

Kilmurry Ibrickane Parish NewsletterSunday 25th September 2022**Masses for the week:****Monday Community Led at 9.15am****Tuesday, Thursday & Friday Mass 9.15pm****QUILTY CHURCH:** Saturday 24th September at 7.15pm

- Margaret & Michael McInerney
- Denis Junior Considine
- Josie Killeen
- Joan Kearney Shanahan New York
- Dick Wickham
- Thomas Downes 9th Anniversary
- John & Mary Neville

COORE CHURCH: Sunday 25th September at 9.30am

- Thomas & Nora Pilkington
- Breda Murphy, Scropul
- Jimmy Gleeson, Coore
- PJ & Ciss Sexton

MULLAGH CHURCH: Sunday 25th September at 11am
Special Intention**QUILTY CHURCH:** Saturday 1st October at 7.15pm

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

COORE CHURCH: Sunday 2nd October at 9.30am

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

MULLAGH CHURCH: Sunday 2nd October at 11am

Johnny Brew

Noel Clancy

Christy Reddan

Mai McMahan

Ignatius McMahan

Alphonsus Tubridy

Treaa McMahan, Mullagh

Nancy Kerin formerly Sexton, Mullagh Village 2nd Anniversary

Caoimhe Whelan

Michael Joe Cahill & Annie Cody

Thomas (5th Anniversary) & Patsy (3rd Anniversary) Sexton

John Meaney, Quilty East

Nonie Lynch, Mountscott

Pauline Torpey

Mary & Jack Nugent, Knocknahilla

CHURCH ROTA 1st & 2nd October**Quilty Church Sat at 7.15pm:****Eucharistic Ministers – Agnes Ann Collins & Rena O'Flaherty**
Reader – Karen Galvin**Coore Church at 9.30am:****Eucharistic Ministers – Catherine Sexton & Mary Nugent****Coore Readers for September - October**Reader for 25th September – Emma MurrayReader for 2nd October – Patricia McCarthyReader for 9th October – Áine SextonReader for 16th October – Catherine CorryReader for 23rd October – Blan Sexton**Mullagh Church at 11am:****Eucharistic Ministers – Mary McNamara & Eleanor O'Dwyer**

Reader – Anne Sexton

GROUPED ANNIVERSARY MASSES IN OUR PARISH:Mullagh Church Sunday 2nd October at 11amQuilty Church Saturday 29th October at 7.15pmCoore Church Sunday 30th October at 9.30am

Please book anniversary Mass through Parish Office

085 1872212 or email: office@kibparish.ie**HARVEST MASS**

Our Harvest Mass will take place on Saturday 8th October at 7.15pm in The Quilty Tavern followed by a community get together with music, song and dance. All are welcome. If anybody has produce from their gardens (turf, timber, vegetables) they can be left at Quilty Church on Saturday morning. All singers and musicians welcome to the Mass at 7.15pm to add their voices and music to the celebration.

KIB Active Retirement has resumed activities for the Autumn Term in Mullagh Sportsfield Meeting Room. Meeting will be on Thursdays from 1.30pm to 4pm. Activities include mass once a month, go for life exercises, outings and going for meals. We welcome back all our old members and hope many new members will join us this year.

PJ MURRIHY IN CONCERT at Culturlann Sweeney Kilkee Library on Saturday 1st October at 8pm. Tickets available from Glór or Kilkee Library 065 9060769. Also available to collect at the library.

Talk for Parents of Confirmation Pupils on Thursday 29th September at 7.30pm in Miltown Malbay Community Centre

Talk for Parents of Holy Communion Pupils at 7.30pm on Wednesday 5th October in Miltown Malbay Community Centre

Youth Ministry / Diocese of Killaloe

A 2nd collection for the Youth Ministry in the Diocese of Killaloe will be taken up on next weekend. It is important to support our young people and the many initiatives taking place in the Diocese.

Benevolent Fund

The Benevolent Fund collection is taken up on this weekend it funds sick and retired priests in our Diocese.

The Clare Association Dublin is pleased to announce that after an absence of almost 2 years, our 2022 Award Ceremony will take place on **Saturday the 1st of October at the Falls Hotel in Ennistymon Co. Clare.**

At this year's award ceremony the Clare Association Muintir An Chláir will be honouring the following people for their outstanding work and worthwhile contributions to the people of County Clare: **Clare Person of the Year Award goes to Dr. Susan Crawford for the work she carries out within the field of autism spectrum disorders.**

The Hall of Fame Award goes to **Mary Fitzgerald of Clare Haven Services & Haven Horizons for providing a service for victims of domestic abuse. Lastly, the Meitheal Award goes to Ennis Tidy Towns Committee for winning Ireland's Tidiest Town (Ennis)** This ceremony is a wonderful evening of celebration where Clare people have an opportunity to meet and mingle in a relaxed social setting. Tickets are now on sale for the award ceremony please contact us at info@clareassociationdublin.ie.

