

Kilmurry Ibrickane Parish Newsletter

Sunday 11th October 2026

When there is a funeral in the Parish, there won't be any 10am Mass that day.

Masses for the week:

Community led on Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday at 9.30am in Mullagh Church

Mass on Thursday at 9.30am & Friday at 9.30am in Miltown Church

Eucharistic Holy Hour now in Mullagh Church Sacristy every Wednesday from 10am - 6pm. All welcome.

Harvest Mass will be in Quilty Church on Saturday 31st October at 7.15pm. Baked goods are more than welcome and can be dropped off from 6pm to the Church.

Enrolment for the Children making First Communion will be on Sunday 11th October at 11am in Mullagh Church.

Diocesan Conference

The priests of the Diocese are in Loughrea for their Annual Conference from Sunday night 11th October to Wednesday 14th October.

QUILTY CHURCH: Saturday 10th October at 7.15pm
Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion (Rosary at 6.55pm)

COORE CHURCH: Sunday 11th October at 9.30am
Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion (Rosary at 9.05am)

MULLAGH CHURCH: Sunday 11th October at 11am
First Holy Communion Enrolment

MULLAGH CHURCH: Saturday 17th October at 11am
Michéal O'Doherty Months Mind Mass

QUILTY CHURCH: Saturday 17th October at 7.15pm
Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion (Rosary at 6.55pm)

COORE CHURCH: Sunday 18th October at 9.30am
Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion (Rosary at 9.05am)

MULLAGH CHURCH: Sunday 18th October at 11am
Irene O'Kelly Connolly Months Mind Mass

GROUPED ANNIVERSARY MASSES IN OUR PARISH:

Coore Church Sunday 25th October 2026 at 9.30am
Quilty Church Saturday 31st October 2026 at 7.15pm
Mullagh Church Sunday 8th November 2026 at 11am
Please book anniversary Mass through Parish Office 0851872212 or email: office@kibparish.ie

KIB Parish Open Tuesday, Thursday & Friday from 9.30am to 2.30pm.
Facebook: Kilmurry Ibrickane Parish

WEEKEND 17th & 18th October 2026

QUILTY CHURCH: Eucharistic Minister: Michael Kelleher
Reader: John

COORE CHURCH: Eucharistic Minister: Mary Nugent

Sunday 11th October – Patricia McCarthy

Sunday 18th October – Blan Sexton

Sunday 25th October – Catherine Corry

MULLAGH CHURCH : Eucharistic Minister: Maureen O'Grady & Olive O'Loughlin
Reader: Ann Lynch

Next Sunday is Mission Sunday. The Collection for Mission Sunday will take place on next weekend. (Please use your box of envelopes)

KIB PARISH OFFICE WILL BE OPEN TUESDAY, Thursday & Friday from 9.30AM TO 2.30PM

SAFEGUARDING IS AN ESSENTIAL PART OF PARISH LIFE.

As a parish community within the Diocese of Killaloe, we are committed to creating an environment where everyone, especially children and young people, feels welcomed, respected, valued, and safe.

Week 2 – Creating a Safe Parish

A safe parish is one where children and young people are cherished, listened to, and protected. Our safeguarding policies, training and procedures help us to provide safe environments for everyone involved in parish activities. We are grateful to our Parish Safeguarding Representatives, clergy, staff, and volunteers for their continued commitment to this important work.

MULLAGH ENTIRE DRAMA GROUP

The Drama Group have picked their Play and are looking for anyone who wants to help out or join in! Please contact Gregory 087 7833820 or Mary 087 9491690

PARISH GRAVEYARDS:

Thank you to Coore Graveyard Committee, Mullagh Graveyard Committee and Quilty Graveyard Committee who are doing a great job with applying for Grants and keeping our graveyards neat and tidy along with help from our FAS and RSS workers.

We would appeal for volunteers to get involved in graveyards committees for Kilmurry Graveyard, Killernan Graveyard and Kilbridget Graveyard. Please contact KIB Parish Office 085 1872212 or office@kibparish.ie

Confirmation ritual for the pupils of the 4 school in our Parish will be on Saturday 31st October at 7.15pm in Quilty Church – a short practice for this will take place on Thursday 29th October at 6pm in Quilty church.

KILLALOE DIOCESE ADULT FAITH FORMATION TEAM

Invites you to an Autumn gathering.

“Let's have an honest conversation about Synodality: why do we need it & how we move forward?”

A dialogue among Clergy and Laity on how we can journey together as Church. Facilitated by: Fr. Eamonn Fitzgerald on 24th October from 10am to 1pm (with coffee & tea) in Parish Centre Ennis Cathedral.

THE OLD KILFARBOY SOCIETY will hold its first talk of the new term in the Community Centre on tue 13th at 8pm .Michael Talty librarian's talk will be titled Milling in Miltown Malbay and West Clare in the 18,19,20th centuries.. The talk will cover the dough mills ,weaving /woollen industry in the town and milling in kilrush by the Glynn family and the O'Dwyer family in Ennistymon will also be covered. 5 euro cover charge.

