

MULLAGH - QUILTY - COORE PARISH NEWSLETTER

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THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT 11/12/'11

MASSES FOR THE COMING WEEK

MULLAGH

Sun.11th@11am. Leonard Darcy, Ballymakea
Michael Sexton, The Mall
Maisie Murrphy, Mountscott
James & Jane Murrphy, Shandrum
Christina Clancy
Pat McGuire, Carhunagry
Donal & Maureen Marrinan
Bridget & Mick King
Michael King & John King
Michael McNamara, Ballymakea
Theresa O'Brien & Deceased members of the O'Brien
Family, Carhuligane
Bridget O'Loughlin & Deceased members of the
O'Loughlin Family, Moyglass

Sun.18th@11am. Food Giving Mass
Thomas, Margaret & P.J. Mee
James Frawley
Micko Whelan, Frehane

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Sat.10th@7pm. Patrick Burke
Frank Egan & Michael Egan, Quilty
Paddy Glenny
Anthony & Catherine Power
Crehan & Logan Families
Bridgie Pender
Mary Shanahan, Quilty
Willie Callinan, Caherush

Sat.17th@7pm. Joseph & Ellen McInerney
Michael & Bridget Moloney
Ann King-Egan
Michael & Ellen O'Brien
Jodie O'Brien & deceased members of the
O'Brien Family, Rhineroe

COORE

Sun.11th@9.30am. Tadhg & Catherine O'Halloran
Delia McMahon
Michael & Theresa McMahon
Christina & Jimmy Crowley
Mammie McMahon
John & Bridget Markham, The Hand

Sun.18th@9.30am. Jimmy & Catherine O'Leary

FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT YEAR B 18/12/'11 READERS

MULLAGH

Sun. 18th@11am. Children

QUILTY

Sat. 17th@7pm. John Daly

COORE

Sun. 18th@9.30am. Claire Murray

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

MULLAGH

Sun.18th@11am. Tony McGowan & Eleanor O'Dwyer

QUILTY

Sat.17th@7pm. Martin Shanahan & Rita O'Dwyer

COORE

Sun. 18th@9.30am. Anne Hanrahan & Blath Sexton

MASS TIMES FOR CHRISTMAS:

Christmas Eve-

Mullagh 7pm - Coore 7pm

Quilty 8.30pm

Christmas Day-

Mullagh 11am - Coore 9.30am

Quilty 9am

ANNUAL FOOD GIVING MASS

This is on Sunday 18 December at 11am in Mullagh Church. The pupils of Mullagh N.S. will lead us in prayers, songs and reflection. Clarecare hopes to distribute 250 hampers this year to families throughout Co. Clare. Hamper items which would be useful: Tea, Coffee, Sugar, Tayto, Selection Box, Minerals, Biscuits, Soup, Jam, Baked Beans, Peas, Cornflakes, Custard, Crackers, Creamed Rice, Shampoo, Toilet Roll or Tinned Fruit. All food and hampers can be left into Mullagh Church.

ALTAR SERVERS

MULLAGH

Sun. 18th@ 11am. **Group A**

QUILTY

Sat. 17th@7pm. **Group B**

COORE

Sun. 18th@9.30am. **Group A**

SYMPATHY: We offer our sympathy, prayers and support to the family, relatives & friends of Tommy Russell, New Jersey 1st cousin of The Conlons, The Corrys & Mary O'Halloran : Grace Pierpoint, Killernan died during the week.

A FAMILY LITURGY: A family liturgy is planned for the 7pm Christmas Eve Mass in Mullagh Church. We would like people to give their time to get involved and take part in this special Mass. If you or any of your family would be willing to take part or help, please make contact with any of the people listed below by Monday 12 December: Fr. Pat Larkin- 087 2300627, Martin Shanahan-087 7456935, Joe Searson-087 6762023, Connie Sexton-087 9446374, Therese Doohan-087 7533834 or James Egan-087 2884319. We are looking forward to celebrating this very special time of year so why not get involved. You would never know, you might enjoy it! We will also be remembering our loved ones who have emigrated in the recent past. If you would like loved ones mentioned please put their full name on the sheets which are available in all Churches in the Parish.

CONFESSIONS FOR CHRISTMAS: There will be an opportunity for the Sacrament of Reconciliation/Confession in Miltown Malbay Church on Monday 14 December at 8pm and in Mullagh Church on Monday 19 December at 8pm.

COORE N.S. CHOIR SINGING: This will be before Christmas Eve Mass at 6.40pm in Coore Church. All choir members, past pupils and their families are invited to join in our Christmas celebration.

