

TOURS: Date 25th June 2014 – 7 Days with Spiritual Director Fr Martin Blake and guided tours Full Price €629 - If paid by 12th December reduced price €479. Contact Bernadette Murphy 086 1634553

KILLALOE PILGRIMAGE: to the Canonisations of Popes John XXIII and John Paul II from 23 – 30 April led by Bishop Kieran O'Reilly, SMA. Staying beside the Vatican within walking distance for the canonisation and visiting the principal holy places of the Eternal City. Also visiting Montecassino and Assisi. €1,100 per person sharing. Chaplain: Fr Albert McDonnell. Contact 057 9355050 (mornings only) or a.mcdonnell@killaloe-diocese.ie

BASKET COLLECTION: Basket collection for weekend 30 November & 1st December € 1166.00.

IRISH CANCER SOCIETY: The collection held recently in Quilty & Coore Church on behalf of Irish Cancer Society totalled €416.00. Thanks to all who contributed.

KIB SENIOR CLUB MEETING: There will be a Kilmurry Ibrickane senior club meeting on Wednesday the 18th of December in the Meeting room in Quilty @9pm, all are welcome to attend.

K.I.B. LOTTO / WWW.LOCALLOTTO.IE: Lucky numbers for 9th December 2013 were **13, 18, 24, 27. €4,400 No Jackpot Winner. €100 Winner: Joe Boyle, Mountscott.** €20 Winners: Michelle Murphy, Quilty. Noel & Marguerite Moroney, Mullagh. Luke & Aoibhinn McMahon, Annagh. David O'Shea c/o Mi Talty. Flan Cunningham, Salus. **NEXT WEEK'S JACKPOT €4,600.** Next draw will take place on ****Monday 16/12/13****. Venue: "Moroneys".

KILMURRY IBRICKANE GAA CLUB BIG BINGO NIGHT: in Quilty Monday night all pages €100 each. Start at 8.30pm in the Quilty Tavern. All welcome.

KIB GAA CLUB: will hold their AGM on the 22nd of December at the meeting room in Quilty. Anyone wishing to put their name forward for an officer position or to put forward a motion for the meeting, must do so by contacting the club secretary Tim McNamara on 086-2024851 by the 15th of December.

KIB LADIES BINGO: Every Wednesday at 8.30pm in the Armada Hotel, Spanish Point. €100 pay out in every game.

THE IRISH BLOOD TRANSFUSION SERVICE: will be holding a blood donor clinic in the West County Hotel, Ennis, on Monday 16th and Tuesday 17th December. Time 6 p.m. – 9 p.m. and also Wednesday 18th and Thursday 19th December. Time 2 p.m. – 5 p.m.

CHRISTMAS CARDS: In aid of Sláinte an Chláir Clare Cancer Support, Kilnamona on sale in Mullagh Parish Office. Beautifully hand painted by all their members. Pack of 10 for €5. Thanking you for all your support.

SEEKING VISION: Please support the Visually Impaired and Blind people in Clare by buying our Luxury Christmas Cards €10 per pack or 3 packs for €25. Cards available in Mullagh Parish Office or contact Eithne 086 0748491. Thanking you in advance for your generous support.

XMAS BELLY BUSTER: Why not join Jason's Xmas Belly Buster at Quilty Tavern on Tuesday 17th from 7pm - 9pm. A 2 hour workout that burns hundreds of calories. Bring Towel, Mat and Water. Contact Jason on info@jasonwalshe.ie

CHRISTCHURCH, SPANISH POINT: Our Christmas Christingle Service will take place on Friday 20th December at 7 p.m. Once again Rena Lynch and the Choir will be helping us to make it a

memorable evening. We do hope to have the support of the Community – especially families and children

CLARE LIMOUSIN BREEDERS 16 ANNUAL DINNER DANCE: at the Bellbridge House Hotel, Spanish Point on Friday 27th December 2013 Music by: Jimmy Hynes & the Crusaders followed by Disco with Fitzer. Please note meal served @ 7.30 sharp Bar Exemption Tickets €30 Contact Michael Sexton (086) 2594779 John Shannon (086) 8119040

HEALTH CARE ASSISTANTS/PERSONAL ASSISTANTS (CARERS) REQUIRED IN THE CLARE AREA: Requirements: FETAC Level 5 Full Award in Health Care Support/Community Health or similar, including Patient Moving and Handling. If currently studying for this award, applicants will also be considered. For more information contact the Bluebird Care Team in Ennis at 065-6868222.

