

CRÍOCHA CALLAN PASTORAL AREA

INCH-KILMALEY-CONNOLLY NEWSLETTER

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THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER -- “Year C” - 5th May, 2019

MASSES:

Inch

Sun 5th May @ 9.15am Special Intention
Sat 11th May @ 12 Noon **First Holy Communion**
Sun 12th May @ 9.15am Special Intention

Connolly

Sun 5th May @ 10.30am Maura Hehir, Feighroe, Connolly 1st Anniv
John Hehir, Feighroe, Connolly
Mon 6th May @ 12 Noon Maureen Burke, Feighroe
Sun 12th May @ 10.30am **First Holy Communion**

Kilmaley

Sat 4th May @ 7.30pm Mary Agnes Neylon, Magowna, Inch 1st Anniv.
Sat 11th May @ 7.30pm Special Intention

SYMPATHY: We offer our sympathy, support and prayers to the families, relatives and friends of Vera Griffey nee Cabey, Cragroe, Kilmaley who was buried during the past week; to the family, relatives & friends of Mary Horan nee Moloney formerly Renagisha, Connolly who died in Dublin during the week.

BAPTISM: We welcome into God's family and the Christian Community Amelia Kaye Murray, Mahonburgh, Inch. We congratulate her parents Craig and Lorraine and pray that God will always guide and protect her.

ANNUAL MASS & ANOINTING for people with disabilities and chronic illnesses in Ennis Cathedral on **Wednesday, 15th May** from 2 to 3pm with Bishop Fintan Monahan as chief celebrant and homilist, assisted by many Priests for the anointing. All are welcome.

TRÓCAIRE LENTEN CAMPAIGN: A sincere thanks to all who have contributed so generously to the Trócaire Lenten Campaign. Amount contributed so far is €2,784. Last year our parish contributed €3,830. If anyone else would like to contribute please do as soon as possible.

MAY IS SAFEGUARDING MONTH IN THE DIOCESE OF KILLALOE: Safeguarding seeks to be proactive and covers both children and vulnerable adults. Education and training are key in keeping the safeguarding message current and not allowing complacency. We hold regular training days, conferences and information sessions. **On the evening of the 15th May in Oakwood Hotel Shannon a safeguarding conference is being held.** Key speakers are Kevin Hyland OBE- Child Trafficking in Ireland and Dr Maureen Griffin-Online solicitation of minors. To book a place please visit www.killaloe-diocese.ie/safeguarding

ROSARY AT CONNOILLY GROTTTO: The rosary will be said at the grotto in Connolly at 8.30pm every evening for the month of May. It will be in the church if the weather is bad. All are welcome.

KILLALOE DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE will take place on **Sunday 23rd June 2019.** Led by Bishop Fintan Monahan. Ceremonies begin at 2.30pm. For bus transport please contact: Glynn's Coaches, Ennis @ 065-6828234.

WORKSHOP FOR READERS With Dr. Josie Rodgers, Scripture Scholar on Wednesday 22nd May in the Bellbridge House Hotel Spanish Point at 8pm.

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES: Connolly – Mon @ 12 Noon, Tue, Wed @ 10am Kilmaley – Thur, Fri @ 10am

MINISTRY OF THE WORD: KILMALEY - Sat 11th May @ 7.30pm Ann O'Loughlin; INCH – Sun 12th May @ 9.15am Martina O' Loughlin; CONNOLLY – Sun 12th May @ 10.30am

ALTAR SERVERS ROTA: Sat 11th May @ 7.30pm Group A; Sun 12th May @ 9.15am Group E; Sun 12th May @ 10.30am Group C

ANNIVERSARY MASSES: MAY – Kilmaley – Sat 25th @ 7.30pm; Connolly – Sun 26th @ 10.30am; Inch – Sun 26th @ 9.15am; JUNE – Sat 22nd @ 7.30pm; Connolly Sun 23rd @ 10.30am; Inch Sun 23rd @ 9.15am

BASKET & ENVELOPE COLLECTIONS: Sincere thanks to all who contribute so generously every weekend to all the various collections: Total last weekend was as follows- **Weekly Envelope** €1,064.15; **Priests' Collection** €1,033; **St.**

Patrick's Day €10; **Education Fund** €22; **Catholic Social Services** €18; **Trócaire** €2,784

KILMALEY LOTTO: Numbers Drawn 7, 11, 30, 32 Jackpot Next Week **€11,200** ---- **€30 Winners** – Micheál McGuire, M. McGuire, Gemma Clarke, Sean O'Neill, Pat Murray. Draw on Saturday 4th May. Play online at www.kilmaleygaa.ie

