

Kilmurry Ibrickane Parish Newsletter

Sunday 1st February 2026

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

Masses for the week:

Tuesday & Wednesday – Mass at 10am in Mullagh
Mass - Thursday at 9.30am & Friday at 10am in Miltown

QUILTY CHURCH: Saturday 31st January at 7.15pm

James & Bridie Kelleher

Paddy McCarthy & deceased members of the McCarthy family

Pat & Mary Ann Clancy

Mickey Talty

Martin, Delia & Martin Jnr Donnellan, Quilty & Chicago

Carol & Martin Power

Brian O'Brien

John Joe Murrihy

Bridget & Patrick Neylon & deceased family members

Christy Pender – 5th anniversary

COORE CHURCH: Sunday 1st February at 9.30am

Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion (Rosary at 9.05am)

MULLAGH CHURCH: Sunday 1st February at 11am

Special Intention

MILTOWN MALBAY CHURCH:

Cissy Griffin months mind mass in Miltown Church on Saturday 7th February at 10.30am

MULLAGH CHURCH: Saturday 7th February at 11.30am

Margaret O'Doherty 1st Anniversary

QUILTY CHURCH: Saturday 7th February at 2.30pm

Margaret Downes Months Mind

QUILTY CHURCH: Saturday 7th February at 7.15pm

Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion (Rosary at 6.55pm)

COORE CHURCH: Sunday 8th February at 9.30am

Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion (Rosary at 9.05am)

MULLAGH CHURCH: Sunday 8th February at 11am

Bernie Morrissey 1st Anniversary

Martin & Bridget Donnellan & deceased family members

Teresa Donnellan

John & Joan Looney

Tone & Kitty Darcy, Mullagh Village

Benny Donnellan

Pat Joe Donnellan

Mike Sullivan

Monica & JJ Kelly

Pat Joe McNamara & deceased family members

Francis Comber, Carhuligane

John Donnellan 8th Anniversary

Joe Corry

Pat & Michael McDonald

Candles for home use will be blessed on Sunday and Tuesday morning at Mass times.

WEEKEND 7th & 8th Feb 2025

QUILTY CHURCH

Eucharistic Minister: Michael Kelleher

Reader: Enda

COORE CHURCH:

Eucharistic Minister: Mary Nugent

1st February – Blan Sexton

8th February – Áine Sexton

15th February – Patricia McCarthy

22nd February – Catherine Corry

MULLAGH CHURCH :

Eucharistic Minister: Maureen O'Grady & Olive O'Loughlin

Reader: Ann Lynch

GROUPED ANNIVERSARY MASSES IN OUR PARISH:

Mullagh Church Sunday 8th February 2026 at 11am

Quilty Church Saturday 28th Feb 2026 at 7.15pm

Coore Church Sunday 22nd Feb 2026 at 9.30am

Please book anniversary Mass through Parish Office

0851872212 or email: office@kibparish.ie

KIB Parish Open Tuesday, Thursday & Friday from 9.15am to

2.45pm. Facebook: Kilmurry Ibrickane Parish

Bingo in Miltown Malbay Community Hall on Tuesday 3rd February at 8.30pm. €4000 pro rata.. All are welcome.

PARISHES GATHERING - ALL WELCOME

The parishes of Kilmurry Ibrickane & Miltown Malbay & Moy warmly invite all parish volunteers, helpers, and members of the wider community to a special Parish Gathering.

Saturday, February 7th at 8:00pm

Westbridge, Miltown Malbay

 Music by P.J. & Seamus Murrihy

Free Tea/Coffee & finger food

Meet for a chat , music, dance and community spirit .

Everyone is very welcome.

Date for your diary

Mullagh Entire Drama Group

Present Widows Paradise 3 Act Comedy by Sam Cree in Mullagh Parish Hall on Friday 27th February, Sunday 1st March and Saturday 7th March... More details to follow!!!

