MULLAGH / QUILTY / COORE------PARISH NEWSLETTER

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SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR "A" 20 / 01 / 2008

MULLAGH

Sat. 19th@ 8pm. J. & Peg Clancy

Sun. 20th@11am. Meade Family, Moloskey

Fri. 25th@ 8pm. Willie Pierce

Sat. 26th@ 8pm. Denis, Celia & Michael Naughton

Margaret & Paddy Morrissey

Sun. 27th@11am. Mary Margaret O'Brien

QUILTY

Sat. 19th@ 7pm. Barbara Wooley Sun. 20th@ 9am. Síle O'Connor, Quilty Sat. 26th@ 7pm. Carol Power, Quilty

COORE

Sun.20th@10am. Michael (Snr) & Michael (Jnr) O'Looney Tue.22nd@11am. Seán, Thomas & Sarah O'Keeffe. Dromin

Sat. 26th@12noon James Sexton. Month's Mind Sat. 26th@ 1pm. Kathleen Curtin. Month's Mind

Sun.27th@10am. Edward Bracken

READERS - 3RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 27 / 01 / 2008

MULLAGH: Sat. 26th@ 8pm. Lisa Flynn

Sun. 27th@11am. Mary Clancy

COORE: Sun. 27th@10am. Maoliosa Ní Chleirigh

QUILTY: Sat. 26th@ 7pm. Eimear Murnane

Sun. 27th@ 9am. Karen Galvin

SYMPATHY: We offer our sympathy, support & prayers to the family, relatives & friends of Nellie Cleary, Doonbeg relative of Anne Marie Doyle, Annagh N.S. who was buried this week end.

CONFIRMATION CORE GROUP: A meeting of the Core Group of Confirmation Parents who volunteered to assist with the Rituals will take place on Monday 21 January at 8pm. in the Meeting Room, Mullagh.

PARISH FINANCE: A meeting of the Parish Finance Group will take place on Wednesday 23 January at 9pm. in Fr Pat's house. This meeting will work with the Parish Returns to the Diocese for 2007.

BISHOPS' COMMISSIONS: This collection will be taken up next weekend the 26/27 January at all masses and supports the work of the Irish Church through the various Bishops' Commissions, the diocesan contribution towards the Galway Regional Marriage Tribunal & Cura. We ask your generous support for the work of these agencies who work on behalf of the Irish Church at this time. We ask that no other collections take place next weekend.

K.I.B. LOTTO / WWW.LOCALLOTTO.IE: Lucky numbers for last week were 2, 11, 14, 23. No Jackpot Winner. €100 Winner was Rita Ryan, Quilty. €20 winners were Ida M. Sexton, Craggaknock. Sarah Pilkington, Coore. Daniel Egan, Clonadrum. Dan Daly, Kilmurry. Michael Egan, Clonadrum. NEXT WEEK'S JACKPOT €6,300. Draw on Monday 21/01/'08 will take place in "MORONEY'S".

LOURDES: 150th Anniversary of the Apparitions of Our Lady to St Bernadette. Special Clare Pilgrimage for 7 nights on 31 July. Spiritual Director: Fr Michael Mc Inerney. There are numerous Pilgrimages available ex Shannon, May – October including Killaloe Diocesan, June 26 & October 2. Contact Ann at Tom Mannion Travel 065 6824211.

MULLAGH FAS C.E. SCHEME: The Mullagh FAS C.E. Scheme has a vacancy for a general operative. Usual eligibility criteria apply. Contact Nuala on 087 2079564 for further information.

"NOSTRA": This is a Theology Programme being run by Mary Immaculate College in Limerick. It is a flexible programme that allows students to get involved both in the Academic and in the Pastoral Sphere. There will be an information night on the Programme in the West County Hotel, Ennis on Tuesday 22 January at 7.30pm. Course directors Eamonn Fitzgibbon and Eugene Duffy will attend.

ST MICHAEL'S COMMUNITY COLLEGE, KILMIHIL: The Board of Management of the College cordially invites the parents and guardians of 6th class students and prospective students to an Information Evening on Monday 21 January at 7.30pm.

<u>DANCE MASTERS</u>: School of Dance are running "Hip Hop" dance classes in the Cooraclare Hall on Monday evenings, 4 to 8yrs 5pm.-6pm. 9 to 12yrs 6pm. - 7pm. 13yrs and up 7pm. to 8pm. Cost of classes €5.60. For more details contact Shelly 086 1703053.

ACCOMMODATION: The Willie Clancy Summer School will be held this year from 5 - 13 July 2008. A new accommodation list is being drawn up and will be published shortly. The committee of the school is very anxious to be made aware of any extra accommodation available in the Miltown, Spanish Point, Quilty or Mullagh area. Please contact the directors of the school immediately on 7084148 or 7084281. Once the list is published it will be distributed worldwide to students seeking to attend the school. This service is provided free for all accommodation providers in the locality.

DRAWING & PAINTING CLASSES: Classes will be held at the West Clare Resource Centre, Ballard Road, Miltown and will commence on Thursday 31 January at 7.30pm. Classes will run for 8 weeks and the price will again be €80. for further information contact 065 6839383 or 086 8074125 or visit www.andrewnewland.com

LOURDES 2008: This year the eyes of the Catholic world are focused on Lourdes as an expected seven million pilgrims will flock to the Shrine to celebrate the 150th Anniversary of the apparitions of Our Blessed Lady to St Bernadette. The whole year December 8 2007 to December 8 2008 is being celebrated as a special Jubilee Year. Bookings are now open for both the June and October pilgrimages. The June pilgrimage departs Shannon on 26 June for five nights. Cost is €665 full board per person sharing and includes all extras. The sick will be cared for in the new Hospital; invalid fare is €530 fully inclusive. Bookings for pilgrims should be sent to the official agents Joe Walsh Tours, 9 Lower Bagott St, Dublin 2 (tel. 01 2410800). Medical forms for the sick can be obtained from Cannon Brendan O'Donoghue, 12 Tullyglass Square, Shannon (061 361257). Because our hospital allocation is only 60 places initial preference will be given to the young sick and first time sick pilgrims