MULLAGH - QUILTY - COORE PARISH NEWSLETTER

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SUNDAY 18TH APRIL 2021

Miltown/Moy Defib No: 065 7050199

DUE TO GOVERNMENT GUIDELINES, ALL MASSES ARE NOW AVAILALBE ONLINE WWW.KIBPARISH.IE/WEBCAM

<u>Weekday Mass times:</u>
Mass on Tuesday Wednesday Thursday

Mass on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday at 9.15am on www.kibparish.ie/webcam

SAT.17TH APRIL AT 12NOON IN QUILTY CHURCH

Michael Mungovan 1st Anniversary Mass

SAT.17TH APRIL AT 7.30PM IN MULLAGH CHURCH

Available to view **online only** www.kibparish.ie/webcam Fr. John Jnr Clancy 1st Anniversary

SAT.24TH APRIL AT 7.30PM IN MULLAGH CHURCH

Available to view **online only** www.kibparish.ie/webcam Special Intention

GROUPED ANNIVERSARY MASS FOR MAY

Will be on Saturday 1st May at 7.30pm from Mullagh Church www.kibparish.ie/webcam

DONATE BUTTON ON OUR KIB WEBSITE

We have a Donate button now on our www.kibparish.ie Webpage. For anyone that would like to Donate to the Parish this way, just click what collection your would like to donate to. Parish Funds. Priest Collection or Other collections - Mass Offerings: Anniversary/ Month's Mind Masses, Special Intentions, Bishops Conference, Education Fund, Sick & Retired Priests Fund, Trócaire, Mission Sunday, Mullagh Hall, Lourdes Invalid Fund, Church Flowers, Sacristan Coore - Sacristan Mullagh -Sacristan Quilty, Parish Fundraising Projects Sr. Ethel Normoyle Foundation. You can choose to make a once-off donation, or a weekly, monthly, quarterly or annual contribution. All donations are used for the day to day running of our Parish. These funds supplement our traditional weekly Basket & Development Fund collections. All cumulative donations to Parish Funds, Priests Collections & Other Collections totalling €250 in a calendar year are eligible for tax rebate. €250 is effectively increased to €362 at no extra cost to you.

Reflection The Wounds of Love

Those who care about others pick up a lot of wounds.

There may be no great wounds,
Only a multiplicity of little onesA host of scratches, wrinkles and welts.
But there can also be a lot of invisible wounds:
The furrows left on the mind and the heart
By hardship, worry and anxiety,
Disappointments, ingratitude, and betrayal.
These wounds are not things to be ashamed of.
They are badges of honour.

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They are proof of our love.
Jesus didn't hide his wounds.
Neither should we.
By his wounds we are healed.

KIB Parish Office Contact number is 085 1872212

Legion of Mary

The Legion of Mary will be on at 7pm on every Tuesday and will be available to view on the webcam from Mullagh Church. We would sincerely love for people to join in with these prayers by tuning in to www.kibparish.ie view our webcam

CHRISTIAN MEDITAION COURSE LED BY CAIT

Meditation will be on Tuesdays from 10am to 10.30am. Hope you can tune in and continue this special way of Meditiation. Any questions Contact Cait on What's App 0864534466 caitnil@gmail.com or email office@kibparish.ie Beannacht Mor Oraibh.

IRISH RED CROSS

The local Irish Red Cross have a bus available that takes people all over the county to hospital appointments. It is free of charge to the people of Clare. If you need to go to a hospital appointment or for treatment contact James Lafferty at 086 8323456

Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love you above all things,

And I desire to receive you into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive you sacramentally,
Come at least spiritually into my heart.
I embrace you as if you were already there
And unite myself wholly to you.

Never permit me to be separated from you. Amen

NEW MINISTRIES

At Baptism each of us were called and sent to each other in community.

We are called everyday too Minister to each other ("As the Father sent me so I am sending you")

At present in the Diocese 13 people are training for the Ministry of Pastoral Care. Their focus will be on reaching out to those who are vulnerable in our Parishes ie, the sick, the bereaved and those on the margins.

Rita O'Dwyer is training for the Ministry of Pastoral care from our Cluster. Rita has done the First Friday call many times before the lockdown and is engaged in a number of Pastoral initiatives in our cluster.

There are also 12 other people training for the Ministry of Catechist in the Diocese. It is very likely that preparation for the Sacraments will be taken out of the schools and so catechists will prepare the children for Baptism, First Communion and confirmation in the future.

The future of the faith in Ireland will depend on people within our communities handing on the wonderful gift of Faith.

I salute hugely those who have given their time to prepare for these two valuable Ministries and I ask you to support them and welcome them too, the future of faith in our parishes depends on their

generosity. Soon they will come to the end of their course and will be sent into our communities. The very future of Faith will depend on their good work.

ANNIVERSARY MASS MONEY

Thank you for your generous donation for Anniversary Masses.

The following money was donated recently:

€200 was donated to St. Vincent de Paul,

€200 was donated to Slainte an Chláir

€200 was donated to West Clare Cancer Centre

KIB Pastoral Council

Pastoral Council meeting on Zoom Thursday 22nd April at 7.30pm SUM OF MONEY: Found near the Parish Office, please call the Parish Office 085 1872212 if you lost a sum of money recently.

