# Kilmurry Ibrickane Parish Newsletter

# Sunday 28th January 2024 When there is a funeral in the Parish, there won't be any 9.15am Mass that day. Masses for the week:

Community Led **Monday** at 9.15am

No Mass on **Tuesday** 

Mass at 9.15am **Wednesday and Thursday** in Mullagh Church

Mass on Friday at 7pm in Mullagh Church –

Nancy Sexton 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary

Mass on Friday at 8pm in Mullagh Church -

QUILTY CHURCH: Saturday 27th January at 7.15pm

- Christy Pender
- Carol & Martin Power

## COORE CHURCH: Sunday 28th January at 9.30am

- Fr. Michael Doohan 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary
- Fr. John Doohan & deceased family members
- Patrick & Nora Doohan
- Mick & Susan Talty Clounlaheen & deceased family members
- Edward Bracken
- Michael O'Neill, Shanaway
- Mary & Anthony Burke

<u>MULLAGH CHURCH</u>: Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> January at 11am Special Intention

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MULLAGH CHURCH: Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> February at 7pm Nancy sexton 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary

<u>MULLAGH CHURCH:</u> Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> February at 8pm Michael Morrissey Months Mind

**QUILTY CHURCH:** Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> February at 7.15pm Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion (Rosary at 6.55pm)

<u>COORE CHURCH:</u> Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> February at 9.30am Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion (Rosary at 9.05am)

#### **MULLAGH CHURCH**: Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> February at 11am

- Mary McInerney 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary
- Imelda Wilson
- Margaret Whelan, Frehane 3<sup>rd</sup> Anniversary
- The Meade Family, Moleskey
- Ann O'Brien, Bonavilla
- Marty O'Brien, Frehane
- John Donnellan
- Bennie Donnellan
- Pat Jo Donnellan
- Michael Sullivan
- Teresa Donnellan
- Margaret Cunningham
- Pe & Eileen Killeen

- Francis Comber, Carhuligane
- Pea & J Clancy
- Christy Kelly
- Gertie & Michael McNamara, Ballymakea
- Tone & Kitty Darcy, Mullagh Village

# WEEKEND 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> February Quilty Church Sat at 7.15pm:

Eucharistic Ministers: Michael Kelleher Reader – Cait

#### Coore Church Sun at 9.30am:

Eucharistic Ministers – Blan Sexton
Reader for 28<sup>th</sup> January – Emma Murray
Reader for 4<sup>th</sup> February – Blan Sexton
Readers for 11<sup>th</sup> February – Patricia McCarthy
Reader for 18<sup>th</sup> February – Catherine Corry

#### Mullagh Church Sun 11am

Eucharistic Minister: Mary Searson & Anne Marie Nugent Reader: Mary O'Gorman

## **GROUPED ANNIVERSARY MASSES IN OUR PARISH:**

Mullagh Church Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> February 2024 at 11am Quilty Church Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> February at 7.15pm Coore Church Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> February at 9.30am Please book anniversary Mass through Parish Office 0851872212 or email: office@kibparish.ie KIB Parish Office Opening Hours

Open Tuesday, Thursday & Friday from 9.30am to 3.30pm <u>Facebook: Kilmurry Ibrickane Parish</u>

Bereavement – If you are experiencing bereavement the following websites are helpful:

https://www.cruse.org.uk/understandinggrief/griefexperiences/coping-death-partner/

Bereavement Counselling available in Milford House 061 485800

# **Coore Church Carpark**

We hope to resurface the Coore Church Carpark in the new year. We appeal to you for donation. All donations welcome. Envelopes available at all the Church porches

# **Date for your diary:**

Mullagh Entire Drama Group are busy rehearsing and will present the Comedy "Twenty Twenty Vision" on Friday 23rd Feb, Sun 25th Feb & Sat 2nd March in Mullagh Community Hall. More details to follow.....