TABLE QUIZ: in Aid of OAC Flag Road Miltown Malbay will take place in Cogan's Bat at 9.30 pm on Friday December 20th. Teams of 3 €30.00. Support greatly appreciated

FULLY QUALIFIED CHILD MINDER: with eleven years experience available. Full/part time, weekend and also available for baby sitting. After school service also available. Can pick up if needed. Mind in child's/ minder's home. Please contact Pauline on 086 403410 for more details.

DOONBEG DRAMA GROUP: presents "Uncle Pat", a One Act Comedy by Thomas King Moylan, followed by an evening of festive songs and carols with Edel O'Brien & friends in Doonbeg Hall on Sun, 22 Dec. Adults €10, Children €5. Doors open 7:30, curtain 8pm. Mulled wine & mince pies included.

MULLAGH POST BOX: Post is collected from the post box in Mullagh daily for all that were enquiring.

CHRISTMAS MARKET IN KILMIHIL NATIONAL SCHOOL: on this Sunday 15th Dec from 11 - 5pm. Gift ideas galore. Over 25 stands. A tea room will be available and cake sale will also take place. Santa will be in his grotto from 2pm to 5pm. Fantastic raffle prizes available.

CLARE HURLERS FASHION SHOW: A fashion show is been held on Thursday 19th December in the Queens Hotel Ennis starting at 8pm. Modelling of Menswear will be done by our Clare Senior All Ireland hurling champions. Come along and support. Our great heroes and show our appreciation for a wonderful year of hurling which they gave us. This is the last Fund raising event of 2013. All proceeds going to the Clare Senior Hurling Holiday and Training fund Cheese & Wine reception and entertainment also. Have your picture taken on the night with the lads. Further details contact Olive -0863225066 (a limited amount of tickets)

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THE WEST CLARE MINI MARATHON CANCER COMMITTEE: would like to thank all those in VTOS Kilrush for holding their recent coffee morning and raising €268 for the charity. Also, we would like to thank Carmel Clohessey for her recent Coffee Day which raised a total of €1,755. Well done to all who were involved in these fundraisers.

MULLAGH - QUILTY - COORE PARISH NEWSLETTER

Parish Office – 065 7087161 Website: www.kibparish.ie

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Fr Anthony McMahon 065 7087012 / 086 8243801 - Fr Tim Tuohy

THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT 15/12/2013



MASSES FOR THE COMING WEEK

MULLAGH

Sun.15th@11am. Maisie Murrhly
Christina Clancy
Brid Frawley
James & Jane Murrhly, Shandrum
Nora Harte
Donal & Maureen Marrinan
Thomas, Margaret & PJ Mee
Michael McNamara, Ballymakea

Sun.15th@3pm. Thomas O'Connor Months Mind
Celebrant: Fr. PJ Somers

Sun.22nd@11am. Patrick Neenan 1st Anniversary

QUILTY

Sat.14th@7pm. Bridgie Pender
Tom Pender
Mary Shanahan, Tromora Castle
Willie Callinan, Caherush
Patrick Burke & deceased members of the Burke & Kelly family, Quilty
Nan & Jackie Glenny
John Joe & Biddy Glenny
Paddy & Pat Glenny
Joseph & Ellen McInerney & deceased family members
Michael & Bridget Moloney & deceased family members