QUILTY CHOIR PRACTICE: There will be a practice for Quilty Choir on Wednesday 14 December at 7pm. All members are asked to attend.

PARISH PASTORAL GROUP: There will be a meeting for the Parish Pastoral Group on Wednesday 14 December at 8pm in the Meeting Room, Mullagh. All members are asked to attend.

MASS TIMES:

Saturday Vigil - Quilty 7pm

Sunday - Coore 9.30am & Mullagh 11am

Monday to Saturday - Mullagh 10am

CLERGY DIOCESAN GATHERING: A Diocesan gathering of Clergy will take place at the Clare Inn on Monday 12 December from 10.30am to 5pm. This is a follow up to the Laity listening day which took place recently. As a result of this, Mass on Monday will be a 9.30am.

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES 2012: Bishop Kieran O'Reilly will lead the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes on 26th June to 1st July next. Direct from Shannon Airport. At €670 (same price as last year) it is the cheapest Diocesan pilgrimage to Lourdes from Ireland. Bookings are now being taken. It would make an ideal gift for a parent or loved one. Bookings to JTW 143 Lower Baggot Street Dublin 2. Tel: 01-240810. More details from Fr. Tom Ryan Shannon Pilgrimage Director at 061-364133

50TH INTERNATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS: Bookings to attend the 50th International Eucharistic Congress are live on www.iec2012.ie You can book for 7 days, for 3 days or for a single day. You can decide to come as an individual, as a family or as a group. Clergy bookings are live as well. Do not leave it to the last minute! Read more about the different possibilities of booking for the Congress and book now! www.iec2012.ie/volunteer

K.I.B. LOTTO / WWW.LOCALLOTTO.IE: Lucky numbers for last week were **05, 07, 26, 29. JACKPOT €4,200. €100 Winner: Michael O'Halloran, Ennis. €20 winners:** M.Cunningham, Quilty East. Angela Falsey, Seafield. Henry & Irene, Creggane. Tone 7 Mary, Mullagh. Marguerita Moroney, Mullagh. **NEXT WEEK'S JACKPOT €4,400.** Next draw will take place on Monday 12/12/'11. **Venue: "Moroney's"**. Support KIB Sports Lotto on www.locallotto.ie

K.I.B. BINGO: Every Monday Night At 8.30pm in The Quilty Tavern. All Welcome!

KIB AGM: The KIB AGM will be on Sunday 8th January 2012. Nominations to be with the Secretary Michael Considine on or before Monday 1 January 2012.

KIB U13'S: The Kilmurry Ibrickane u13s finished off their season recently with two great wins the Joe McCaw Memorial Shield and the u13 West Clare beating Ennistymon in the Shield and Cooraclare in the West Clare. Its been another tremendous year for the underage footballers of Kilmurry Ibrickane and their is massive credit to their mentors Dermot Coughlan, Sylvester Nugent and Enda Coughlan. The winning panel were Darragh Maloney, James Sexton, David Sexton, Caoilfhionn O' Dea, Conor Nugent, Daniel Walshe, Cillian Flaherty, Andrew Shannon, Cillian O'Donoghue, Paudie Murrphy, Danny Keavey, Dermot Coughlan, Gary McMahon, Niall Pilkington, Paul Flynn, Conor Sexton, Eamonn Hanrahan, Padraig Conway, Damien Lynch, Adam Burke, Maurice Donnellan & Diarmuid King.

THE OLD KILFARBOY SOCIETY: On Tuesday 13 December, instead of the usual talk, The Old Kilfarboy Society will show two films: 'A horse's tale', a story which was inspired by prize winning entries in a national essay competition on 'These Changing Times' - 'An Sal ag Athrú', written by pupils at the local Moy N.S. It is an account of the last working horses used on the land in West Clare. 'My own place' featuring Miltown Malbay and the late Muiris O'Rócháin, director of the Willie Clancy Summer School. The programme will take place at The Malbay, Miltown Malbay commencing at 8pm sharp. All are welcome.

SOLAS: Suicide Support Group will hold a mass for those who have been bereaved through suicide, either recently or in the past at 7.30 p.m., on FRIDAY 16 December, in Cloughleigh Church.