**SYMPATHY:** We offer our sympathy, support and prayers to the family of Emer Healy, The Cresent, Miltown Malbay, Rest in Peace Emer. Angela Tidbury nee Callinan of Northampton. Daughter of the late Jimmy and Agnes Callinan, Quilty. Rest in Peace Angela. Fr. Michael O'Keeffe has passed away recently in Florida USA. His funeral mass will take place here at a later date. Rest in Peace Fr. Michael.

THE KIB MINOR CLUB COMMITTEE are currently seeking people to assist in the running of the minor club for 2024. Also anyone interested in helping with the training of the teams can contact a member of the committee or through the Facebook page. Current committee members: Johnnie Daly, Martin Cahill, Andrew Clancy, Ray Foudy, Shane Hickey, Aoife Gavin and Karen Hogan.

ANNAGH N.S. ENROLMENT: Parents wishing to enrol pupils in Annagh National School for September 2024 please contact the school at: 065-7084850, for an enrolment form. If you wish to visit our school beforehand with your child, please ring the school and we will be happy to accommodate you. For further details on our Open Days please view our website: www.annaghns.com

**MULLAGH N.S. ENROLMENT**: We are now accepting applications

of admission to Mullagh N.S. for September 2024. The Admission Policy and Enrolment Application forms are available on the 'download' section of our school website <a href="www.mullaghschool.ie">www.mullaghschool.ie</a> For more information, please contact Genevieve Pender Acting principal via email at principal@mullaghschool.ie The closing date for applications is Friday April 26th 2024.

EASTER ART CAMP WITH DOONBEG CREATIVE ARTS STUDIO on 2nd, 3rd & 4th April in Doonbeg Community Hall. Contact Gene on 086-8340426 for further details. Beginners Needle Felting Course with artist Gene Clohessy starting in Doonbeg Community Hall on Tuesday 6th February. Contact Antoinette on 086-0752014. This course is fully funded by the LCETB

CONCERTINA CRUINNIÚ: The 12<sup>th</sup> annual Concertina Cruinniú, organised by Oidhreacht an Chláir, will take place in Miltown on February 9-12. Early Bird registration for €70 (covering two days' tuition and admission to all events except the Saturday night concert with the renowned group Altan) is available up to January 31; registration thereafter €85. Register and pay online at www.concertinacruinniu.ie, where all programme details are set out.

ANAM CARA GALWAY, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding it's monthly Parent Evening for bereaved parents on Wednesday 7th February at 7:15pm in the Clayton Hotel, Briarhill, Galway. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not. We also offer a free online service, for more info call us on 01 4045378

*FCJ Spirituality House – An Teach Spioradálta, Spanish Point* (*V95E0WT*): Movie Season returns! An open invite to share our movie collection in a gentle friendly atmosphere. 8 weeks starting January 31<sup>st</sup> No charge. Weekly one movie shared Wed 7pm, repeated Thurs 4pm. There is Time for All Things: Wed Jan 31<sup>st</sup>, A time to dance. 7-8pm, one hour prayerful reflection for all who care for others in parish, family or community. No charge. All welcome. Jimmy Crowley and Eve Telford in concert. Sat Feb 3rd 2<sup>nd</sup>. 8pm. Tickets €15 on door. All welcome. Clócha Bríd: Storytelling and reflection about life lessons from St Brigid's cloak. With Maria Gillen. Day Feb 4<sup>th</sup>, 2-5pm. €20 donation requested. Martina Lehane Sheehan. From Feb 15<sup>th</sup> on Thursday evenings: An online 8 week course: Trellis for the Soul: A vision of hope for challenging times. Deirdre Ní Chinneide and Nóirin Lynch: Anois teacht and Earraigh. Weekend retreat with Brigid welcoming Spring. Fri Feb 9 – Sun 11<sup>th</sup>

Building of Dreams – Reflections on six decades of change in Irish Society – A new book by Fr. Harry Bohan is available at the Parish Office in Miltown and Kilmurry Ibrickane. The book is €10 and all proceeds to go to Pieta House or contact Fr. Donagh 087 2322140.

