event is free of charge. Information stands from 2.30 p.m. - all are welcome. For further information contact Cora on 0872400135 or Tracy through Facebook @KillaloeDiocesanYouthFaithFest

CHANGE OF DATES TO WORKSHOPS WITH LIAM LAWTON: Due to changes in Liam Lawton's Schedule during the summer and because our dates clash with the Diocesan Conference on the World Meeting of Families to which all choir leaders are invited, the dates for the Workshops have been changed to Tue, Oct 3rd, St Flannan's College, Ennis @ 7.30pm; Liam Lawton will teach his new setting of the Mass as well as music chosen to suit any celebrations related to the World Meeting of Families. This includes a new piece he is presently writing himself.

<u>DEFIBRILLATOR PURCHASE</u>: A Church Gate Collection will take place on **23**rd **& 24**th **September** to raise funds to purchase & install a **Defibrillator for the Inch Community**. All support would be greatly appreciated.

<u>CLARE HAVEN SERVICES INSIGHTS PROGRAMME</u> - A free and confidential weekly programme for women who are or have been in an abusive domestic relationship will commence in Ennis in September. For further information please contact Clare Haven Services on 065 6842646.

<u>CELTIC TENORS:</u> Sixmilebridge Parish are holding a Concert with the Celtic Tenors on Friday Oct 13th 2017 at 8 pm in Sixmilebridge Parish Church in aid of Pieta House. Tickets are evailable by contacting Sixmilebridge Parish office at 061 713682

<u>AUTUMN DAYS AT GLENSTAL</u>: Slow down, Reflect and Renew your Spirit over a series of days at Glenstal Abbey. We begin on Sat Sept 30th - 'The Benedict Option, and why we need it now'. Why in the modernity of the 21stc are people finding relevance in this 5thc man and his rule? Information on www.glenstal.org or call us at 061 621005.

<u>KILMALEY LOTTO</u>: Numbers Drawn 16, 19, 22, 29. **No Jackpot Winner – Next Jackpot €2,800----** €30 Winners – Gerdie Griffey, Edel Connellan, Bobby Stack, Luke & Jamie Connellan, Martin Lernihan. Next Draw Saturday 23rd Sept. Play online at <u>www.kilmaleygaa.ie</u>

IRISH CLASSES will commence on Monday 25 September at 7pm in Cois na hAbhna, Gort Road, Ennis. Registration at 6.30pm on above date. Cost €80 for ten weeks. For further details ring 065-6864474.

<u>CLARE HOSPICE AT CAHERCALLA</u>: Weekly Draw Result—1st Prize €650.00 –Michelle Carkill, Kilfenora. 2nd Prize €200.00 – Michael Daffy, Kilnamona. To join contact Fundraising Office 065 --6821966 <u>www.caheralla</u>.ie

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER: A weekend of discovery, a lifetime of love. The programme is for couples with good marriages who are open to the possibility of something more. Weekends have Catholic ethos but couples of any faith can enjoy and benefit from the weekend and are most welcome. Further information on www.marriageencounter.ie

<u>SET DANCE CLASSES</u>: Maggie will commence Set Dancing classes in the **Kilmaley Inn on Thursday 28**th **September at 8.30 p.m.** All are welcome. Ring Maggie on 087-7577440 for further enquiries.

MARY IMMACULATE COLLEGE ALUMNI REUNION 2017 - 7 OCTOBER 2017 Did you graduate from MIC in 1957, 1962, 1967, 1972, 1977, 1982, 1987, 1992, 1997, 2002, 2007, 2012? Then this is the event for you! MIC is welcoming back its Alumni on Saturday 7 October 2017 from 1.30pm - 5pm. This is the perfect opportunity to meet up with old friends, and reacquaint your self with the College. Should you wish to attend, please advise us in advance alumni@mic.ul.ie / 061 -774786 and put "Class Reunion" in the subject line. More details www.mic.ul.ie

PIANO LESSONS WITH MARIE - Edenvale, Ennis.L.L.C.M. Qualified - experienced Teacher-Phone: 087 6483498

GRANTS ARE AVAILABLE FOR PERSONAL ALARMS AND INSTALLATION FOR PERSONS AGED 65 YEARS AND OLDER THROUGH POBAL. The applicant is only responsible for payment of the annual monitoring charge. Please phone Family Carers Ireland Ennis 065 6866515. We will be delighted to answer your queries or concerns and apply for a Personal Alarm on your behalf.