WHAT IN THE WORLD: This hard-hitting documentary series seeks to raise greater public awareness of global economic inequalities and human rights violations. This can be viewed on **RTE 1** on Tue 7th May "Death and Life in Somalia" @ 11.35pm; Tue 14th May "No Direction Home (Lebanon)" @ 11.10pm; Tue 21st May "Another Brick in... (Palestine/Israel)" @ 10.55pm; Tue 28th May "In Iraq with Denis Halliday (Iraq)" @ 11.10pm

CLARE HOSPICE AT CAHERCALLA: Weekly Draw Result – 1st Prize €650.00 – Noel Dinan, Toonagh 2nd Prize €200 – Fergus Marshall, Ennis. To join contact Fundraising Office 065 6821966 www.cahercalla.ie

SLÁINTE AN CHLÁIR, CLARE CANCER SUPPORT: Annual Healing Mass and Celebration of 9 Years' Service in Clare. Sláinte an Chláir, CCS Kilnamona and Raheen Annual Healing Mass 2pm Saturday May 11th at Kilnamona Church. We also celebrate nine complete years of having the privilege of supporting people of Clare on a cancer journey.

PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA, led by Fr. Ger Fitzgerald. Departing from Dublin Sept 19th–26th. €829 per person sharing, coach transfer Ennis to Dublin and return included. For further details and booking form contact Fr. Ger fitz.ger@gmail.com or Paul Fitzhenry 085 7688696.

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LUTHCHLEAS GAEL: Part scholarships sponsored by Clare GAA and the Munster Council are awarded annually to secondary students between the ages of 12 and 17 years. Students or their parents MUST be a member of a GAA club to be eligible for the scholarship. Coláiste Eoghan Ó Comhraidhe is closed for the 2019 season so students are asked to make arrangements for any of the other Munster Colleges eligible for the grant - Colaiste na Rinne Port Láirge, Coláiste Béal Átha an Ghaoraigh Corchaigh or Coláistí Corcha Dhuibhne Ciarraí. An application form may be downloaded from the Clare GAA website (clare.gaa.ie)

APOSTOLIC WORK (KILMALEY): Will hold their Annual Display of Work this Sunday 5th May in Inch N.S. after 9.15am mass until 5pm. Your support would be very much appreciated. Cake sale and raffle on the day. Donations of cakes, jams etc. would be appreciated.

CONNOLLY COMMUNITY SURVEY: Thank you to everyone who participated in the recent community survey. There were 128 responses and these are being analysed. They will be used to develop a draft community plan and this will be presented for discussion at a public meeting later in the year. The overall results of the survey will be included in the plan. Thank you again for your input.

FREE DRAWING AND PAINTING CLASSES starting at the Further Education and Training Centre, Ballard Rd,

Miltown Malbay on Friday the 10th of May 2019 from 10.00 – 12.00. Contact Breda on 065 6843732.

DRUGS AWARENESS TALK being held for the parents/guardians of students in St. Flannan's College Library on Wednesday May 8th at 7.30pm.

INTERESTED IN LEARNING ABOUT GRIEF AND LOSS and how to Support the Bereaved? Milford Care Centre is offering a **Bereavement Support Education Programme**, commencing on Wednesday 18th September 2019 and will run over 12 consecutive Wednesday evenings with a non-residential personal development weekend on 4th- 6th October 2019. Fees apply and some bursaries are available. This programme is aimed at anyone who is interested in learning more about the grief experience and how to support bereaved people in an informal setting. An **Information Evening** for the programme is taking place on **Wed 15th May 2019 at 7.00pm in Milford Care Centre, Castletroy, Limerick** and anyone interested should attend this evening to see if the programme will meet their needs. If you are interested or would like to get more information, please contact Ciara Labanyi (Social Work Department) at c.labanyi@milfordcc.ie or 061 201791 or Geraldine Aherne, (Education Department) at g.aherne@milfordcc.ie or 061 485841.

NATIONAL COME AND SEE (MAYNOOTH): This year we are running a vocations exploration (Come and See) weekend for men who are discerning whether they are being called by the Lord to Diocesan Priesthood. This will be held on the weekend following Vocations Sunday (Sat 18th and the morning of Sunday 19th May). This will be held in our National Seminary (St. Patrick's College Maynooth) and accommodation will be in the seminary. This provides those considering a vocation to meet with seminarians and to join them in the various liturgies, Eucharist, Divine Office and Adoration etc.

Resurrection

**To believe in resurrection
is to believe in someone who acts
In us and for us
with immense power,
capable of bringing life from death
and of making old become new,
orientating us to a future
of huge dimensions.**

**To believe in resurrection
is to believe that no limit,
no barrier,
no difficulty,
nothing in this world,
will be able to kill the life and hope
which were born in God's people.
(Carlos Mesters CEBI Brazil)**

Notices to Fr. Larkin / Parish Office by 4pm on Wednesday