Should you have any further queries about joining the Association or you would like to book tickets please contact Gerry O'Reilly on 086-8498192.

BAPTISM: We welcome into God's Family and our community Brooke McCarthy & Tadhg Browne baptised in Quilty Church this weekend.

SYMPATHY: We pray for the family of Michael Flynn, Kilcorcoran, Miltown Malbay, Co. Clare buried in Ballard during the week. To the family of Teresa Reynolds, (nee Shannon), Ballybeg, Lahinch, Co. Clare. Rest in Peace Michael & Teresa.

FAMILY CARERS MEETING MONDAY 26TH SEPTEMBER. New members welcome any time. Venue: Tony Greene house, Island View v95 r5d3.

KIB SPORTS LOTTO The Last Jackpot was: €3400 Numbers: 07,

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09, 15, 28. **NO Jackpot Winner. €100 WINNER: Ber Cleary, Coore.** €20 Winners: Sarah Donnellan, Finuremore. Seamus Boyle, Mountscott. Pat Sexton, Mountscott. Jack, Jamie & Emma, Mullagh. Michael Casey, Mullagh. Next Draw Monday 12/09/2022 and Jackpot will be €3500! Please support KIB Sports Lotto on www.localotto.ie Lotto tickets are on sale in Beatrice's XL Shop Quilty, Committee members.

IRISH GUIDE DOGS FOR THE BLIND are holding a Volunteer Information Session at the Templegate Hotel, Ennis on 5 October 2pm. If you are interested in becoming a volunteer with this very worthwhile charity, why not come along and find out more about it. The commitment is a big or small as you have time for. Look forward to seeing you. Refreshments will be provided.

FCJ Spirituality House – Teach Spioradálta – Spanish Point

Evening events this autumn: Tues 7-8pm Guided prayer and meditation. Thurs eve Monthly singing circle and Movie nights in Oct and Nov. No charge. Evening Course: Creative Relaxation with Bob Vernon. 6 week course, Wed evenings starting Oct 26th. Weekend retreats: From Advent 2023 we are delighted to welcome friends again for residential retreats. About once a month we will offer a variety of retreats on themes like Advent or Lent, Scripture or Directed retreats, Creative writing, music or poetry weekends, etc. Please see our website for more details or call us on 087 447 9115. www.fcjspiritualityhouse.ie

WEST CLARE MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION: Peer Support Meetings every Tue & Fri 7-9pm in The Lighthouse Kilrush. Weekly Woodland Walk Tues 11am Vandelluer Woods Kilrush. Contact 085 8559511 email: westclaremha@mentalhealthireland.ie

THE KILRUSH AND DISTRICT TOASTMASTERS CLUB will hold an **Open Night** at The Haven Arms Kilrush (meeting room at rear of lounge) on this Tuesday at 8pm. The club caters for all ages who are most welcome to join us on the night, enjoy tea/coffee and chat to find out what Toastmasters is all about.

Age-Friendly Smart Phone classes: Kilrush Library, which is one of Co Clare's Age Friendly Libraries, in partnership with the LCETB, will facilitate an 8 week series of Smartphone classes for older people, starting on Tuesday 4th October at 2.30pm. Learn how to install Apps, how to use email, WhatsApp & Zoom as well as the suite of Library online resources. Classes are Free, but places are limited and booking is necessary. To book a place, contact Kilrush Library on 065 9051504 or kilrush@clarelibrary.ie

SAMARITANS: The Samaritans provide a listening ear 24/7. They can be contacted on 116 123

SVP: SVP reaches out to all who might be struggling with these difficult economic times. They may be contacted on 086 2168749 - Email: mwsvp2021@gmail.com

HISTORY LECTURE: To celebrate History Week, on Tuesday 4th October @ 6.30pm, Kilrush Library will be hosting a lecture by Eoin Shanahan. Eoin, who is the author of 'The Hand that held the Gun' will share more stories from the War of Independence in his lecture entitled 'Saving Hay and saving Ireland. This is a Free Event & All are welcome.

OIDHREACHT AN CHLÁIR presents **A Night of Songs and Tunes** on Friday, September 30, 8.00pm – 10.00pm in Áras OaC (Flag Road), Miltown with Noel Hill (concertina), Orla Murphy (songs) and Eileen O'Brien (fiddle). Fear an Tí Tim Dennehy. Fáilte roimh chách. Admission free.

