

Kilmurry Ibrickane Parish Newsletter

Sunday 27th September 2026

When there is a funeral in the Parish, there won't be any 10am Mass that day.

Masses for the week:

Community led on Monday,
Mass on Tuesday & Wednesday at 9.30am in Mullagh Church

Mass on Thursday & Friday at 9.30am in Miltown Church
KIB Active retirement Mass will be on Thursday 1st October at 2pm in Mullagh Sportsfield Meeting Room, All are welcome.

Eucharistic Holy hour in Mullagh Church every Wednesday from 10am - 6pm. All welcome.

QUILTY CHURCH: Friday 25th September at 7pm
Pako McCarthy 1st Anniversary
Lola McCarthy

QUILTY CHURCH: Saturday 26th September at 11.30am
Tom Moloney Months Mind

QUILTY CHURCH: Saturday 26th September at 7.15pm

- *Dick Wickham 38th Anniversary*
- *Michael, Peggy & Angela Falsey*
- *Denis Junior Considine*
- *Thomas Downes*
- *Sheila & Jackie Moloney*
- *Deceased members of the Downes family, Seafield*
- *Peggy & Frankie Egan*
- *Michael Egan*
- *PJ Murnane*
- *John & Mary Neville*
- *Martin & Margaret Murrihy, Seafield & deceased members of the Murrihy family*

COORE CHURCH: Sunday 27th September at 9.30am

- *Pat, Agnes, John Joe, Michael, Mary & Paddy Moroney, Coore & deceased family members*
- *Michael Hehir 3rd Anniversary*
- *Breda Murphy, Scropul 8th Anniversary*
- *Jimmy Gleeson 8th Anniversary*
- *Torin Gleeson 4th Anniversary*
- *Thomas & Nora Pilkington & deceased members of the Pilkington family*
- *Tommy & Feeney Hehir, Clounlaheen*
- *Michael & Kitty Hehir, Inch*
- *John Joe & Mary Moloney, Doolough*

MULLAGH CHURCH: Sunday 27th September at 11am
Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion

QUILTY CHURCH: Saturday 3rd October at 7.15pm
Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion (Rosary at 6.55pm)

COORE CHURCH: Sunday 4th October at 9.30am
Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion (Rosary at 9.05am)

MULLAGH CHURCH: Sunday 4th October at 11am
Peter & Theresa McMahon
P.J. Keavey – 3rd Anniversary
Noel & Christina Clancy
Brid Frawley
Michael Cunningham – 16th Anniversary
Margaret Cunningham – 5th anniversary
Elizabeth Betty Killeen – 2nd anniversary

Michael, Mary Ellen & son Joseph Murphy
Eleanor & Peter O'Dwyer
Peg & J Clancy
Finula Russell, Ennis & Mullagh
Pauline Torpey
Michael Joe Cahill – 40th Anniversary & Annie Cody
Caoimhe Whelan
John Meaney
Bill Stirling
John Neenan & deceased members of the Neenan family
Johnny Brew – 16th Anniversary
Mary & Jack Nugent, Knocknahilla
Teasie, Sue & Clare Meade
Kitty & Ollie Conway
Martin & Mary Morrissey, Ballymakea
Christy Dixon, Baldoyle, Dublin and Ballymakea, Mullagh, 2nd Anniversary

GROUPED ANNIVERSARY MASSES IN OUR PARISH:

Mullagh Church Sunday 4th October 2026 at 11am
Coore Church Sunday 25th October 2026 at 9.30am
Quilty Church Saturday 31st October 2026 at 7.15pm
Mullagh Church Sunday 8th November 2026 at 11am
Please book anniversary Mass through Parish Office
0851872212 or email: office@kibparish.ie
KIB Parish Open Tuesday, Thursday & Friday from 9.30am to 2.30pm.
Facebook: Kilmurry Ibrickane Parish

WEEKEND 3rd & 4th October 2026

QUILTY CHURCH: Eucharistic Minister: Rita
Reader: Beatrice

COORE CHURCH: Eucharistic Minister: Mary Nugent
Sunday 4th October – Aine Sexton
Sunday 11th October – Patricia McCarthy
Sunday 18th October – Blan Sexton
Sunday 25th October – Catherine Corry

MULLAGH CHURCH : Eucharistic Minister: Mary T & Patsy
Reader: Mary O'Gorman

KIB PARISH OFFICE WILL BE OPEN TUESDAY, Thursday & Friday from 9.30AM TO 2.30PM

KILMURRY GRAVEYARD: It has come to our notice that some graves in Kilmurry Graveyard have been interfered with in recent times. Graveyards are sacred places – we would just ask people to respect the sacredness of the grounds.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION 2026/2027
First Holy Communion meeting for parents/guardians of pupils making First Holy Communion on Wednesday 30th September at 7pm in The Bellbridge House Hotel

Confirmation meeting for parents/guardians of pupils making Confirmation is on Wednesday 7th October at 7pm in The Bellbridge House Hotel

Fr. Donagh asks that at least one parent/guardian attends, as Sacramental registrations form are to be filled out on the night for pupils making Communion / Confirmation. Pupils do not need to attend this meeting.

