
PARISH OFFICE: The Parish Office will be closed from Monday 25 April to Thursday 28 April, re-opening on Friday 29 April at 9.30am. If you have any queries regarding your news for 1st May edition, please email to parishoffice@kilmurrybickrane.com or drop in the letter box of the office. Thank You.

MACROOM APARTMENT WEEKEND FOR WOMEN REDEMPTORISTINE SISTERS: Friday 13 May - Sunday 15 May 2011. Single women interested in finding out more about monastic vocation may wish to join us for a night of prayer, reflection and work for the weekend. Preferred age 25-45. Places limited. Sr Gabrielle OssR, Monastery of St Alphonsus, St Alphonsus Road, Dublin 9. Contact: Sr Gabrielle of 086 816 479 E-mail: Gabrielle.fre@redemptoris.c or www.redruns.com

HEALING PROGRAMME FOR PEOPLE BEREAVED BY SUICIDE: Parric, Mullagh, Connemara 1st Sunday May at 10.30am. Piaras Meehan and unique participating of a family member or friend? It could help to meet and share with others in the same position as yourself at a Healing Programme at The Temple Gate Hotel, Ennis, starting at 8.30am on Monday May 2nd and continuing for eight consecutive Wednesdays. Please feel welcome to come. If you would like further information phone 086 0565373 or leave a message they will call you back.

KILRUSH FAMILY RESOURCE CENTRE: Are hosting an Alzheimer Tea Day on 5th May at 10.00 -1.00 in the Coffee Hut at Kilmurry Bickrane. There will be cakes and crafts and a raffle. For information contact Vio 065-9052173. Celebrating International Day of the Family on 15 May with crafts, BBQ and a Jumble Sale. You can drop your unwanted items off in the centre from Monday until the Sunday.

WEST CLARE FAMILY RESOURCE CENTRE: 17/18 Main Street, Ennis. 1st A.M. of each month in Mullagh Church, 2nd A.M. of each month in Coore Church and two Saturday evening Masses each month in Quilty Church. The dates for May are Sunday 15th & 29th in Mullagh and Coore Church and Saturday 14th and 28th in Quilty Church. We ask that all Masses are booked through the Parish Office on 065 7087161 open from 9.30am to 1.30pm Monday to Friday.

MULLAGH TIDY VILLAGE COMMITTEE: Will hold a meeting on Wednesday 27 April at 9pm in The Meeting Room, Mullagh. They are always in need of community and individual ideas to keep the village looking lovely. All suggestions welcome. For more information, phone 087 2052687.

BEST FOOT FORWARD 2011: There are still a number of places holding a 5km, run or walk on Monday 2 May in Quilty at 12noon. Registration will commence at 11am. Entry: adults €15, children €8.50 for 1st 3 senior men,1st 3 senior women 1st lady, 1st u/18 boys & girls. There will be a pre-registration night on the Saturday 30th of April at the Clubhouse on Sunday 31st at 7.30pm in The Square, Mullagh. Sunday 1 May between 11.30am-12.30pm.

BROADFORD MINI MARATHON: This will take place on Easter Sunday April 24th at the Broadford Parish Hall. Race starts at 2pm from the Parish Office. Registration fee for adults is €20 and for children is €10. A general meeting will take place on Tuesday 26 April in Mullagh Hall at 8pm - 9.30pm. All interested groups and committees are invited to attend.

RCAI CECLUB: May 01st - May 31st. The Clare Limerick Counties Cloud of Honour is the special club for the month of May.

CAKES FOR ALL OCCASIONS: Birthday cakes, Communion & Confirmation Cakes and Cakes for all occasions. Contact Mary Clancy (065)7087157, Patsy Frawley (065)7087416 and at Beatrice O'Dwyer's Shop, Quilty. In the light of our new way of celebrating and remembering loved ones, many are asking 'what is the proper offering'. A Priest is only allowed to keep one Mass stipend (offering) a day. A priest is not allowed to keep two Mass stipends (offerings) a day. By Tuesday 17 May 2011, each priest will be obliged to record the second stipend (offering) to Missions or to the choirs and choir directors, cantors and all involved in the music ministry, altar servers, readers, Eucharistic Ministers, sacristans, flower arrangers and others who decorated our Churches. The members of Parish Pastoral Council, the First Holy Communion children & their parents, to all those on our FÁS scheme who helped organise in many ways. Many thanks to you all.

DIABETES FEDERATION - CLARE SEEKS VOLUNTEERS FOR CLARE 10K: The Clare branch of the Diabetes Federation is looking for volunteers to walk or run and raise sponsorship money for important services provided by branch for people with diabetes. The Clare 10K takes place on Saturday, the 25 June in Lees Road Sports & Amenities Park. Every year, approximately 440 Irish people die, unnecessarily, because of Diabetes, and 314 Irish legs are amputated, unnecessarily, because of complications of Diabetes. Research shows that signs and symptoms of people with diabetes are provided with structured education on how to manage their diabetes that it reduces their risks of developing these diabetes complications. If you are interested in helping us contacting our mobile 087 679 5747 or email us at Clarebranchdiabetes@gmail.com for Sponsorship cards and t-shirts. Every cent counts as it is. We would hugely appreciate your support.

DIABETES MARATHON: CLARE: This is on Saturday 21 May. Walk, jog or run across the Burren Terrain. Take part in your favourite charity’s race on the terrain of your choice. For more information on the Burren Terrain, call the Tourism office. Out. Choice of half, full, mini or U10’s. Marathon. For more information and to enter phone 087 7771914 or visit: www.burrenmountainballet.com

KILNURRY BICKRANE COCOA: April from 10am - 4pm. Home made cakes, face painting, raffle, food. Admission €1. Contact Louise O’Neill, 087 6067010

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