STAR OF THE SEA CHURCH, QUILTY

We recently put a new floor down in Star of the Sea Church Quilty, it will cost in the region of €15,000. We appeal to you for your support, please put your contribution in the envelopes marked "Quilty Church Repair" Fund and drop them into the basket. If you know anybody living abroad who have connections to Quilty. We ask you to inform them that we are fundraising for the Church.

Bank details: IBAN: ie03aibk93515810031026 BIC: aibk2d

Account Name: Bishop of Killaloe Mullagh Parish Account

Please use Quilty Church as reference.

On 2nd December we carpeted Star of the Sea Church in Quilty. The carpet will cost €4950 plus labour cost. We ask for your support.

QUILTY NATIONAL SCHOOL ENROLMENT

We have now begun the enrolment process for 2026/2027. If you would like your child to attend our school please email quiltynationalschool@gmail.com or message our Facebook page 'Quilty National School' for more information, an application form and copies of our Admission notice and policy.

COORE NATIONAL SCHOOL warmly welcomes enquiries and enrolments for September 2026 from families within the local and wider community. A caring, inclusive and supportive environment is provided for children at Coore NS and the needs of the child are well supported by experienced and dedicated staff. Please visit our

Facebook Profile to gather a glimpse of our fun days at Coore school. Parents and guardians who are considering enrolment for their child are invited to contact the school for further information or to arrange a visit. You are welcome to email the office at coorenational@gmail.com or telephone 065-7087592.

GAEILSC0IL IOSEF NAOFA, Maigh - "Ag clárú anois"

Gaelscoil Iosef Naofa, Moy, are now accepting enrolments for the 2026/2027 school year. We would love to invite all prospective parents and children to our open evening on Tuesday 24th February 6pm to 7pm. Come and meet our school team, visit the classrooms and enjoy a cuppa and refreshments. School bus route serves Ennistymon, Lahinch, Spanish Point and Miltown Malbay. To confirm attendance please email scoiliosef@gmail.com

Enrolment application forms are available on our school website, www.gaelscoilmagh.ie or email the school on scoiliosef@gmail.com and we will get back to you.

CONCERTINA CRUINNÍU, 2026: The 14th Concertina Cruinníu

organised by Oidhreacht an Chláir, with continued support from the Arts Council, will be held on February 13-15 in Miltown Malbay, comprising classes for all grades, lectures and recitals, and free public sessions. The Cuallacht an Chonsairtín concert on Saturday 14, at 8.30 pm in the Community Centre, will feature Francis Droney, Claire Keville, John McMahon, Ríona Healy (winner of Bonn Óir Seán Ó Riada, 2026), Gráinne Ahern and Brendan Gillanders. The lectures and recitals are (1) The Clare launch of "Across the Atlantic", a CD by Andrew Caden and Conor McDonagh (Friday, 8.30 pm, Community Centre), (2) Lecture, Stephen Chambers "The origins and development of the Concertina, illustrated with rare, original and antique instruments" (Saturday, 2.00pm, Community Centre), and (3) an intimate short Concert in The Listening Room featuring Noel Hill, Andrew Caden and Conor McDonagh (Saturday, 5.00-6.00pm, Westbridge).

Free public sessions: Saturday, 3.30pm – 4.30pm: Open Junior Session led by Bríd O'Donohue & Liam O'Brien (St Joseph's National School), and Open Intermediate Session led by Michelle O'Sullivan and Áine O'Connell (Community Centre). Open Adult Session led by Edel Fox and Neill Byrne (3.30pm – 5.00pm, Cleary's Bar, Blonde's); and on Sunday, 2.30pm-5.30pm: Songs and Tunes with Tim Dennehy, Seán Lyons, Bernie Geraghty, John Kelly, Aoife Kelly and Charlie Le Brun (The Forge at the Players Bar), plus Cosán Ceoil (Friday & Saturday nights, 10.00pm in selected pubs). Full details at www.concertinacruinniu.ie.