Sat.21st@7pm. Special Intention

COORE

Sun.15th@9.30am. Michael & Theresa McMahon
Christina & Jimmy Crowley, Clounlaheen & London
Mammie McMahon
Paddy Linnane & deceased family members
Catherine & Tadhg O'Halloran, Mountscott
James Sexton
Hugh McGuane
John & Catherine Hehir
Mary O'Connell nee O'Halloran, Margaret O'Halloran,
Stephen, Jimmy, Denny, Joe O'Halloran & deceased family members, Knocknaboula

Sun.22nd@9.30am. Special Intention

FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT 22/12/2013

MINISTRY OF THE WORD

MULLAGH

Sun.22nd@11am. Sarah Flynn

QUILTY

Sat.21st@7pm. Bernie Ryan

COORE

Sun. 22nd@9.30am. Theresa Sexton

DEFIBRILLATOR PHONE NUMBERS:

QUILTY 086 6067010 MULLAGH 086 6067020

COORE 086 6067030

Christmas Suggestions

I have 2 suggestions, first of all to myself: Let me not sit down to enjoy Christmas dinner unless I have given at least one person the price of a meal for Christmas. This could be through a charity or in person. Even those who seem to be part of the Christmas of the rich all too often find themselves eating alone.

A second suggestion: Look at Christ in the manger and ask the question: 'What is this all about?'. Peace. You shall find a baby, lying in a manger. Oh my God! A manger for animals. Is that where people look for him at Christmas? A manger? More to the point, is that where you or I look for him? He started out poor and ended up even poorer. It's scary.

It is time to take the money out of Christmas and put it in the pockets of the poor.
Fr. Eddie Lalor—Africa Magazine

Christmas Eve Mass

Mullagh 6pm
Coore 7.45pm
Quilty 9.30pm

Christmas Day Mass Times

Coore 9.30am
Quilty 9am
Mullagh 11am

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

MULLAGH
Sun.22nd@11am. Frank Mee & Margaret Killeen
QUILTY
Sat. 21st@7pm. Bernie Ryan & Ann O'Kelly
COORE
Sun. 22nd@9.30am. Ann Hanrahan & Blath Sexton

ALTAR SERVERS

MULLAGH
Sun.22nd@11am. Group B
QUILTY
Sat.21st@7pm. Group B
COORE
Sun.22nd@9.30am. Group A



SIGNED CHRISTMAS MASS BOUQUETS: are available from the Parish Office open each weekday from 9.30am to 1.30pm.

QUILTY CHURCH: We welcome Quilty Primary School to 7pm Saturday evening Mass. We thank all the students, teachers & families for putting on their Christmas Nativity for us all and making it so special and reminding us of the true meaning of Christmas.

CHRISTMAS EVE MASS: We are having a short practice on Monday 16th December at 8pm to prepare for the Mass. Wishing you all the very Best as we prepare for Christmas.

QUILTY CHOIR PRACTICE: Practice will be on Monday evening at 7.30pm in Quilty Church.

PARISH PASTORAL GROUP: Next meeting for the Parish Pastoral Group will be on Tuesday 17th December at 8.30pm in Fr. Tim's house. All members are asked to attend.

PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE FROM SHANNON WITH JOE WALSH

MULLAGH N.S.

There will be a mass in Mullagh NS on Friday 20th December at 10.45am to celebrate Sean McMahan's Secondment to be President of the INTO. All welcome. We wish Sean every success as he begins his work with the Irish National Teachers Organisation. We know that he will be a very effective and successful President of the organisation. Congratulations & best wishes.



A Childs Prayer

Thank You Jesus for coming to us,
For the shelter of the stable
For the love of Mary
For the care of Joseph
For the shepherds and the 3 Wise Men
For the donkey, the cow and the sheep.
Dear Jesus, bless me
Bless my family and friends
Help me to share my presents, my gifts,
My toys and my love.
Amen

Wishing you all a Happy Christmas
& Peaceful New Year

