

# MULLAGH - QUILTY - COORE PARISH NEWSLETTER

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## SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT “A” 20/03/’11

### MASSES FOR THE COMING WEEK

#### MULLAGH

Sun. 20<sup>th</sup>@11am. Confirmation Ritual

Mon. 21<sup>st</sup>@10am. Michael Joe Lynch

Sun. 27<sup>th</sup>@11am. Johnny & Bridie Murray  
Margaret Morrissey, Ballymakea  
Ollie Conway  
Christy Scales  
P.J. Brew  
Martin & Bridget Donnellan & Family Members, Carhunagry

#### QUILTY

Sat. 19<sup>th</sup>@7pm. Daniel Madigan 1st Anniversary  
Mary Frances Mungovan Months Mind

Sat. 26<sup>th</sup>@7pm. John, Marian & Christine McCarthy, Clohaninchy

#### COORE

Sun. 20<sup>th</sup>@9.30am. P.J. McMahon 1st Anniversary

Sun. 27<sup>th</sup>@9.30pm. Carmel O’Looney  
Patrick, Ellen & James Sexton

### THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT 27/03/’11

#### READERS

#### MULLAGH

Sun. 27<sup>th</sup>@11am. Mairéad Clancy

#### QUILTY

Sat. 26<sup>th</sup>@7pm. Bernie Ryan

#### COORE

Sun. 27<sup>th</sup>@9.30am. Michael King

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

#### MULLAGH

Sun. 27<sup>th</sup>@11am. Maureen O’Grady & Antoinette Donnellan

#### QUILTY

Sat. 26<sup>th</sup>@7pm. Bernie Ryan & Ann O’Kelly

#### COORE

Sun. 27<sup>th</sup>@9.30am. Anne Hanrahan & Blath Sexton

### ALTAR SERVERS

#### MULLAGH

Sun. 27<sup>th</sup>@ 11am. Group B

#### QUILTY

Sat. 26<sup>th</sup>@7pm. Group B

#### COORE

Sun. 27<sup>th</sup>@9.30am. Group A

### AND THEY SAW HIS GLORY

They saw his glory and were surprised. We see his glory all around us and often do not notice it, and when we do notice it, we were surprised.

Christ in the surprise of a January flower, Christ in the discovery of new love, Christ in the offering and welcoming of reconciliation, Christ in the tireless efforts of men and women of peace.

In the schoolroom in a city slum where a teacher for a low salary transforms the lives of the poor who are God’s favourites,

**And they saw his glory** in the efforts to free those imprisoned unjustly by regimes which feed their own greed,

In the hours of listening in a marriage, in the time spent watching in love over a sick child, in caring for the sick, the lonely, the old, in all those times we go out of our own cares, big or small, to enter the cares of others.

**And they saw his glory:** and in such moments we too see his glory.

### MASS TIMES:

Saturday Vigil - Quilty 7pm

Sunday - Coore 9.30am & Mullagh 11am

Monday to Saturday - Mullagh 10am

### Anniversary Masses

All announced Anniversary Masses, with the exception of Months Mind and First Anniversary Masses will be celebrated at two Sunday Masses each month in Mullagh Church, two Sunday Masses each month in Coore Church and two Saturday evening Masses each month in Quilty Church. The dates for April are Sunday 10th & Sunday 17th in Mullagh & Coore Church and Saturday 9th & Saturday 16th in Quilty Church. We ask that all Masses are booked through the Parish Office on 065 7087161 open from 9.30am to 1.30pm

**SYMPATHY:** We offer our sympathy, support and prayers to the family, friends and relatives of Sarah Nugent, Dromeliny West, Cooraclare, sister of Teresa McMahon, Finuremore, Mullagh : Marty Marrinan, Cooraclare who was buried during the week.

**MARRIAGE BLESSING:** We congratulate and wish every blessing to Paula Casey, Mullagh & Edward Warren, Athy, Co. Kildare who were married in Mullagh Church last weekend.

**DIAMOND JUBILEE:** Congratulations to Canon James Morrissey who celebrated the 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of his Ordination on 11 March 2011 in Swansea with his family and friends . A native of Ballymakea, he received his primary education in Quilty National School. He continued with his secondary education in Ennistymon CBS and later at St. Flannan’s College Ennis. After completing his education he trained for the priesthood in St. John’s College, Waterford. He was ordained on 11 March 1951 at St. Flannan’s College, Ennis and celebrated his first holy mass in the Star of the Sea Church Quilty. Following his ordination he ministered in the Archdiocese of Cardiff. Now retired and living in Swansea he provides Chaplaincy to the Morrison Hospital.

**FIRST RECONCILLATION:** Congratulations and every blessing to the boys and girls from Mullagh N.S. who received the sacrament of First Reconciliation during last week. We ask you to keep them in your prayers : Gavin O’Connor, Dean Griffin, Ricky McMahon, Klara Baker, Eilish Conway, Amy Sexton & Catriona Egan.