<u>POSITIVE AGEING:</u> As part of National Positive Ageing Week, the Clare Older Persons Forum (COPF), extends an open invitation to seniors to attend the Older Person of the Year award ceremony at **Temple Gate Hotel, Ennis, on Tuesday 26th September from 2.30pm.** Light refreshments served, followed by entertainment with Davy Howard, soloist, and the Forever Young choir.

<u>MUSIC LESSONS</u>: Music lessons available for Button Accordion and Tin whistle. Also recruiting members for Mainistir an Chláir U12 &U15 band and grupa ceoil- all instruments. Contact Emer on 0851069855 for more details.

<u>CLARE PARKINSON'S SUPPORT:</u> The next Support Group meeting for people affected by Parkinson's takes place at Carrigoran Health & Wellness Centre, Newmarket-on-Fergus at 10.00 am on Friday 29th September. These informal meetings normally include a presentation by a healthcare professional or complementary therapist, as well as an activity that assists people living with Parkinson's such as Yoga, Dance, Physiotherapy or Tai Chi. Refreshments provided - there is always time to enjoy a coffee, tea, a scone and a chat! All are Welcome. For further information contact 087 415 8430

<u>SET DANCING CLASSES</u>: Resume at the Westbridge, Miltown Malbay this Thursday 28th September. Beginners 8.30pm - 9.30pm. Advanced 9.30pm to 11pm. Further details - Mary Clancy 087 6323360 / 7087157

FREE DIGITAL SKILLS COMPUTER CLASSES - TOPICS COVERED: Introduction to the Internet, Internet safety & security,

Email, Search engines and websites, Online government services, Conducting everyday transactions, Online voice and video calls, Use of "Apps" Classes are held over 5 days (2 hours a day) and are free to anyone. If you wish to enrol please contact Pauline/Mary Ellen at CIOC, Elevation Business Park, Clonroad, Ennis, Co. Clare. Phone: 065 6841009, email: education@cioc.ie

ST FLANNAN'S COLLEGE NIGHT CLASSES AND SATURDAY WORKSHOPS for Adults will resume on October 11. Classes include: Make-up, Sign Language, Parenting Teens, Embroidery, Flower Arranging, Acrylics Painting, Crochet, Spanish, Yoga, CPR/AED, Interior Design, Creative Writing, Fondant Figures, Permaculture, Skincare, Sense of Style. We will also offer once-off Saturday Workshops in Cafe Cooking, Stained Glass, etc. Text/phone 085 1670326 for further details and bookings

<u>CAMOGIE NEWS:</u> Kilmaley Camogie Club have been extremely lucky over the past number of years when it comes to the sponsorship of our team jerseys and club gear. In recent years a number of local business have come on board and sponsored sets of jerseys and training tops. The following is the sponsorship commitments that have been secured by the club.

Our u8 and u10 camogie are sponsored by Pat Foudy & Daughter, thanks to Mary Warren and Pat Foudy Tires.

Our U13s have received a new set of jerseys from the O Malley Family, Inch and Clare Car and Tractor Parts, Ennis.

In 2015, John and Angela Cahill donated a set of jerseys to the Feile team and these Jerseys have been worn by the Under 14, Under 15s and 16s over the past three years. Next years Under 16 team will wear this jersey for their competitions.

Connolly Stores come on board and sponsored a set of jerseys for our minor camogie, a special thanks to John McGrath.

A special set of training jerseys was donated to the u14 championship team by John Carmody of Carmody-Kelly Accountants, Ennis.

Our seniors team got a new sponsor this season. A former player of the club and local resident Clare Bracken has come on board and sponsored a new set of jersey and mentors tops. Her companies are Round Rock Solutions and Ben Dash Computer Store based in Newmarket on Fergus. As always our club is more than grateful and we would like our membership and the local community to support these local businesses. As a club we are very proud to wear the jerseys that they have sponsored.

BEGINNERS YOGA every Wednesday night Kilmaley Daycare Centre from 8pm – 9 pm and improvers class from 8.30pm – 9.30pm Thursday night contact Kieran on 0877958381

OFFICIAL PRAYER FOR THE WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES

Protect all families with your loving care, Especially those for whom we now pray:

God, our Father,
We are brothers and sisters in Jesus your Son,
One family, in the Spirit of your love.

 $[We\ pause\ and\ remember\ family\ members\ and\ others\ by\ name].$

Bless us with the joy of love.

Increase our faith,
Strengthen our hope,
Keep us safe in your love,
Make us always grateful for the gift of life that we share.

Make us patient and kind, gentle and generous, welcoming to those in need. Help us to live your forgiveness and peace.

This we ask, through Christ our Lord, Amen.