SYMPATHY: We offer our sympathy, support and prayers to the family, relatives and friends of May they Rest in Peace.

EASTER PILGRIMAGE 28th March to 2nd April 2018 to Fatima in Portugal for 6 days ex Dublin, Led by Fr. Kevin O'Boyle. Price includes Hotels, Return Flights, Buses and Food. Also included is Mass in Saint Anthony's Church in Lisbon where Saint Anthony was born. Station of the Cross and mass in Fatima. Don't be disappointed so Book Early as 100 euro deposit secures place. For Brochure contact James Treacy 0860572216 or 061921470 after

TOWARDS PEACE: Christmas and New Year is often a time when we are reminded of our deeper selves and deepest hopes, and deepest pain. The vision of Towards Peace is to provide a safe supportive space for people who have been affected by abuse in a Church context, and who are seeking to explore the spiritual impact of the abuse. If you have been abused and would like a space to reflect on the impact of the trauma of abuse on your own relationship with God and spirituality, Towards Peace is here for you: www.towardspeace.ie / 01 505 3028

DECEMBER ANNIVERSARY MASSES: Saturday 16th in Quilty Church. Sunday 17th in Coore & Mullagh Church as Christmas is the following week.

JANUARY ANNIVERSARY MASSES: Saturday 6th & Saturday 20th in Quilty Church. Sunday 7th & Sunday 21st in Mullagh & Coore

FEBRUARY ANNIVERSARY MASSES: Saturday 3rd & Saturday 24th in Quilty Church. Sunday 4th & Sunday 25th in Mullagh & Coore Church.

QUILTY/SEAFIELD GROUP WATER SCHEME AGM: At the Quilty Tavern on Thursday 14th December at 8pm. Agenda: Election of officers proposal to handover scheme to Clare County Council Irish Water.

K.I.B. LOTTO: There was no winner of this weeks Kilmurry Ibrickane Sports Lotto. The numbers drawn were 02, 16, 22, 29. Lucky Dip winners: 04/12/17 No Jackpot Winners, Lucky Dip €100: Tommy Galvin, Quilty. €20 winners: Pat Johnson, Mullagh. Graham O'Connor, Ruan. Luke Warren, Mullagh. Sinead Neenan, c/o Paschal O'Dwyer. McCarthy family, Mullagh. This weeks Jackpot was ; €6,000 Next Week's Venue ;"Jim Daly's" "11/12/17" The Jackpot is now €6.200. Please Support Kilmurry IB. Sports lotto on www.locallotto.ie.

KILMURRY IBRICKANE GAA CLUB AGM will be held in the meeting room in Quilty on Sunday 7th of January. All motions and nominations are to be with the club secretary John Brew on 0868118957 by 8pm on Sunday the 31st of December.

DECEMBER DRAW FOR THE KILMURRY IBRICKANE GAA CLUB DEVELOPMENT FUND (300 CLUB) 2017/18 took place on Wednesday the 6th of December. The 1st name drawn was PJ Ryan; Dromelihy, who received €500 and the following 5 names drawn all received €100 each - 1. Makie O Connor and Michael Considine; Quilty, 2. W.B.M.C; Quilty, 3. Trish & Gran McCarthy; Rhineroe, 4. John Kelly; Dublin/ Mullagh, 5. Gerard & Maureen Sexton; Finuremore Mullagh. The next draw will take place on Monday the 1st of January live on our Facebook page.

CHRISTMAS MISCELLANY CONCERT at Miltown Malbay Church 7pm Sunday 17th December: An evening of carols, traditional music and seasonal readings for all the family. Hosted by Miltown Malbay Community Choir and Burren Children's Choir. Tickets €5 Adults and €3 Children from choir members or on the door.

Well done to Atlantic Gaels and their Management on their Minor A Final Win against West Clare Gaels last weekend!

BOOK OF COORE

The book of photographs called 'Coore and its people' is now on sale in the Parish Office. Price €10. Please support your local community.