**‘YOU SHALL BE MY WITNESSES’:** This is a Parish based series of nights where we invite all our young people who are preparing for Confirmation to take part in. The next night to be held at Spraoi, Miltown Malbay on Friday 25 March from 8pm to 9pm.

**CONFIRMATION RITUAL:** The next Confirmation Ritual will take place in Mullagh Church on Sunday 20 March during 11am Mass.

**‘DO THIS IN MEMORY’:** Our next prayer ritual in preparation for First Holy Communion will take place in Coore Church on Sunday 27 March during 9.30am Mass. A practice for this Ritual will take place in Coore Church on Thursday 24 March at 7pm.

**SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT:** On this second Sunday in Lent please remember little Digna, who appears on this year’s Trócaire Box. Her family are living in poverty and in fear in northern Honduras. For almost 40 years the change from the Trócaire box has been transforming lives and giving the poor a voice. Please give Digna and her community a voice this Lent. For more information on the campaign visit [www.trocaire.org/lent](http://www.trocaire.org/lent) or call 1850 408 408.

**PARISH FINANCE GROUP:** A meeting of Parish Finance Groups from Parishes in the area will take place in the Bellbridge House Hotel on Thursday 24 March at 8pm. Diocesan officials will be present on the night. We encourage all members of our Parish Finance Group to be present.

**I.W.A.:** The Irish Wheelchair Association would like to thank everyone who helped out and supported last weekends Church Gate Collection. Total amount collected was €986.25.

**THE IRISH HEART FOUNDATION:** Will hold its annual Church Gate Collection on Saturday 26 & Sunday 27 March 2011 at all Masses. The Irish Heart Foundation, fighting heart disease & stroke in Ireland.

**PEMBA NON UNIFORM DAY:** A sincere thanks to the pupils & staff of Mullagh N.S. who held a no uniform day on Wednesday last in support of Pemba. Total raised was €200.

**GRAVEYARD CLEAN UP:** In the recent past great care and attention has been given to all our graveyards. At present there is a lot of rubbish being dumped in Mullagh Graveyard, old wreaths, flowerpots. We ask that all these be taken away, so that we can continue to provide a tidy, clean, presentable sacred place for all our loved ones.

**MARIAN PILGRIMAGES:** 30th Anniversary of Medjugorje. Departing from Shannon on 10 September 2011 €639 full inclusive. €50 deposit secures €639, after 30 April price of €669 applies. Please contact Frances Sexton 065 7084075 for more information.

**HOLY SOULS CRUSADE PILGRIMAGE TO GARABANDAL:** (50th Anniversary Year). Sunday 15 – Sunday 22 May. Dublin – Santander (Stansted - Santander for UK pilgrims) 7 nights (5 at full board) + day trips SP. DIR. to be confirmed Details: Mary Mullins: 091-798407 / 087-2255739

**HOLY SOULS CRUSADE PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND:** From Wednesday October 19 – Friday October 28. Direct from Dublin. 9 nights – 5 in Bethlehem & 4 in Tiberius. SP. DIR. Fr. Patrick Bluett. €1160 PPS. incl. taxes, half board & day trips Details: Mary Mullins: 091-798407 / 087-2255739 or CELEBRATION TRAVEL – 051-396448

**ENNIS PADRE PIO PRAYER GROUP:** Trip to Rome, San Giovanni, Subiaco, & Nettuno, accompanied by Bishop Kieran O’Reilly, September 5 -12 from Cork. Spiritual Director Fr. Tom Hogan, Adm., Ennis Cathedral. Contact Máire Coll at 086 8804603 for more information.

**K.I.B. LOTTO / WWW.LOCALLOTTO.IE:** Lucky numbers for last week were 06, 13, 24, 25. NO JACKPOT WINNER. €100 winner: Celia Considine, Clohaninchy. €20 winners - Diarmuid O’Riordan, Quilty. Connie Baylon, Newmarket. Marion Malone, Miltown. Frank Mee c/o ML Talty. Kevin Hanrahan, Clounlaheen. **NEXT WEEK’S JACKPOT €3,600.** Next draw will take place on Monday 21/03/’11. Venue: “O’Kelly’s”. Support KIB Sports Lotto on [www.localotto.ie](http://www.localotto.ie)

**MOTHERS PRAYER:** (mothers coming together to pray for their children): St John’s Rest, Knock Shrine, Co Mayo on Saturday: 26 March 10 a.m. and finishing with Mass at 5 p.m. Sunday: 27 March 10 a.m. and finishing with Mass at 4 p.m. You are very welcome, even if only for a short time. Any queries: 091 771009 or email: [mothersprayersireland@gmail.com](mailto:mothersprayersireland@gmail.com)

