

MULLAGH / QUILTY / COORE - PARISH NEWSLETTER

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3rd SUNDAY OF ADVENT YEAR "C" 13/12/09

MASSES FOR THE COMING WEEK

MULLAGH

Sat. 12th@ 8pm. Christina Clancy

Sun. 13th@11am. Michael Sexton

Tue. 15th@ 8pm. Michael Downes, Tiermana & Kilmihil
1st Anniversary

Thur.17th@10am. Special Intention

Fri. 18th@ 8pm. Ollie Mc Carthy & Family Members

Sat. 19th@ 8pm. Thomas, Margaret & P.J. Mee

Sun. 20th@11am. Charlie Mc Carthy

QUILTY

Sat. 12th@ 7pm. Pat & Paddy Glenny, Quilty

Sun. 13th@ 9am. Bridget & Michael Moloney, Tromara

Sat. 19th@ 7pm. Ellen, Michael & Jody O'Brien, Rhineroe

Sun. 06th@ 9am. Martin & Delia Shanahan & Family

COORE

Sun. 13th@10am. Martin & Mary Kate O'Halloran

Thur. 17th@ 8pm. Paddy Shannon

Sun. 20th@10am. Michael Moroney. 1st Anniversary

4th SUNDAY OF ADVENT YEAR (C) 20/12/09

READERS

MULLAGH

Sat. 19th@ 8pm. Áine Sexton

Sun. 20th@11am. Sarah Flynn

QUILTY

Sat. 19th@7pm. John Daly

Sun. 20th@9am. Karen Galvin

COORE

Sun. 20th@10am. Grace Mc Mahon

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

MULLAGH

Sat. 19th@ 8pm. Moira Sexton & John O'Brien

Sun. 20th@11am. Mary T. Lynch & Mary Donnellan

QUILTY

Sat. 19th@7pm. Martin Shanahan & Rita O'Dwyer

Sun. 20th@9am. Carmel Galvin & Beatrice O'Riordan

COORE

Sun. 20th@10am. Mary Tuttle & Breda Sexton

ALTAR SERVERS

MULLAGH

Sat. 19th@ 8pm. **Group A**

Sun. 20th@11am. **Group A**

QUILTY

Sat. 19th@7pm. **Group A**

COORE

Sun. 20th@10am. **Group A**

DESTRUCTION OF GRAVES: It has come to our attention that Graves have been destroyed in Quilty Graveyard & stones have been removed. We ask all to show respect to the resting place of loved ones.

WITNESS FOR THE LIGHT

May my life speak as a witness for the light;

where there is darkness may I bring light,
where there is loneliness, may I bring companionship,
where there is pain, may I bring healing.

May my words bring comfort to others,
as the morning dawn lightens the darkness,
and may my prayers bring hope to others,
as the moon gives its light to the city.

May my touch lighten
the loneliness and fears of young and old,
and may my sufferings and struggles,
as these were part of the life of Jesus,
and part of the life of Mary and Joseph,
bring hope and depth to others.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION / CONFESSION: There will be an opportunity for the Sacrament of Confession in preparation for Christmas in Miltown Malbay Church on Wednesday 16 December at 8pm. and in Mullagh Church on Tuesday 22 December at 8pm. Visiting Priests' will be available in each Church.

CHRISTMAS MASS TIMES: Mass on **Christmas Eve** - Coore Church 7.30pm. - Quilty Church 8pm. - Mullagh Church 9.30pm. Mass on **Christmas Day** - Quilty Church 9am. - Coore Church 10am. - Mullagh Church 11am.

FOOD GIVING MASS: This will take place in Mullagh Church on Saturday 19 December at 8pm. The children & staff of Mullagh N.S. will lead us in music, song, prayer and reflection. We will also have an opportunity to help those who are struggling this Christmas time through our Food-giving. We welcome all donations of non-perishable goods and even bed linen would be appreciated. The food and materials received will be given to Clarecare, Ennis in conjunction with St Vincent De Paul. Donations can be left into Mullagh Church during the coming week.

QUILTY CHRISTMAS CHOIR PRACTICE: A choir practice for Christmas will be held on Tuesday 15 December at 7.30pm. in Quilty Church. All welcome.

MULLAGH CHRISTMAS CHOIR PRACTICE: Will be held on Wednesday 16 December at 8pm. in Mullagh Church. All members are asked to attend and new members welcome to join.

QUILTY N.S.: Will share reflection on the Nativity Story during the 7pm. Mass on Saturday 19 December. We extend a warm welcome to everybody to join us.

COORE N.S. - THANK YOU: The Board of Management of Coore N.S. would like to thank all who supported and contributed to the recent social held at the "Crosses of Annagh". A great night was had by all!

THANK YOU: Quilty Currach Club would like to thank everyone who supported their Church Gate Collection which was held last weekend.