SUPPORT CONTACT NUMBERS:

ALONE 0818 222 024.
The Irish Red Cross Clare Area is (086)8323456
ADAPT Domestic Abuse: 1800 200 504
Clare Haven Services: 065 6822435

Women's Aid: 1800 341 900 / Pieta House: 1800 247 247 St. Vincent de Paul: 086 2168749 / ISPCC: 1800 666 666

Kilmurry Ibrickane Gaa Club

Whenever we needed your support you were there. We are here to support you now in these very challenging times.

Michael Considine 086 845 0848 Paul Shanahan 087 366 3739

Micheál Talty 087 990 1859

BANK OF IRELAND

The closure of the branch is a huge blow to the area and another blow to rural Ireland. Please lobby your local politicians and Bank of Ireland to keep the branch open. If the branch closes, please lobby Bank of Ireland to keep the ATM in Miltown. Protect our Local Community.

Overseas Volunteers Training Course September 2021 - Open to all!

Viatores Christi, a faith-based development organisation has specialised in the recruitment, training and deployment of overseas volunteers since 1960. VC runs an online volunteer preparation course covering Community Development, Health, Global Awareness, Mission, etc. This is open to all! Once completed, participants can be considered for volunteer roles through VC EU Aid Volunteers #EUAVI programmes. If you want to know more, click here or visit the News section of our website www.vcvolunteers.ie or

email info@viatoreschristi.com **KILMURRY IBRICKANE ONLINE BINGO**

Kilmurry Ibrickane Online Bingo continues every Monday night at 8PM. Games 1-8: Line = €30

Games 1-8: Full House = €100 Game 9 Jackpot Sheet: Line = €50

Game 9 Jackpot: €450 (On 45 numbers or less - If not won we play on for €100 Full House. Jackpot goes up €50 every week)

Buy your books before 12 noon Monday at the following link: www.kilmurryibrickanegaa.ie

For further information contact:

Michael Considine - (086) 8450848 You can also buy your book on www.kibparish.ie click on GAA Online Bingo Tab under View Webcam

KIB UNDERAGE TRAINING:

We're delighted that underage training will resume on Monday 26th of April. For all new and existing players,

your point of contact this year will be:

U17: Paul Hickey (087 913 8396) U15: John Talty (087 277 4501)

U13: Johnnie Daly (087 799 4919)

U11: Odhran O Dwyer (087 206 4434)

U9: Laurence Murray (085 748 6034) U7: Andrew Clancy (086 088 8324)

Mentors will be in contact with relevant groups shortly to confirm dates and times for 1st training session.

KIB CLUB MEMBERSHIP:

Club Membership for 2021, players and non-players, can now be registered and paid for online.

You can register via the GAA's registration platform: www.foireann.ie

For any questions relating to membership please

contact any of the following:

Minor Club Contacts:

Karen Egan Hogan (086 302 2979) Aoife Gavin (085 715 5195) Johnnie Daly (087 799 4919)

Senior Club Contacts:

Kevin Killeen (086 372 5345) Paul Shanahan (087 366 3739) Michael Considine (086 845 0848)

KIB PARISH OFFICE

Open Tuesday, Thursdays and Fridays from 9.30am to 3.30pm. Email: office@kibparish.ie or phone 085 1872212. Fr. Donagh 087 2322140 if you have any queries.

HOME HELP / CARER AVAILABLE:

Fetac Level 5, fully Vaccinated, 12 years experience in Hospital setting. Contact 086 0700211.

Phone calls to the housebound during Covid Lockdown

If you would like a phone call from a volunteer Parishioner just for a chat once a week please contact Fr. Donagh 087 2322140

REFLECTION - SERENITY PRAYER

Lord, grant me the serenity to accept things that I cannot change, the courage to change the things that I can and the wisdom to know the difference. Living one day at a time; Enjoying one moment at a time; Accepting hardships as the pathway to peace.

Taking, as Christ did, this

sinful world as it is, Not as I would have it,
Trusting that he will

make all things right. If I surrender to his will; So that I may be

reasonably happy in this life and supremely happy with him forever in the next. Amen.

Sacristan in Quilty Church

Applications are invited for the position of Sacristan in Quilty church. Please send your C.V. and letter of Application to: The Chairperson of Kilmurry Ibrickane Pastoral Council c/o The Parish Office, Carhuligane, Mullagh, Co. Clare V95 TH52. Applications must be with us by Friday 30th April.

BISHOP FINTAN CALLS FOR REFLECTION ON WHERE WE GO INTO THE FUTURE AS A DIOCESE.

In his Easter letter Bishop Fintan reflects that the Church in the Diocese of Killaloe will be very different post Covid.

"With the declining number of people that are living in rural areas, rural population- Its a two tier system in many ways - You just wonder how small churches will be able to be sustained in to the future.

Certainly with the decline of the number of Priests on top of that and then the decline then further of people attending Mass there is going to be a completely different reality in the short term when we get back so I am trying to alert people to begin to start thinking together how will we sustain small communities into the future. We need to develop lay leadership and ministry otherwise our rural

leadership and ministry otherwise our rural communities will be devastated. In order to address this situation we encourage the gifts and talents of local men and women and train them for the future, this is a challenge for us now.

Bíodh Deireadh Seachtaine álainn agaibh gach duine!