

# CRÍOCHA CALLAN PASTORAL AREA

## INCH-KILMALEY-CONNOLLY NEWSLETTER

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### THIRTY SECOND SUNDAY “Year A” 8th NOVEMBER 2020.

**PUBLIC CELEBRATION OF MASS** 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.

**KILMALEY PARISH LIVE MASS.** 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 7th November @ 7:30 pm:	Special Intention
Sunday 8th November @ 9:15 am:	Special Intention
Sunday 8th November @10:30 am:	<b>Patrick (Pap) Hehir, Gortmore</b>
Tuesday 10th November @10:00 am:	<b>Deceased &amp; Associate members of the Apostolic Society</b>
Saturday 14th November @ 7:30 pm:	<b>Tone &amp; Biddy Casey, Drimanure</b>
Sunday 15th November @ 9:15 am:	Special intention
Sunday 15th November @10:30 am:	<b>Paddy Keane, Kilcolumb</b> Month's mind

**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 28th October.

**WEEKDAY MASS TIMES:** 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.**

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

**FUNERALS:** 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.

**WEDDINGS:** 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 – Frances Conway, 2nd Prize €200.00 — Maureen Hayward. To join contact Fundraising Office 065 682196 or [www.cahercalla.ie](http://www.cahercalla.ie)

**KILMALEY LOTTO:** Numbers Drawn 5,16,26,31. Jackpot next week €3,700. €30 winners; Paul Kennedy, Martin Meehan, Michael O Grady, Patrick Warren, Soyara McGuane. **Please Note:** play on line at [www.kilmaleygaa.ie](http://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 €295, Priests Collection €272.00, Other Collections €58.00 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.killaloe-diocese.ie](http://www.killaloe-diocese.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.

**PARISH FACEBOOK PAGE:** Kilmaley, Inch, Connolly Parish - Follow the link at the bottom of our parish website [www.kilmaleyparish.ie](http://www.kilmaleyparish.ie)

**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.

**MASS OF REMEMBRANCE:** For all those who died in the past year can be viewed on **Facebook - Kilmaley parish live mass.** on **Friday 20th November at 7.30pm.** All family members are invited to join with us in this special time of Prayer and please extend an invitation to family who are living away from the parish. **Any-one who would like to include a family member who died outside the Parish please contact the Parish Office with details.**

**NOVEMBER HOLY SOULS:** There will be Mass on line on Tuesdays **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.

**ON LINE EUCHARIST ADORATION:** On Tuesdays from 6pm – 8pm, on **Facebook - Kilmaley parish live mass.** All are welcome to view

**NEW BOOK: “Peace Smiles”** Bishop Fintan has just published his latest book: “Peace Smiles”, rediscovering Thomas Merton, Trappist Monk and well known author. The book published by Veritas will be launched virtually on November 12th. Copies of the latest book can be purchased for €10 in Ennis Parish Office. We congratulate Bishop Fintan in his latest achievement.

**CHIME HEARING SERVICES:** 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: [sarah.tynan@chime.ie](mailto:sarah.tynan@chime.ie)

**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

**ADDICTION COUNSELLING:** Ciarán Carey- Professional General and Addiction Counsellor-Limerick City working with Individuals, Couples, Families and Groups for Addictions, Mental Health, Anxiety, Depression, Trauma, Bereavement and Personal Issues to achieve positive growth. 085-7721279  
Email: [info@culracounselling.ie](mailto:info@culracounselling.ie)

**CLARECARE FOOD APPEAL:** Due to Covid-19 Clarecare will be unable to accept food from our giving tree this year. If you would like to support Clarecare please contact 065 6828178 or 065 6845974.

**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](http://www.churchservices.tv/pettigo). To enrol a departed loved one please contact us by email : [info@loughderg.org](mailto:info@loughderg.org) or Tel: 0(0353)719861518

**CARE OF THE ELDERLY:** 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 [www.alhomecare.ie](http://www.alhomecare.ie)

### **They brought oil as well as their lamps**

We are each the light of God, a light given with the candle given to our parents in baptism, the light of faith, to guide our steps in the way of Jesus, to enlighten our minds in the truth of Jesus, to nourish our love with the life of Jesus.

You are light, you are the lamp of God, and this light is the warmth of God, and the power of the lamp is the love of God.

In the Eucharist our light is brightened, and the lamp is renewed, as a waterfall generates electricity, as love generates new life.

### **They brought oil as well as their lamps.**

Take time to refresh your spirit, take time for prayer, take time for Eucharist, take time for wonder, be surprised by God in the November sunrise, in the Christmas anticipation, in the evening's winter peace, and your light glows new again.

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### **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  
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