HEALTH CARE ASSISTANTS REQUIRED: Full & Part time hours available. QQI Level 5 in Health Care Support/Community Health or similar. Patient Moving & Handling. If currently studying for this award, applicants will also be considered. Experience required Contact: Bluebird Care Clare on 065-6868222 or Email clare@bluebirdcare.ie

MUSINGS & MEMORIES VOLUME 2 BY MONICA STIRLING

BOOK: Cost €10. All profits from the sale of the book goes to West Clare Cancer Centre available to purchase in: Paschal O'Dwyer's Filling Station, Beatrice O'Riordan XL Shop Quilty, Mullagh Parish Office, Larkins Newsagents Miltown Malbay & The Post Office Miltown Malbay

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL FOOD APPEAL: The staff and pupils of Mullagh N.S. have this year decided to take part in the St. Vincent de Paul food appeal. We are appealing to everyone to help us out with this very worthwhile cause. All of what is collected in the area goes to families and those in need in our community. Last year was a huge success so we want to help make this year even bigger. Nonperishable food items can be dropped into the box in the entrance area of the school. The box will be there for the next 3-4 weeks and we hope to see it filled a number of times. Christmas is a time to think of those less fortunate than ourselves and giving what we can will go a long way to making Christmas easier and better for many.

3 BEDROOM HOUSE TO RENT: In Quilty area. Contact 087 6313566 for more information.

3 BEDROOM FARMHOUSE TO RENT: All mod cons. Mountscott area. Contact 087 2850994 for more information.

ANNUAL AN GARDA SÍOCHÁNA OLDER PERSONS CHRISTMAS TEA PARTY which will be held at the West County Hotel on the 15th December 2017, between 2pm and 5pm. This event is free and all persons over the age of 55 are welcome to attend. There is tea, sandwiches and cake during the event. Music is being provided and everyone will be asked to dance the afternoon away. Due to the large numbers that attend we would ask that anyone that would like to attend to contact Ennis Garda Station on 065 6848100 and ask to put their name down for the event. Transport is available to persons living in the Ennis area, they are asked to indicate if they need a lift when they ring the station.

ART4U VISUAL ARTIST EXHIBITION: Pay us a visit on Sat Dec 16th between 10am and 3 pm in Ennis Town Centre Market and pick up gifts for Christmas or any occasion or treat yourself. This is an unique opportunity to take in some beautiful works of art by fifteen local Clare artists including paintings, prints, greeting cards etc. By doing this you are supporting local

20th ANNUAL WEST CLARE MINI MARATHON, SUNDAY 28th JANUARY 2018. BOOK-ENDING TWO DECADES OF THE PROVISION OF CANCER CARE SERVICES FOR THE PEOPLE OF WEST CLARE. Sponsorship Cards are now available from the Cancer Centre in Corry Lane, Kilkee, 11-2pm, Monday to Friday. All participants will receive a commemorative medal to mark this milestone event. Sincere thanks to everybody who has contributed to the Charity over the past 20 years. Ni neart do cur le cheile.

Bambilelli Sunday - Baby Jesus Sunday A beautiful advent tradition

Every year on one of the Sundays of Advent, families bring the figure of the Baby Jesus to St. Peter's Square in Rome for the Pope to bless. It is called "Bambinelli Sunday". Many homes in our parish still give a central place to the crib among their Christmas decorations. On Sunday 17th December we invite you to bring the Baby Jesus from your home to any mass in Ennis Parish and they will be blessed by the celebrant.