**‘THE PROCESSION OF LIFE’:** Monday 21 March at 8 p.m. in the chapter house of Ennis Cathedral. "The procession of life " Evolution and Faith, a talk and discussion, Led by Rev. Dr John Parkin, a geologist and Methodist minister. All welcome. Further information: 087 9888 508 and [shannoncoclare.wordpress.com](http://shannoncoclare.wordpress.com)

**ARTHRITIS IRELAND** Get your Joints in Motion will take place in the Phoenix Park on May 7. Its fun, it’s inspiring and because it’s a walk for people with arthritis in aid of people with arthritis, it’s a great way to meet hundreds of others who are managing their arthritis in a positive way! (Not to mention the significant health benefits you’ll receive from walking). Sign up today, be part of the growing movement and raise funds that will work to control and cure arthritis. Call Louise on 01 6470209! P.s bring your pets and your pals, let walk with pride and

change the face of arthritis in Ireland today!

**LOOKING FOR ARTISTS & CRAFT WORKERS:** The Vandeleur Walled Garden in Kilrush will be holding an Open Day with Plant Sale and an Easter Art & Craft Fair in the meeting room on the 24 April. We are currently looking for interested artists and craft workers who would like an opportunity to have a table at this event. If you are interested, please contact us with your details and we will send you an application form. Tel: 065 – 9051760 or email [info@vandeleurwalledgarden.ie](mailto:info@vandeleurwalledgarden.ie). Last applications will be accepted on or before the 1 April. Spaces are limited and submission of an application does not guarantee a place as we are trying to accommodate a wide variety of arts & crafts.

### THE WEST CLARE COMMUNITY SERVICES

**PROGRAMME:** They will be holding the next Tea Dance at The Boree Log in Lissycasey on Sunday March 27th, from 3pm to 6pm with music by The Seasideers. All are welcome.

**QUILTY N.S.:** New pupils wishing to attend Quilty N.S. next September can contact the school for an application form on 065-7087250.

**WANTED VOLUNTEER ADVOCATES:** The National Advocacy Programme is looking for people who would like to become a volunteer advocate for older people in residential care. The aim is to empower older people in residential care to voice their needs and wishes and assert their rights. Volunteers must be willing to undergo training and Garda vetting. We are currently recruiting for the Counties Galway and Clare. Please contact Anne Harris at 045 988 310 or [anne.harris1@hse.ie](mailto:anne.harris1@hse.ie) for further information.

**CURA:** CURA provides a range of supports and services to women dealing with unplanned pregnancy. We also provide counselling and support services for the baby’s father and other family members at any time during pregnancy. CURA services are free, confidential and non-judgemental. National Helpline: 1850 622 626.

**POST MASTECTOMY CLINIC:** The annual Post Mastectomy Fitting Clinic will be held at 'The Henry Street Clinic', Kilrush on Thursday 31 March 2011 from 11-1pm and 2-5pm. For further information and appointment time please phone Dr Zita Fitzpatrick, Galway 086-2624385 or Gemma Keating 087 2745445.

**ANAM CARA BEREAVEMENT EVENT:** Midway Maldron Hotel, Portlaoise Bypass Anam Cara is a national voluntary support organisation set up by bereaved parents to provide support and understanding to families who have experienced the tragic death of a precious son or daughter. The guest Speaker for the evening is Brid Carroll, she will give her talk on “Coping with loss when a child dies”. Date: Thursday 31 March 2011. Venue: The Midway Maldron Hotel, Portlaoise Bypass, Co. Laois. Time: 7.30pm – 9.30pm Cost: All Anam Cara services are offered free of charge to our parents. Anam Cara will be facilitating other similar events in the coming months around Ireland, see our website for more information. As we need to confirm numbers for room set up, we would appreciate if you could RSVP to [info@anamcara.ie](mailto:info@anamcara.ie) before the 30 March 2011, or call 01 4045378.

**DEEP OCEAN IMAGES:** Underwater and land based photography. Contact John Flynn 086 8177185 or email John on: [johnflynn@hotmail.com](mailto:johnflynn@hotmail.com)

**LOOSE LBS AND DONATE EUROS FOR BREAST CANCER:** Weigh in on Thursday 24 March at 6pm in the Meeting Room, Mullagh and every Thursday evening at 6pm for Lent. All are welcome.

### Mullagh Entire Drama Group Presents their 10th Annual Production

#### A WAKE IN THE WEST

A Three Act Comedy  
By Michael J. Ginnelly  
For One Final Night!!

Venue: Mullagh Hall on Sunday 20th March  
Doors open at 7.30pm  
Curtains at 8.30pm sharp  
Admission Adults: €8 Children: €5

Come along for a good laugh.

### DEFIBRILLATOR PHONE NUMBERS

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