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY: Mullagh Graveyard Clean Up will be on Saturday 26th September at 11am

COORE GRAVEYARD COMMITTEE would like to sincerely thank everyone for coming out to help with the "Graveyard Cleanup" last Saturday. Your time, willing hands and hard work is very much appreciated and the grounds look respectful and neat now for everyone who visits their loved ones.

Mullagh N.S. 'Locks of Love' Fundraiser

A huge congratulations to Aiah Rose from 2nd Class in Mullagh N.S., who bravely donated her hair to the **Rapunzel Foundation** and helped to raise funds for the **LauraLynn** charity on Monday 21st September 2026. The school community are incredibly proud of Aiah Rose's kindness and generosity. Thank you to

everyone who attended and donated. A special thank you to Aiah's family for providing fabulous raffle prizes, to past pupil Rachel who had the important job of cutting Aiah Rose's hair and to our school volunteers who provided tea and coffee after the event. Your generosity is very much appreciated. If anyone would still like to make a donation to **LauraLynn**, please drop it to the school over the coming days.

Bingo in Miltown Malbay Community Hall on Tuesday 6th October at 8pm. €2000 pro rata. All are welcome!

BAPTISM: We welcome into our Community Noah & Lottie Pender baptised in Mullagh Church this weekend.

CLARE YOUTH SERVICE CTC are now recruiting for Leaving Cert Applied and QQ1 Level 3 Education Programmes. Drop in to the centre in Kilrush Road for an application form. Aged 16 to 19 years, training allowances apply.
KIB Sports Lotto: 21/09/2026 Jackpot – €9,600 07,10,12,14 NO JACKPOT WINNER €100 Gabriel & Chris, Quilty. €20 winners John McMahon, Dromin. John Marrinan, Mullagh. Nicole McMahon c/o McCarthys. James Ahern c/o J.Egan. Tommy Murphy, Carhuligane. Next draw: Moroneys on 28/09/2025 Next Jackpot €9,800.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS: AA meeting in the Band Room at the back of Miltown Malbay Church on Sundays at 11am. AA members are welcome.

SHANNON TO PORTO (FATIMA): From Wednesday 14th October to Monday 18th October. Seats available now. Contact Jimmy on 065 9059328 & 085 7385385.

A ST FAUSTINA WEEKEND will take place in St Mary's Church, Convoy Co Donegal F93FX66 on 3 and 4 October. It will consist of prayer and reflection on Divine Mercy Devotions. Led by Fr Eamonn Kelly, the weekend will invite all to come to know the Person of Divine Mercy. You are invited to come to all or part of the weekend. Please see the notice on the notice board for further details.

BEREAVEMENT INFORMATION EVENING that will be held on Tuesday, 20th of October 2026 from 7 to 9pm in Milford Care Centre, Limerick. 061 485800 or socialwork@milfordcarecentre.ie

EIGSE THOMÁIS UÍ AODHA, 2026: The 8th annual Irish-language festival, organised by Oidhreacht an Chláir in memory of Miltown man Tomás Ó hAodha (1866-1935), teacher, poet, dramatist, novelist, actor, choirmaster, cartographer and Gaeilge activist, will be held on October 9-10 in Áras OaC (Flag Road), Sráid na Cathrach. On Friday 9th at 8.00pm, the Éigse lecture, *Nemeton agus TG4*, will be delivered by Irial Mac Murchú, founder, owner and CEO of the film production company Nemeton, whose broadcasting of GAA and other sports and topics for TG4 over the last 30 years has brought the living Irish language into every home in Ireland as a permanent fixture of TV viewing, creating a fresh, positive image for Irish across the entire community.. There will also be an exhibition of the personal Archive (Carlann) of Tomás Ó hAodha, donated by his family to Oidhreacht an Chláir. On Saturday 10th, 10.30-12.30, beidh *Ceardlann Amhránaíochta* (Singing Workshop) le Máire Ní Choilm, a renowned singer from the Donegal tradition and winner of Corn Uí Riada in 2019, followed by a visit to the home of Tomás i mBóthar na hInse. Ó 3.30 pm go 6.00 pm, beidh *Ceol agus Caint* i Friel's, featuring a Pop-Up Gaeltacht as an opportunity for people to use their Irish in an informal and friendly environment, amhráin le Máire Ní Choilm agus Tim Dennenhy, agus ceol le Damien O'Reilly (bosca ceoil) agus Caoilfhionn Ní Fhrighil (consairtín). Gabhaimid buíochas le Comhairle Contae an Chláir as a dtacaíocht. All events are free. Mile fáilte roimh chách.