KIB Sports LOTTO The Last Jackpot was: €4600 Numbers 06, 15, 28, 31. NO Jackpot Winner: €100 Hammy Dawson c/o B. Cooney. €20 Winners Finbarr Murrihy, Quilty. Donal Markham, Mullagh. Mary Downes, Kilmaley. Chrissie O'Keeffe, Mullagh. Ita Downes, Quilty. Next Draw Monday 29/01/2024 "Dalys" and Jackpot will be €4800! Please support KIB Sports Lotto on <a href="https://www.locallotto.ie">www.locallotto.ie</a> Lotto tickets are on sale in Beatrice's XL Shop Quilty, Committee members.

MEDJUGORJE PILGRIMAGE 2024: Direct flights to Mostar, Shannon to Medjugorje in half the time. 28<sup>th</sup> Aug – 4<sup>th</sup> Sept 2024 or 4<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> Sept 2024. €805, price increases to €855 after 2<sup>nd</sup> February – 7 night group pilgrimage with James Considine. Fr. Martin Shanahan as Spiritual Directors. Contact James 065 9059328 or 085 7385385.

#### **Envelopes for the Year**

The box of envelopes for the year are in the porch of each Church.

Please take and maybe bring one for your neighbour.

# KIB DEFIBRILLATOR COMMUNITY GROUP

Have been chosen as one of the three groups for Tesco Kilrush Community Fund – Dates are from 27<sup>th</sup> November to the 26<sup>th</sup> February 2024, so please show your support by placing your blue token in our groups box when you shop in Tesco Kilrush. We wold greatly appreciate your support.

Our local Soccer Club <u>CALLAN UNITED</u> are having their Churchgate Collection this weekend at all Masses in Kilmurry Ibrickane and Miltown Malbay Parishes, they would greatly appreciate your support!

#### Reflection

Ideally words should always be preceded by deeds.
When people who have done something
Begin to speak, people listen.
Their words carry enormous weight.
They have real authority.

The weakness of a lot of words arises from the fact
That they are not preceded, or accompanied,
Or even followed by words.
At the root of innumerable wrongs in our world
Is the discrepancy between word and deed.
It is the weakness of Churches, parties, and individuals.
It gives people and institutions split personalities.
Lord, grant that what we have said with our lips,
We may believe with our hearts,
And practice with our lives.

# **Prayer to St. Brigid**Brigid, you were a woman of peace.

You brought harmony where there was conflict.

You brought light to the darkness.

You brought hope to the downcast.

May the mantle of your peace cover those who are troubled and anxious,
and may peace be firmly rooted in our hearts and in our world.

Inspire us to act justly and to reverence all God has made.

Brigid you were a voice for the wounded and the weary.

Strengthen what is weak within us.

Calm us into a quietness that heals and listens.

May we grow each day into greater wholeness in mind, body and spirit. Amen.

# St. Brigids Day 1st Feb 2024

Legend holds that Brigid made her first cross from rushes she picked from the floor as she visited a pagan chieftain who was dying. While sitting by his bed she began to weave the rushes into the shape of a cross and tell the stories of her Christian faith. The cross became a symbol of peace and protection, protection of animals and protection from fire and disease and a blessing for home and hearth. Crosses were exchanged too in times of clan feuds as a sign of reconciliation. From that time Irish people have never ceased to weave these crosses. These rushes represent our hopes, our dreams, our gifts and our efforts in working towards a more caring society. Look. She is gathering the dreams to weave something new. She gathers our rushes of sorrow and gladness, of happiness and pain, tears and laughter, kindness and caring, of voluntary groups and organisations, of families, relations and friends, of schools and hospitals, of work and sport and recreation, and all the little words and deeds offered in hope, in faith and in love. She is weaving them all with loving hands into a new form, a richer and more beautiful creation. God. too weaves patiently and persistently with the rushes of our lives. He invites us to keep offering him the shreds of our suffering and the stuff of our dreams and to take our place beside him to weave the shape of new creation.

#### Críocha Callan Cluster

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