ÉIGSE THOMÁIS UÍ AODHA, 2022: The 4th annual Irish-language festival, organised by Oidhreacht an Chláir in memory of Miltown man Tomás Ó hAodha (1866-1935), poet, dramatist, actor, cartographer and organiser, will be held on October 7-8, in Áras OaC (Flag Road), Sráid na Cathrach. On Friday 7th at 8.00pm, Dr Pádraig Ó Cearbhaill (former Chief Placenames Officer, An Brainse Logainmneacha) will give a lecture, *Áitainmneacha an Chláir*, dealing with the placenames of Clare. On Saturday 8th, 10.30-12.00 noon, there will be a *Ceardlann Amhránaíochta* (Singing Workshop) by Dr Ciarán Ó Gealbháin from An Rinn. From 3.00pm to 5.30pm, there will be *Ceol agus Caint* in Friel's, featuring a Pop-Up Gaeltacht as an opportunity for people to use their Irish, songs by Ciarán Ó Gealbháin and Tim Dennehy, and music by Eithne Ní Dhonghaile (cruit), Geraldine McNamara (fíúit) and John Weir (fidil). All events are free. Míle fáilte roimh chách.

Webcam: www.kibparish.ie/webcam

POKER CLASSIC in aid of West Clare Cancer Centre on Sunday 6th November 2022 at Westbridge Bar, Miltown Malbay @ 7pm, €1,500 Pro Rata, Tickets €25. Please support this worthy cause. For more information contact Matt on 086 6049444.

ST FLANNAN'S COLLEGE Night Classes and Saturday Workshops for Adults will resume on Wednesday October 5. Classes include: Make-up & Skincare, Sign Language, Jewellery, Interior Design, Flower for Christmas, Acrylics Painting, Crochet, Spanish/French for Holidays, Creative Writing, Aromatherapy, Crochet. We will also offer once-off Saturday Workshops in Stained Glass, Mosaic and Meal Prep. Text/phone 083 1090039 for further details and bookings

JOSEPHINE MARSH (MUSIC TEACHER) will be commencing music classes this week. Classes available include: Concertina, accordion, whistle, fiddle and beginner/intermediate banjo/mandolin classes. Contact Josephine at 0877570015

'THERAPY WITH PLAY INTERVENTION FOR CHILDREN' IN ENNISTYMON LIBRARY. On Saturday 1st October at 11am in Ennistymon Library, join Play Therapist, Dipankar Biswas, who will use the therapeutic powers of play to facilitate communication through self-expression, foster emotional wellness through emotional management, increase personal strength through creative problem solving and enhance social relationships. This 2 hour workshop is suitable for 5 to 8 year olds. Free event. Places are limited, booking is essential. Contact Ennistymon Library on 065 7071245 or by emailing ennistymon@clarelibrary.ie. A Healthy Ireland at Your Library Event.

TRAINING FOR TRANSFORMATION: We are delighted to offer a free 10 day course to all interested in community development and grassroots engagement. Training for Transformation offers personal development, group work skills, a keen ear for justice and inclusion and a very practical planning aspect which ensures people attending bring home both a tool kit of skills and a transformed awareness of how communities work and flourish. Its ideal for community groups, activists, parish volunteers. Its local and affordable (no charge), its very accessible with no reading and a lot of good networking. Many community groups involved are coming in 2's or 3's so that they can plan together and really benefit from the course. All welcome but please contact us as soon as possible to avoid disappointment. Course details: Wed and Thurs from 10 -4pm, 5 weeks starting Oct 5th. Email: info@fcjspiritualityhouse.ie or call 087 447 9115. Closing date: Fri Sept 30th.

A PRAYER FOR UKRAINE

God of peace and justice,

We pray for the people of Ukraine today.

We pray for peace and the laying down of weapons.

We pray for all those who fear for tomorrow,

That your Spirit of comfort would draw near to them.

We pray for those with power over war or peace,

For wisdom, discernment and compassion to guide their decisions.

Above all, we pray for all your precious children, at risk and in fear. That you would hold and protect them.

We pray in the name of Jesus, the Prince of Peace. Amen.

Reflection

Mother Theresa said:

'The greatest evil in the world today is the terrible indifference towards one's neighbour, which is so widespread.'

Lord, save us from the scourge of indifference.

Open our hearts when they are closed,

Soften them when they are hard,

And warm them when they are cold, so that we may listen to

the cries of the needy,

And bear the fruits of love.

KIB Parish Office Opening Hours this week:
Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 9.30am
to 3.30pm