Diocese of Killaloe

KILMALEY-CONNOLLY-INCH PARISH

Críocha Callan Pastoral area

PP: Fr. John McGovern 065-6839735. Fr. Donagh O' Meara Mullagh & Miltown Malbay 087-2322140 Fr. Martin Shanahan, Inagh 087-7486935 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 10th Feb: no intention booked Sat 17th Feb: **Mollie McCarthy** Shean **Tommy Fawley** Shean

INCH—SUNDAY AT 9.15AM:

Sun 11th Feb: no intention booked

Sun 18th Feb: **Peter Considine** and his parents **John** &

Catherine Considine late of Cragnagour.

CONNOLLY - SUNDAY AT 10.30AM:

Sun11th Feb: Michael and Margaret Collins London

and West Cork.

Michael Lydon, Slieveloughane.

Sun 18th Feb: John, Annie and Martin Crehan

Kilcolumb.

Kitty and Miko Reidy Glaun Connolly.

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

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION continues each Tuesday from 2 to 8pm in Kilmaley Church. If you can commit to an hour please contact Mary on 0872399797.

Ash Wednesday

Our word "Lent" comes from an old English word "Lencten", meaning to lengthen or grow longer. These days, at least in the northern hemisphere, each day there are two minutes more light in the morning and two minutes more light in the evening. So, "Lent" really means springtime. This tells us precisely what is supposed to happen in this springtime of faith: new shoots, new growth, signs of life and joy. So, whatever I undertake this Lent, may it lead to a new springtime of faith for me and my community. Lent begins with Ash Wednesday this week on Feb 14th. Masses in Kilmaley at 10am, Connolly at 11am, Inch at 8pm.

BASKET & ENVELOPE COLLECTIONS:

Weekly & Holy Day Envelopes €462.

Major Repair Fund €675.

Priests Collection €1775.

Other collections €144.

We sincerely thank you for your generous contributions, they are vital in keeping our parish going. As well as during the offertory at mass, contributions can also be dropped into the Parochial House or the "mass card donation boxes" or online using the DONATE button on Kilmaley Parish Website or the IBAN numbers above.

Brief daily Lenten multi-media spiritual reflections

from Bishop Fintan will be available on the various social media platforms every day for Lent, Holy Week and the Easter Octave. Subscribe (at no cost – just click on the subscribe button) to https://www.youtube.com/@BishopFintanMonahan to keep up to date with many events around the diocese and beyond.

ENROLMENT FOR PARISH SCHOOLS FOR SEPT '24

Connolly NS: connollynationalschool@gmail.com 065- 6839550

Inch NS: reception@inchns.com 065 6839353.

Kilmaley NS: kns@kilmaleyns.ie 065 6839360

NURSING POSITION available at KILMALEY DAY CARE CENTRE, 20 Hours Per Week. Mon to Thur. Apply with cover letter and CV to Mary McGann, Manager, Kilmaley DayCare Centre, Kilmaley, Co. Clare.

cash for old clothes!

Are you sorting out your wardrobe soon? You can recycle clothing you no longer use and raise funds for the parish at the same time. We will greatly welcome all your clean



unwanted re-usable clothes also bed linen, towels, curtains, paired shoes, handbags, and belts. The parish can sell them on to a textile recycler. Place your items in a black bag and **drop it off at one of the three churches** for collection between now and March 7th.

THANK YOU: To all who attended and participated in the Poker Classic on Jan 12th at Rynnes Inagh, in aid of Friends of Sabina, a charitable organisation that supports Sabina Primary School in Uganda. Thank you to everybody who donated to this cause. Megan Hehir will return to Sabina early February with all raised funds.

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.