

Diocese of Killaloe

KILMALEY-CONNOLLY-INCH PARISH

Críocha Callan Pastoral area

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IBAN numbers for personal banking donations: Parish Current Account: IE09 BOFI 9042 1030 1660 28 Priests' Salary Account: IE56 BOFI 9042 1073 5476 56.

Mass times ~ Kilmaley: Saturday 7.30pm, Thursday and Friday 10am. **Connolly:** Sunday 10.30am, Monday and Tuesday 10am. **Inch:** Sunday 9.15am, Wednesday at 8pm

THE PARISH OFFICE IS TEMPORARILY CLOSED.

For all Parish business please contact Fr John on 065 68 39735 or email kilmaleyparish@gmail.com. Website: www.kilmaleyparish.ie



MASS CARDS:

For your convenience, mass cards are now available for sale in **all three churches** in the parish.

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK:

KILMALEY—SATURDAY AT 7.30PM:

Sat 16th Dec :**Angela, William and Bridie O' Connor.**
Fred and Frances Markham, Connolly
Patsy & Susan Cahill Kilmaley Hill & NY

Sat 23rd Dec :**Pat Stevens** Late of Letteragh and deceased family members.

INCH—SUNDAY AT 9.15AM:

Sun 17th Dec: **Patrick Gegan, Bridget Rhodes nee Gegan** Knock Inch and deceased members of the Gegan family.

Wed 20th 8pm:**Noel Killeen, Clonfeigh Inch**

CONNOLLY - SUNDAY AT 10.30AM:

Sun 17th Dec: **Sean and Catherine Keane** Corrancreagh.
Peter and Catherine Baker and their sons Anthony and Hugh Corrancreagh.

Tue 19th 10am:**Peggy and John Lynch, Kevin McMahon and Joe Kelly.**

ANNIVERSARY MASSES can be booked for at 065 68 39735 or email kilmaleyparish@gmail.com.

Third Sunday of Advent



In the words of John's Gospel, John the Baptist came as a witness, to speak for the light, the true light who was coming into the world. In this season of Advent, he points towards the coming one and he invites us to reflect on our need of the light of Jesus in the darkness of our lives. Darkness means many things: a sense of being lost, a lack of direction, helplessness, sin or indeed lack of faith. This Christmas, may the God who said: "Let light shine in the darkness," shine in our hearts to give the light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Jesus Christ.

The Nativity of the Lord.

You are welcome to join us for our Christmas masses in the parish.

Christmas Eve: Kilmaley church at 7.30pm

Christmas Day: Inch church at 9.15am

Connolly church at 10.30am

Masses will be at the usual weekend times on the evening of Sat 23rd and the morning of Sun 24th.

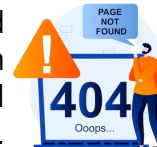
Note: No weekday masses on Christmas week

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION There will be no Eucharistic Adoration on Tue Dec 26th and Tue Jan 2nd .Adoration will resume on Tue Jan 9th 2024

PARISH WEBSITE UPDATE

Has your Webcam Shortcut stopped working?? The parish website has been updated to improve layout and security and to comply with data protection legislation.

As a result the address has changed to;
<https://www.kilmaleyparish.ie/webcam/> .



DO THIS IN MEMORY PROGRAM.

The children who are preparing for First Holy Communion will be joining us for mass in Kilmaley this Saturday, Dec 16th.



BASKET & ENVELOPE COLLECTIONS:

- Weekly Envelopes** €995.
- Priests Collection** €1397.
- Other collections** €12.

We sincerely thank you for your generous contributions, they are vital in keeping our parish going. They can also be dropped into the Parochial House or into one of the secure collection boxes available in Kilmaley Church or online using the IBAN numbers above.

BLESSING OF THE BAMBINELLI: We are blessing Baby Jesus (Bambinelli) crib figures this weekend.

BLOOD DONOR CLINIC West County Hotel. **Wed 27th Dec 1.50pm-5.10pm.** Call 1800 222 111 for appointment

DO YOU NEED SUPPORT? Individual and couple counselling available at Accord Ennis. Everyone welcome. 065 6824297 email: accordennis1@gmail.com

Notices for Newsletter can be sent by email to kilmaleyparish@gmail.com or drop them in the letterbox at Kilmaley presbytery by **1.00pm on Wednesday.** We include notices for parish and church related events. Where space permits we also include notices for local not-for-profit groups.