Be merciful to me, a sinner.

Deep down we like to persuade ourselves. And even though we don’t say it aloud don’t we sometimes feel we’re better than others?

We can list for God our pilgrimages and fasts, our holy hours and prayer, our help to the poor. And almost want to be praised.

In itself, is that wrong? Hardly - but it becomes dangerous when we look down on others.

That’s the story today - the Pharisee was not a bad man, for he had led a good life but his fault was that he looked down on others.

To be at rights with God is to know that each of us depends on God for so much in life, that our faith and religion are gifts, our desire to help the poor is a gift, and that we should be grateful rather than boastful.

We thank God and others for what we have and are, rather than for what we do.

In each of us is the knowledge of evil and the knowledge that evil finds a home at times in each heart - the evil word and thought, the evil intention and desire, the ways we’d like to get even with others;

And there is the willingness to say, as did the tax-gatherer, ‘God, be merciful to me, a sinner,’ and know then what we are at rights with God. For in the eyes of God we are, each of us, sinners who are immensely loved.

SYMPATHY:

We offer our sympathy, support and prayer to the family, friends and relatives of John Brew, Finurebog, Mullagh who was buried on this day.

FIRST COMMUNION ENROLMENT & RITUAL: This will take place in Mullagh Church on Sunday 27 November. Mass. We ask you to remember the boys and girls who are preparing for these Sacraments.

SAINTS’ FEASTS: Monday 1 November is the Feast of All Saints. We celebrate and give thanks to God for the men and women who are not officially canonised by the Church, the holy men and women of every place and time, people that we ourselves have known and who are our neighbours in our community. Mass times on Monday 1 November Mullagh 11am. Quilty 7.30pm. Coore 8pm.

FEAST OF ALL SOULS: Tuesday 2 November is the Feast of All Souls. This is the day when we pray and remember in a special way those who have died, who have gone before us in Faith. Envelopes for lists of your beloved dead are available in the Porches and we ask you to return these next weekend. Mass times on Tuesday 2 November Mullagh 10am. Quilty 7.30pm. Coore 8pm.


CYSTIC FIBROSIS: The Cystic Fibrosis Association will hold a church gate collection in Quilty & Coore Churches on Sunday 30 October & Sunday 31 October. Your support will be greatly appreciated.

K.I.B. LOTTO / WWW.LOCALLOTTO.IE: Lucky numbers for last week were 32, 34, 36, 39 & The Jackpot Winner was Marion Malone, Miltown. €50 winner = Sinead Sexton. Craggaknock. €20 winners = Conor Kelliney, Ballymaclash, Nicholas O’Connor, Ballymacash, Eoin Lynch. Thank you for your support.

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MISSION SUNDAY 24/10/’10

MASSES FOR THE COMING WEEK

MULLAGH
Sat. 23rd@8pm. Martin & Eileen Johnston
Sat. 30th@8pm. Tom Scullane

QUILTY
Sat. 23rd@7pm. John Joe Whelan, Cloohaninchy
Sun. 24th@9am. Joe Collins, Tomoreene East & U.S.A.
Sat. 30th@7pm. Mary Egan, Tomoreene
Sat. 30th@9pm. Josephine & Eddie Burke, Quilty

COORE
Sun. 24th@10am. Nora & Susan Cleary
Sun. 31st@10am. Johnny & Bridget Harjen

31ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 31/10/’10

READERS

MULLAGH
Sat. 30th@9pm. Pat Casey
Sat. 31st@11am. First Holy Communion Parents
Mon. 01st@11am. Mary Kate Clancy

QUILTY
Sat. 30th@8pm. Catherine Gannon
Sun. 31st@9am. Dr. Michael O’ Connor
Mon.01st@9am. Karen Galvin

COORE
Sat. 30th@10am. Theresa Sexton
Mon.01st@8pm. Claire Murray

EUCHARIUS MINISTERS

MULLAGH
Sat. @30pm. Mary Murphy & John Daly
Sun. @31st@11am. Theresa Donnellan & Mary Conway
Mon. @01st@11am. Tony McGowan & Eleanor O’Dwyer

QUILTY
Sat. @30pm. Louie Ganfield & Gail Ni Loingsigh
Sun. 31st@11am. Antoinette Pender & Michael O’Doherty
Mon.01st@8pm. Dr. Michael O’Connor & Rena O’Flaherty

COORE
Sun. 31st@11am. Catherine Sexton & Mary Nugent
Mon.01st@8pm. Mary Tuttle & Brenda Sexton

AL TAR SERVERS

MULLAGH
Sat. 30th@8pm. Group C
Sun. 31st@11am. Group B
Mon. 01st@11am. Group B

QUILTY
Sat. 30th@7pm. Group A
Sat. 01st@8pm. Group A

COORE
Sun. 31st@10am. Group B
Mon.01st@8pm. Group A

DEFIBRILLATOR PHONE NUMBERS

QUILTY 086 6067010
MULLAGH 086 6067020
COORE 086 6067030

GROUP FUN WALK: Flag Rd Miltown Malbay to Spanish Point and back again. Every Monday & Wednesday evening 6:30 - 7:30. Please interest contact Colette Crowe on 065 - 3771376. All welcome.

CONGRATULATIONS: Congratulations and Best of Luck to Keelan Clounlaheen. His last draw was on the 17th October, last year.


MILTON STAGE SCHOOL: Are currently looking for Boys & Girls aged 10 - 18 years old to take part in their “Grand Variety Show”. If you want to sing and learn all form od dancing and take part in this production, please come to rehearsals every Friday from 7pm - 9.30pm at the Community Hall, Miltown. €5 per person. Contact Mairead on 086 7084338.


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BADMINTON: No juvenile badminton in Miltown next Wednesday 27 October (mid term). Returning Wednesday 3 November at 7pm.


CLARECARE COFFEE MORNING: Clarecare is hosting a "Halloween Coffee Morning" at Harmony Row, Ennis on Friday 28 October from 10am to 2pm. The proceeds will go towards their tremendous work “from village to village proclaiming the Good News”. (Today’s Gospel)

The 1,900 Irish missionaries across the globe greatly appreciate your loyalty and support to their work in the spreading of the Good News, God’s word, to all corners of the world. On this special day they unite with us spiritually.

May we all enjoy and share the comfort of God’s Word!