YOUTH 2000 IRELAND: Will be holding their annual Christmas youth retreat in Newbridge College, Co. Kildare from Friday 16 to Sunday 18 December 2011. Over 500 young people aged 16-35 are expected to attend this donation only event, with all newcomers welcome. The weekend consists of an action packed programme including prayer, workshops, drama, inspirational talks, testimonies, music, games and chill out time. It's a great opportunity to learn more about your Catholic faith and to meet other young people. Please book online if you are interested & bring a sleeping bag if you wish to avail of on-site accommodation. All are welcome to

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attend at any time over the weekend. Retreat starts with registration on Friday at 8.00pm. Free buses also available. For more info check out our website www.youth2000.ie or call 01 6753690 / 0858289231 & see us on Facebook.

THE TYPE 1 DIABETES SUPPORT GROUP: Will meet on Tuesday, the 13 of December, from 8pm to 9:30pm. Family owned and local business, O'Connor's Bakery have invited us to sample their new "Sugar-Free" Christmas Puddings and their "Sugar-Free" Cheesecake. The group will also take the opportunity to discuss tips to overcome the temptations that go hand and hand with the Christmas season. Places are limited and RESERVATION IS REQUIRED. To reserve your place call the Support Group on the following telephone number 087 641 5747 or by emailing your name to clarebranchdfi@gmail.com

WEST CLARE CANCER CENTRE: Cancer patients wishing to avail of services being offered from the Cancer Care Centre, Kilkee please contact, 065-9060762, 065-9056181 or 087-2813895.

CLARE CANCER SUPPORT, KILNAMONA: Relaxation & Meditation Wednesday December 14. Tai Chi and many other services all provided FREE of charge. Contact 1850 211 630 or visit www.clarecancersupport.com for more details

KIB ACTIVE RETIREMENT & SENIOR CITIZENS ANNUAL SHOPPING TRIP TO LIMERICK: K.I.B. Senior Citizens shopping trip to Limerick on the 14 December. Only a few seats left. Cost €10. Names to Maura 7087044, Agnes 7087264 or Helen 7087309 before Friday 9 December.

CHRISTMAS OPEN DAY AT THE VANDELEUR WALLED GARDEN, KILRUSH: Sunday 11 December 2011 from 12pm - 4pm. All are welcome to celebrate the festive season with us and avail of free entry. A great variety of items will be available. The ideal opportunity to find your Christmas gifts. The coffee shop will sell home baked treats, which also can be ordered. Handcrafted logs, wreaths, centre pieces and garden accessories will also be available.

ATTENTION CONSTRUCTION WORKERS: Clare GAA are going building a Sports Complex in Tulla and are looking for Contractors to carry out the work e.g ground work, block work, roofing, plastering, electrical, plumbing etc...Anyone interested please attend Clare GAA Offices on Monday 4 December between 9am and 5pm. Any further queries, contact Michael on 086 8450848.

STRICTLY COME DANCING: in aid of "Cherven Orphans", returns by popular demand to the Armada Hotel on Sunday 11 December at 7pm. Tickets available from Mullagh Parish Office and all the dancers.

GALA SOCIAL & EVENING OF ENTERTAINMENT: At Garrhy's Bar, Moyasta on Friday 16 December at 9.30pm in aid of Cahercalla Hospice. Music by Taylor's Twist with exhibitions of Sean Nos dancing and set dancing by Juniors from Cooraclare/Tullabrack. Story teller Paddy Commene will be present as will Santa Clause. Adm:€5. Get the Christmas festivities going while supporting this worthy cause.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT & CD LAUNCH: A very special evening of classical and seasonal favourites will take place in St. Senan's Church, Kilrush on Friday, 16 December at 8pm. Edel O'Brien, mezzo-soprano; Moya O'Grady, cello; David O'Doherty, violin and Geraldine O'Doherty, harp. Tickets €10. Proceeds in aid of St. Senan's Church Restoration Fund.

WEST CLARE WROUGHT IRON WORKS: For Gates & Railings, Letter Boxes, Clothes Lines, Cattle Grids and Swings & Slides contact Jim Downes, Kilclohane, Quilty on 086 2689476. Mobile welding service and gas cutting service also available.

APRIL FLOWERS: Flowers for all occasions. Christmas orders: Wreaths, Table arrangements, Posies, Christmas Bouquets. Phone Theresa on 087 6598939: aprilflowersquilty@gmail.com : www.aprilflowersquilty.com : Face book April Flowers.

THANK YOU: On behalf of The Keavey & Campbell Family, Quilty East & The West Clare Mini Marathon Cancer Care Centre, we would like to thank everybody who supported the Fundraiser in The Quilty Tavern last weekend. The total amount given to the Centre during the week was €4286.