#### CRÍOCHA CALLAN PASTORAL AREA

**INCH-KILMALEY-CONNOLLY NEWSLETTER** 

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# The Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time Cycle C 27<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY 2022.

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

Masses and other liturgies from Kilmaley church can be viewed on the parish webcam using the following link <a href="http://www.kilmaleyparish.ie/web-cam/">http://www.kilmaleyparish.ie/web-cam/</a> The webcam is switched on 20 minutes before each mass. For GDPR reasons it is off at all other times. Mass from Kilmaley church continues to be broadcast on the Parish Radio link.

#### THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

For all Parish business please contact Fr John on 065 68 39735 or email kilmaleyparish@gmail.com. Apologies for any inconvenience this may cause.

### MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK:

**<u>Kilmaley:</u>** Sat 26<sup>th</sup> Feb 7.30pm **Catherine Casey Knockadangan** 

and Eileen Casey Devine Kilmaley and Dublin

Michael Hehir Shean

Sat 5<sup>th</sup> Mar 7.30pm Michael, Sheila and Nora Lynch Fairy Hill House Kilmaley

Sun 6<sup>th</sup> Mar 12 noon Memorial Mass for Patrick (Patsy) O'Sullivan Boulavreene

followed by burial of ashes

Inch: Sun 6<sup>th</sup> Mar 9.15am Bernard Murphy Shantulla

Josie Coote Inchmore, Inch

## Ash Wednesday March 2nd.

Mass with distribution of **ashes in Kilmaley Church at 10am** and in **Inch Church at 8pm**. Trocaire boxes are available in church porches.



Please pray for the happy repose of the soul of Mary Murphy nee Meehan of Brandon and formerly of Clountabonnive, Connolly, sister of Chrissie Talty. Our prayerful condolences to her family and friends.

**ANNIVERSARY MASSES** can be booked for any scheduled weekday or weekend mass. Contact 065 68 39735.



**EUCHARISTIC ADORATION** will resume on Tuesday March 1st from 2-8 pm in the "crying room" at Kilmaley Church if you can commit to an hour please contact Mary on 0872399797

MINISTRY OF THE WORD: 5<sup>th</sup> / 6<sup>th</sup> Mar

KILMALEY — Roisin Burke INCH — Brid Higgins CONNOLLY — Mary Keane

## COVID 19 GUIDANCE FOR CHURCH CEREMONIES:

Religious services and weddings can proceed without capacity limits but with all other protective measures remaining in place. These protective measures mean that we will all need to act individually and collectively in our everyday lives to keep this risk under control, in particular:

- > Isolate and get tested if symptomatic;
- > Use face coverings where appropriate;
- > Good ventilation in indoor spaces
- > Social distancing when appropriate;
- > Cover our coughs and sneezes
- > Keep our hands clean.

## **BASKET & ENVELOPE COLLECTIONS:**

Weekly Envelopes €494. Priests Collection €280.

Candles €650.

We sincerely thank you for your contributions, they are vital in keeping our parish going. They can be dropped into the Parochial House or into one of the secure collection boxes available in Kilmaley Church. **Online donations** to Kilmaley Parish can also be made by credit or debit card using the Diocesan Website www.kilalloediocese.ie Simply go to the Diocesan Website and click on the red "**Donate to your Parish**" button.

**FIRST FRIDAY:** Friday next is the first Friday of March and Fr John will take the sacraments to the housebound. Masses in Kilmaley at 10am and in Connolly at 11am.



## **KILMALEY DAY CENTRE**

Places available on Tuesdays and Thursdays - can be collected by our bus - come and have an enjoyable & sociable day out in a friendly environment with a home cooked meal, hairdressing, chiropody, bingo, quizzes, gentle exercise, friendship, fun and laughter and much more. Please call Mary McGann on 065 6839768 for more information.

CLARE HOSPICE AT CAHERCALLA: Weekly draw result; Tue Feb 22<sup>nd</sup>: 1<sup>st</sup> Prize €650.00 Patsy Kearse Ennis. 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize €200.00 Matthew Foy, Ennistymon. Contact Fundraising Office 065 682196 or www.cahercalla.ie.

KILMALEY LOTTO: 19<sup>th</sup> Feb: Numbers Drawn 1, 6, 12, 31. Next Jackpot €7,050. €30 winners; Mary Kennedy, Vinny Killeen, John Hennessy, Michael Lynch, MJ O'Neill. Play on line at www.kilmaleygaa.ie. Tickets also on sale locally.

## A suggestion for Lent



## **FRIDAY PENANCE**

In the past, every Friday was a day for serious fasting. While the rigorous efforts of past generations may have waned, the church still encourages us, as a spiritual exercise to adopt some of the spirit of Friday Penance. The following are suggested as ways of fulfilling Friday penance:

- † Abstaining from meal or some other food:
- † Abstaining from alcoholic drink or smoking;
- † Making a special effort at involvement in family prayer;
- Making a special effort to participate in Mass on Fridays;
- + Visiting the Blessed Sacrament;
- † Making the Stations of the Cross;
- † Fasting from all food for a longer period than usual and perhaps giving what is saved to the needy;
- † Helping the poor, sick, old or lonely.

From the statement on **Friday Penance** issued by the Bishops' Conference, 2011

Notices for Newsletter to Parish Office by

1.00pm on Wednesday