Fourth Sunday of Easter 21st April 2024 Good Shepherd Sunday Vocations Sunday Diocese of Killaloe IL KILMALEY-CONNOLLY-INCH PARISH IL Críoch Tr

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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 20th Apr

Month's Mind John Joe Griffey, Kilclogher, Kilmaley. Month's Mind John Glynn, Balleen, Kilmaley. Sat 27th Apr Johnny & Mary McMahon, Kilclogher. Michael Joe Haren, Toloughaboy. Mary Neylon, Culleen.

INCH-SUNDAY AT 9.15AM:

Sun 21st Apr: **No Intention booked Fri** 26th Apr 8pm: *Month's Mind* Gerry Killeen Clonfeigh. Sun 28th Apr: **No Intention booked**

CONNOLLY - SUNDAY AT 10.30AM:

Sun 21st & 28th : No intention booked

Please pray for the happy repose of the soul of;

Dylan Costelloe Clohessy, Caherea, Lissycasey and Church View House, Kilmaley.

Prayer service for reception of his body at Kilmaley Church on Sun at 4pm, followed by reposing until 7pm. Funeral mass on Mon 22nd at 11am. Burial In Kilmaley. We offer our condolences to his family and friends.

Fourth Sunday of Easter Good Shepherd Sunday

The image before us in today's liturgy to describe the person and worth of Jesus among his disciples is that of a shepherd. The sight of a shepherd leading the sheep to pasture would be a familiar sight to Jesus' listeners. We



are told that in the Holy Land shepherds lead the sheep rather than drive them. Two aspects of this are important.

Following someone involves a free choice, and to follow someone means to have confidence in their ability to lead.

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS Lord, the ministry of priests confirms your unfailing care for your people. Call from among us the priests and religious needed for your church of today and tomorrow. Bless all those who are discerning a vocation to priestly or religious life and bless all those who minister in your church in any way.

STUDENT PRIESTS EDUCATION COLLECTION

is this weekend. We pray for the three men from our diocese who are discerning vocations at present.

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

<u>EUCHARISTIC ADORATION</u> continues each Tuesday from 2 to 8pm in Kilmaley Church.

INCH NS: Unwanted clothes collection. Drop bags into reception from Mon 22nd to Thur 25th at 9.30_{am}.

BASKET & ENVELOPE COLLECTIONS:

	Apr 7 th	Apr14 th
Weekly & Holy Day Envelopes	€214	€529
Major Repair Fund	€568	€116
Priests Collection	€365	€235
Other collections	€464	€1100

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.

<u>COMMUNITY</u> GAMES: Thank you to everyone who supported the church gate collection last weekend.

CAMOGIE NEWS: Kilmaley U/15A team just missed out on the Feile A title by a single point to Newmarket on Fergus in a titanic battle. Kilmaley fielded a second team for the first time in the Feile Competition. Kilmaley hosted an U/8 blitz, Eire Og, Kilkishen, and Truagh Clonlara were the visiting teams. Unfortunately, the intermediates lost to Whitegate.

GROW MENTAL HEALTH FRIENDLY COMMUNITY based groups for anyone experiencing mental health issue through 12 Step Programme. Ennis Meeting, Maria Assumpta Hall. Monday 8 to 10pm. Contact Celia 086 1526966 www.grow.ie

<u>ART</u> CLASS IN MILTOWN MALBAY: LCETB Visual Art course starts Fri 3rd May 3pm-5pm. Learn how to create a piece of art from idea to finished piece. This course is free and all materials will be provided. Contact Arlene on 086-0319160

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