Winter Activity Futsal in the Hall in Mullagh starting Thursday 5th Feb!

<https://forms.gle/ajpJ2Vx264Q1ZMZPA>

Girls only session from 4.45 to 5.45pm

Boys session 3rd & 4th class 5.45pm to 6.45pm

Boys session 5th & 6th class 6.45 to 7.45pm

Classes limited to 16 per class

Step 1 registration

Step 2 we will send payment link

Cost of 4 sessions is 30 euro in total per person.

SYMPATHY: We offer our sympathy, support and prayers to the family, relatives and friends of Lourda Conway, mother of Samantha Carey. Rest in Peace Lourda.

BAPTISM: We welcome into our community Tierna O'Connell, baptised in Coore Church this weekend.

PRIMARY SCHOOL TEACHER available locally who is available mid week for grinds in Literacy/Maths/Irish. Please contact 086-2099038 for more details

MEDJUGORJE PILGRIMAGES 2026: Direct flights to Monstar – Medjugorje – Shannon to Medjugorje in half the time. 13th May to 20th May 2026 €845. 2nd-9th September 2026 €865. 9th – 16th September 2026 €865. Prices increase to €895 & €915 after 20th January. 7 night group pilgrimage with James Considine, Fr. Joe Hayes (May) and Fr. Martin Shanahan as Spiritual Directors. Contact James Considine 065 9059328 - 085 7385385

CLARECARE IS HIRING! We're looking for Home Support Workers throughout Co. Clare. Make a difference every day – join our caring and dedicated team. Contact us today on 065 689 4209 or 086 7713229, email narroll@clarecare.ie or apply online: clarecare.ie/recruitment

KIB Sports Lotto: 26/01/2026 Jackpot – €5,400 07,17,18,30 €100 winner: Chris Power, Quilty €20 winners: Philip Mulcahy c/o J Egan. Chris Power, Quilty. Ger Mescall, Clonadrum. Shane Cahill, Mountscott. Conor Fitzpatrick, New Zealand. Next draw: Cooneys on 02/02/2025 Next Jackpot €5,600.

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

GROW MENTAL HEALTH- Friendly Community based groups for anyone experiencing mental health issues by empowering people to nurture their positive wellbeing by supporting personal growth through education, peer support and self-teaching. Ennis Meeting- Maria Assumpta Hall. Monday

7.30pm/Tuesday 2pm. Contact Celia 086-1526966/grow.ie
MID-WEST PARKINSONS - free classes provided every Friday in Miltown Malbay Community Hall at 2pm for people living with Parkinsons. Music/Movement Class followed by Voice Therapy/Singing Class. All welcome! If interested or for further information, please contact either Mary on 086 1720191 or Marianne on 086 8056350.

SMART TECHNOLOGIES AND DEVICES COURSE at Further Education and Training Campus, Ballard Road, Miltown Malbay. This course covers a range of functions and features on your smart phone or tablet. You will learn how to modify your device's settings to your own preferences. The course will enable you to download and use new Apps and to make the most of the Apps you have. Contact us at 086 1853 953 or email jillian.harty@lcetb.ie

SPREADSHEETS COURSE L3 at Further Education and Training Campus, Ballard Road, Miltown Malbay. Are you ready to boost your digital skills and make data work for you? This course is designed to equip learners with practical tools to confidently use spreadsheet applications for everyday tasks and professional needs. This course makes it simple, practical and relevant to your needs. Contact us at 086 1853 953 or email jillian.harty@lcetb.ie

REFLECTION

Bridget, you were a woman of peace.

You brought harmony where there was conflict.

You brought light to the darkness.

You brought hope to the downcast.

May the mantle of your peace cover those who are troubled and anxious.

And may peace be firmly rooted in our hearts and in our world.

Inspire us to act justly and to reverence all God has made.

Bridget, you were a voice for the wounded and the weary.