GROW MENTAL HEALTH- Friendly Community based peer support groups for anyone experiencing mental health concerns through connection, hope, identity by empowering members to nurture their positive wellbeing and personal growth. Ennis Meeting- Maria Assumpta Hall. Monday 7.30pm/Tuesday 2pm. Contact Celia 086-1526966/www.grow.ie
ST FLANNAN'S COLLEGE NIGHT CLASSES AND SATURDAY WORKSHOPS FOR ADULTS will resume on Wednesday October 7. Classes include:Beekeeping, Creative Short Fiction, Cross-stitching, Stained Glass, Memoir Writing, Copper Jewellery, Drawing and Painting, Cake Decorating, QiGong, Clare Embroidery, Papermaking & Book-Binding and Felting.Text/phone 083 1090039 for further details and bookings

ACCORD MARRIAGE PREPARATION PROGRAMMES – Are you getting married in 2027? Accord Catholic Marriage Care Service provides Marriage Preparation Programmes for couples choosing to get married in the Catholic Church. Places are filling quickly so book today for courses in Ennis or Nenagh at www.accord.ie

AUTUMN EVENING CLASSES at St Joseph's Secondary School, Spanish Point. Now enrolling for Crochet, Pilates, Cookery & Baking, French for beginners and Flower arranging. For more details contact Catherine on 087 7782861 or email eveningclasses@stjosephssp.com

WIN A TRIP TO MEDJUGORJEMedjugorje Irish Centre Free Prize draw. Prize for one person includes 7 nights B&B, return airport transfer and flights up to €300.To enter go to prize draw page on website www.med-irishcentre.com WhatsApp No: 00447860 465386 WhatsApp No: 00387 63 630 604Email: reservations@med-irishcentre.com Website: www.med-irishcentre.com

REFLECTION – Open-mindedness

Closed-minded people put others down,
Open-minded people are tolerant and understanding.
Closed-minded people cannot see the good in people who disagree with them.

Open-minded people see some good in everyone.
Closed-minded people mind others people's business.
Open-minded people mind their own.

Closed-minded people are envious and jealous,
Open-minded people are contended and thankful.

Closed-minded people know it all,
Open-minded people realise how little we all know.
Closed-minded people belittle our cultures and customs,
Open-minded people know the value of diversity.
Closed-minded people are suspicious and overly cautious,
Open-minded people are trusting and adventurous.

Closed-minded people talk without thinking,
Open-minded people think before talking.

Closed-minded people think they are always right,
Open-minded people realise how easy it is to be wrong.

Closed-minded people like to judge others,
Open-minded people let others judge them.

Sporting News:

Come out and support our KIB Ladies V Liscannor in their Senior Semi Final on this Sunday at 3.30pm in Kilrush!

Well done to KIB U14's who won against Doonbeg on Wednesday evening last in the Clare LGFA Under 14 Division 3 Shield Semi-Final!

T.Ú.S Clare Senior Football Championship Semi Final KIB Senior V Kildysart on Sunday 4th October at 3pm in Cusack Park!

Best of Luck to KIB U17 in the Division B Final V Corofin in Clareabbey on Saturday 3rd October at 4pm

- **KIB Defibrillator** 999 or 112 **SAMARITANS** 116 123
- **Local SVDP St. Annes Conference** - 086 2168749 – Email:mwsvp2021@gmail.com
- **GA MEETING:** *A meeting of Gamblers Anonymous takes place every Thursday from 7.30pm to 8.30pm in Clarecare, Harmony Row, Ennis.*
- **WEST CLARE MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION:** 085 8559511 email:westclaremha@mentalhealthireland.ie
- **WEST CLARE CANCER CENTRE** 0659060762 email westclarecancercentre@gmail.com or social media.
- **PietaCrisis 1800 247 247 Bereavement 0858568081**
- **SLAINTE AN CHLAIR CLARE CANCER SUPPORT :** (087) 6912396 E-mail: admin@clarecancersupport.com
- *Yourmentalhealth.ie – 1800111888 Drugs.ie – 1800 459 459*

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