FRIENDS OF THE ORDER: Help sustain the living Christian presence in the Holy Land. Friends of the Order off a simple way to help. To learn more or become a friend: Website: holysepulchre.ie/friends Facebook: EOHSJ Ireland Email: friends@holysepulchre.ie Phone: 086 3253882

CLARE YOUTH SERVICE CTC are now recruiting for Leaving Cert Applied and QQ1 Level 3 Education Programmes. Drop in to the centre in Kilrush Road for an application form. Aged 16 to 19 years, training allowances apply.

KIB Sports Lotto: 05/10/2026 Jackpot – €10,000 17,28,29,30 NO JACKPOT WINNER €100 Paul Kelly online. €20 winners Tony Power, Quilty East. Joe Sexton, Mullagh. Thomas Galvin, Quilty. Bernadette Woulfe, Emelagh. Therese Doochan, online. Next draw: Dalys on 12/10/2026 Next Jackpot €10,200.

PUB QUIZ: in Westbridge Miltown Malbay on Sunday 25th October at 8pm – tables of 4 - €10 per person. Raffle & Prizes. Quiz master Aine Hensey. All proceeds go to Irish Guide Dogs.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS: AA meeting in the Band Room at the back of Miltown Malbay Church on Sundays at 11am. AA members are welcome.

BEREAVEMENT INFORMATION EVENING that will be held on Tuesday, 20th of October 2026 from 7 to 9pm in Milford Care Centre, Limerick. 061 485800 or socialwork@milfordcarecentre.ie

GROW MENTAL HEALTH- Friendly Community based peer support groups for anyone experiencing mental health concerns through connection, hope, identity by empowering members to nurture their positive wellbeing and personal growth. Ennis Meeting- Maria Assumpta Hall. Monday 7.30pm/Tuesday 2pm. Contact Celia 086-1526966/Wwww.grow.ie

ST FLANNAN'S COLLEGE NIGHT CLASSES AND SATURDAY WORKSHOPS FOR ADULTS will resume on Wednesday October 7. Classes include:Beekeeping, Creative Short Fiction, Cross-stitching, Stained Glass, Memoir Writing, Copper Jewellery, Drawing and Painting, Cake Decorating, QiGong, Clare Embroidery, Papermaking & Book-Binding and Felting.Text/phone 083 1090039 for further details and bookings

ACCORD MARRIAGE PREPARATION PROGRAMMES – Are you getting married in 2027? Accord Catholic Marriage Care Service provides Marriage Preparation Programmes for couples choosing to get married in the Catholic Church. Places are filling quickly so book today for courses in Ennis or Nenagh at www.accord.ie

AUTUMN EVENING CLASSES at St Joseph's Secondary School, Spanish Point. Now enrolling for Crochet, Pilates, Cookery & Baking, French for beginners and Flower arranging. For more details contact Catherine on 087 7782861 or email eveningclasses@stjosephssp.com

WIN A TRIP TO MEDJUGORJEMedjugorje Irish Centre Free Prize draw. Prize for one person includes 7 nights B&B, return airport transfer and flights up to €300.To enter go to prize draw page on website www.med-irishcentre.com WhatsApp No: 00447860 465386 WhatsApp No: 00387 63 630 604Email: reservations@med-irishcentre.com Website: www.med-irishcentre.com

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REFLECTION – God's call

God's call comes to us in many ways

And at many different levels.

However, his call is not so much a voice

As a tug at our hearts, which we feel

At quiet and reflective moments in our lives.

He is calling us to a deeper and more authentic life.

He is calling us into intimacy with himself.

He is calling us into community with others.

And at death he will call us into eternal life.

To accept means to admit our need.

Jesus said, 'Woe to you who are full now,

For you will go hungry.

But blessed are you who are hungry now,

For you will be filled.'

A sense of something missing in our lives

Is not a curse but a blessing.

A spiritual hunger

Is God's way of inviting us to his banquet.

Prayer for Prisoners

We pray your grace Lord Jesus for prisoners, and their families who walk their sentence with their loved ones.

We pray you healing Lord for the trauma that has caused them to hurt themselves, their families, and their victims

We pray they will turn to You and begin their journey of recovery, finding compassionate support in our Christian society

Jesus we trust in you.

Sporting News:Lets get out and support our fantastic KIB Football Teams!!!

Best wishes to our KIB Senior Ladies in their County Final in Kilmihil GAA V Fergus Rovers on Sunday 11th October at 2pm!!!

- **KIB Defibrillator** 999 or 112 **SAMARITANS** 116 123
- **Local SVDP St. Annes Conference** - 086 2168749 – Email:mwsvp2021@gmail.com
- **GA MEETING:** A meeting of Gamblers Anonymous takes place every Thursday from 7.30pm to 8.30pm in Clarecare, Harmony Row, Ennis.
- **WEST CLARE MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION:** 085 8559511 email:westclaremha@mentalhealthireland.ie
- **WEST CLARE CANCER CENTRE** 0659060762 email westclarecancercentre@gmail.com or social media.
- **PietaCrisis 1800 247 247 Bereavement 0858568081**
- **SLAINTE AN CHLAIR CLARE CANCER SUPPORT** : (087) 6912396 E-mail: admin@clarecancersupport.com
- Yourmentalhealth.ie – 1800111888 Drugs.ie – 1800 459 459

Criocho Callan Cluster

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Fr. John McGovern Co PP 065 6839735

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