

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:

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

KILMALEY—SATURDAY AT 7.30PM:

26thApr

Month's Mind James Meehan Lispuckaun

Anniversary Mary Anne and Michael O'Neill Drimanure

3rdMay Mary Neylon Culleen.

INCH—SUNDAY AT 9.15AM:

27thApr no intention booked.

4thMay Mary Killeen Clonfeigh Inch.
Anthony McMahon and Bridget and Peter McMahon Kinturk Connolly.

CONNOLLY - SUNDAY AT 10.30AM:

20th/27thApr no intention booked.

4thMay Pat Joe McMahon Kinturk Connolly.

CONNOLLY GROTTTO: The rosary will be recited every evening at the grotto in Connolly at 7pm for the month of May.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION continues on Tuesdays from 2pm to 8pm in Kilmaley church. All welcome.



It was with great sadness that we received news this week that the Holy Father, Pope Francis has died. Pope Francis, a Jesuit, brought his own unique perspective and charism to his role as shepherd of the people of God. Bishop Alan McGuckian, also a member of the Jesuit Order, reflected on the life and message of Pope Francis.

"Each Easter we celebrate and are reminded that, in Baptism, we share in the Death and Resurrection of Christ. In his Urbi et Orbi address yesterday, Pope Francis spoke these prophetic words:

"The Resurrection of Jesus is indeed the basis of our hope. For in the light of this event, hope is no longer an illusion...All those who put their hope in God place their feeble hands in his strong and mighty hand; they let themselves be raised up and set out on a journey. Together with the risen Jesus, they become pilgrims of hope, witnesses of the victory of love and of the disarmed power of Life."

Pope Francis exercised this ministry of hope, a hope that was firmly grounded in the assured presence of the risen Christ."

May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed, rest in peace. Amen.

BASKET & ENVELOPE COLLECTIONS:

Weekly & Holy Day Envelopes €954

Major Repair Fund €280 €43,920 to date!

Priest's Collection €2400

Sincere thanks for your generosity. 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. **Major Repair Fund** Donations can be made using our i-donate QR code.



ANN MAHER MEMORIAL FUNDRAISING DANCE for Milford Hospice is on Sunday Night April 27th at the Kilmaley Inn. Music by Tommy O Flaherty & Francis Fahy, Spot prizes on the admission ticket. Raffle tickets on sale locally.

COMMUNITY CAFE will be open fortnightly from Friday April 25th from 10.30am to 12.30pm. Please come along for tea coffee home baking and a Chat at **Kilmaley Day Centre** all are welcome..

ACCORD Catholic Marriage Care Service are recruiting volunteers to train as programme facilitators to support couples preparing for Marriage. Free professional training for successful applicants. Closing date for applications is 30/05/25. Contact Aisling on (01) 505 3112 or by email to marriagepreparation@accord.ie www.accord.ie

ANNUAL LEAVE ARRANGEMENTS: There will be no weekday masses in Inch, Connolly or Kilmaley from **Mon Apr 21st to May 3rd inclusive**. Weekend masses will be celebrated as normal in all churches during this time. If you require a priest urgently, please call Fr O'Meara or Fr Shanahan. Thank you for your understanding.

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.