FLOOD CRISIS CONCERT: At Ennis Cathedral on Friday 18 December at 7.30pm. - Kate Purcell and guests present the 'Mystery of Christmas' - an uplifting night of song, music and reflection. Tickets available from Clare FM and on the night. Please Support.

K.I.B. LOTTO / WWW.LOCALLOTTO.IE: Lucky numbers for last week were **6, 14, 22, 26. JACKPOT WINNER E.I.C.E.J. Hanrahan, Clounlaheen - Lucky Dip - €50 winner - Nicola Kelly, Ennis. €20 winners - Marie Mackey, Dromin. Aine Maire De Paor, Corcaigh. Tony O'Connor, Miltown Malbay. Tommy Galvin, Quilty. NEXT WEEK'S JACKPOT €3,00.** Next draw will take place on Monday 14/12/09. **Venue:** "Cooney's". Support Kilmurry IB. Sports Lotto on www.locallotto.ie

CHRISTMAS FLOWER ARRANGING DEMONSTRATION: Mullagh I.C.A. are hosting a Christmas flower arranging demonstration with Therese Murrhy on Wednesday 16 December at 8pm. in the Meeting Room, Mullagh Hall. All are welcome. Admission €5. Arrangements will be raffled at end of demonstration. Refreshments served so come along for an enjoyable night!

KIB GAA CLUB VICTORY SONG CD LAUNCH: KIB G.A.A. Club's launch of victory song CD "Munster Kings Again" will take place on Saturday 19 December in the Quilty Tavern, starting at 9pm. Music by P.J. Murrhy & Micheál Sexton with Patrick Roche, Patrick O'Dwyer, Derek Lynch and many more guest performers. Admission €5. Great night assured!

THANK YOU: Orla Sexton would like to sincerely thank everyone who supported and helped out in any way for the Fashion Show in aid of the Senior Citizens Christmas Party. A special thank you to the management and staff of the Bellbridge House Hotel for their wonderful food and service on the night. A very enjoyable night was had by all.

THANK YOU: The concert, recently held in The Quilty Tavern, in aid of TLC for Cystic Fibrosis, was a huge success. A great night of music, dance, song and story telling. Total proceeds were €3,460, inclusive of €500 donated by members of KIB Senior Football Team. Thanks to all who subscribed so generously. A special thanks to those who gave so freely of their time and talent to make this night a success.

CHRISTMAS MARKET: A Christmas Market will be held in the Community Centre, Miltown Malbay on Friday 18 December from 11am. - 4pm.

BADMINTON: Well done to all who competed in the Ennis Blitz. The last Badminton session before Christmas will be held on Wednesday 13 December. Badminton resumes on Wednesday 16 January 2010. Merry Christmas to all our members.

HORTICULTURE MEETING: A meeting of the Atlantic Horticulture Association, AHA!! will take place in the Meeting Room, Mullagh on this Monday 14 December at 8.15pm. All are welcome.

CLARECARE: Clarecare Daycare Centre (Seanoiri Laichtin Naofa) Annual Dinner Dance will be held in the Armada Hotel on Friday 8 January 2010. Tickets available in Post Office or in Daycare Centre. Come along for a great New Year Celebration.

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING?: The Ennis Gospel Choir present their show "Gospel at the Movies" on 22 / 23 January 2010 in Glor, Ennis. Tickets €18 - 065 6843103 or www.glor.ie

ATHLETICS: At the National Juvenile Cross Country Championships held in Colrairie, Co. Derry recently Kilmurry Ibrickane/North Clare's Sinead Hogan came home in 11th place in the girls U/11's and was a scoring member of the Clare Munster Team that captured gold medals with Elaine Shannon 39th and in the boy's U/11's Kilmurry Ibrickane/North Clare finished 7th overall in the Inter Club Awards.

ALZHEIMER SOCIETY: The Alzheimer Society Annual Burren Walk will take place on Sunday 3 January 2010. Starting & Finishing at O'Donoghue's Pub in Fanore. Walk starts at 12.30pm. Sponsorship cards available from Unit 17 Clonroad Business Park, Ennis. Telephone 6868621/6845835.

SPECIAL DIET CHRISTMAS CAKES: Gluten, Wheat & Dairy free, Diabetic friendly & Vegan cakes with or without icing available. Other savoury snacks also available. For information and/or orders contact Irene Killeen, Windy Hill Farm 087 9451544.

IRISH RED CROSS IN CLARE: Has been steadily working to procure materials for the families affected by the recent flooding in Clare. To date we have donated supplies delivered to us, which include bed linen, duvets, toiletries, some items of clothing, animal bedding & foodstuff etc. The local Red Cross has been working around the clock since the Saturday after the initial flooding to achieve this. The Red Cross in Clare accept donations of money or materials. All donations should be new, packaged and clearly labelled so that they can be packed effectively in our warehouses. Any cash may be forwarded to our local account. For further information please contact 086 8323456. For offers of time, services or equipment etc go to www.offersofhelp.com

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