MULLAGH - QUILTY - COORE PARISH NEWSLETTER



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065 7087012 - 085 7581025 SUNDAY 10TH DECEMBER 2017 **DEFIBRILLATOR EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBERS:**

QUILTY 065 7050123 - MULLAGH 065 7050123 - COORE 065 7050123

MASSES FOR THE COMING WEEK

MULLAGH

Sun.10th@11am. Special Intention

Sun.17th@11am. Maisie, Micko & Packie Murrihy

> Paddy Neenan Christina Clancy Bríd Frawley

Thomas, Margaret & PJ Mee

Margaret Meade James Frawley Sr. Mary Keavey Michael Sexton

QUILTY

Sat.9th@7.15pm. Special Intention Sat.16th@7.15pm. Danny Montgomery

Tom Pender - Birthday Remembrance

Bridget Pender

Kathleen Lynch

Patrick Burke & deceased members of the Burke & Kelly family Joseph & Ellen McInerney & deceased family members Michael & Bridget Moloney & deceased family members

COORE

Sun.10th@9.30am. Special Intention

Sat.16th@12noon Nonie Pilkington 1st Anniversary Sun.17th@9.30am.

Jeremiah, Delia & Anne McMahon

Susan Fahey

10/12/2017 MINISTRY OF THE WORD

Mullagh

Sun.17th@11am Olive O'Loughlin

& Amy Sexton

Quilty

Sat.16th@7.15pm Karen Galvin

Coore

Sun.17th@9.30am Mary Murphy

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Mullagh

Sun.17th@11am Olive O'Loughlin, Karen Coughlan

& Mary Kate Clancy

Sat.16th@7.15pm Agnes Collins & Peggy Morrissey

Coore

Quilty

Sun.17th@9.30am Ann Hanrahan & Mary Murphy

ALTAR SERVERS

MULLAGH Sun.17th@11am

QUILTY

Sat.16th@7.15pm. COORE Sun.17th@9.30am Group C Group A

Group B

Parish Office Open: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday -

Tabhair Aire 'Take Care'

KIB Bereavement Support

Group

085 842 3087

9.30am to 2.30pm.

Rosary Rota

Sat.09th December at 7.15pm in Quilty Eddie Donnellan Sat.16th December at 7.15pm in Quilty Anne O'Kelly

KIB Senior Citizens Christmas Party in the Quilty Tavern on Sunday 17th December. Mass at 12 noon followed by dinner, music, song, dance and raffle. Names to Maura 7087044, Agnes Anne 7087264 or Helen 7087309 before Thursday 14th December the latest to facilitate Quilty Tavern organising the number of dinners. Cost €10

World Meeting of families August 2018

A petition box will be placed in front of the altars of the three churches. Petitions can be placed in the boxes throughout the year - we pray for all families who have particular needs at this time. We place prayers for our own families ad individual family



Daily Masses - Next Week Mullagh Service of readings & Holy Communion Monday & Tuesday 10 am Mass On Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 10am Mass Saturday in Coore at 12noon

Schedule of Masses over the next weeks Weekend December 16th & 17th as normal **Quilty National School Nativity play**

during 7.15 pm Quilty Mass Sat. December 16th. Weekend 23rd & 24th December

As Christmas eve falls on a Sunday the following are the times for Masses.

Saturday 23rd December - Quilty 7.15pm

Sunday 24th— One Morning Mass Mullagh 10am. (not 11am)

No Morning Mass in Coore.

Sunday 24th December - Vigil Masses **Christmas Eve Mullagh Church 6pm** Coore Church 7.30pm **Quilty Church 9pm**

Monday 25th December - Mullagh Church 11am (Christmas Day)

One Mass only. No morning Mass in Quilty or in Coore.

Slainte an Chláir beautiful hand painted Christmas cards are now available to buy in the Parish Office

Christmas Mass Bouquets are also available featuring local churches.

CHURCH GATE COLLECTION this weekend 9th/10th December will be in aid of the local conference of the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul. Our local conference hope that the Church Gate Collection will allow them to assist those more needy in the locality at Christmas.

Your support would as ever be greatly appreciated. Envelopes marked St. Vincent de Paul can be dropped into the Church and they will be passed onto the Charity.

Your local Conference of the SOCIETY OF SAINT VINCENT DE PAUL would like to ask your help once again in providing Christmas hampers for families in need in the local area. On the four Saturdays/Sunday's of Advent a box will be in place in each of the church porches, into which you can put items of non perishable food.

In the interest of health and safety we ask you, please do not donate items which have passed their sell by date.

Thank you for your support