servers. To all our singers and musicians who gladdened our heart with their talents, to all in the Parish Office, the FAS workers, the RSS workers, the Parish Council and Finance Committee and to all who helped make our celebration and all our Parish activities possible throughout

K.I.B. LOTTO / WWW.LOCALLOTTO.IE: Lucky numbers for 23rd December 2013 were 10, 14, 15, 25. €4,800 No Jackpot Winner. €100 Winner: Caitriona Hassett. Mullagh. €20 Winners: Michael O'Connor, Quilty. Kathleen Ryan, Emelagh. Martin Corry, Mountscott. MCCA Considine, Clohaninchy. William O'Donnell, Cree. NEXT WEEK'S JACKPOT €5,000. Next draw will take place on **Monday 30/12/13**. Venue: "Crosses".

KILMURRY IBRICKANE GAA CLUB BIG BINGO NIGHT: in Quilty Monday night all pages €100 each. Start at 8.30pm in the Quilty Tavern. All welcome.

KIB LADIES BINGO: Every Wednesday at 8.30pm in the Armada Hotel, Spanish Point. €100 pay out in every game.

CLARECARE ANNUAL DINNER DANCE: This will be on Sunday 19th January in the Armada Hotel, dinner at 6pm. Music by Dave Culligan Band. Tickets €20 for sale in Miltown Post Office and Clare Care, Ballard Road.

WEST CLARE DRAMA FESTIVAL: will take place from 1st -10th March. A Season ticket would make an ideal Christmas present. Now available for €60. Contact Noilin on 087 8075662.

YOUTH CLUB: Mullagh Youth Club have enjoyed a very successful season and immensely enjoyed ice skating at Limerick on Ice. It resumes on Friday 10th January 2014. Wishing you and yours a Happy Christmas and peaceful New

UNISLIM CLASS: is on every Thursday evening in Parochial Hall Miltown Malbay @ 5.15pm-6.15pm. Classes will reopen Thursday January 09th and there is an offer of free to

NEW YEAR REFLECTION

Perhaps no composer has captured the musical heart and soul of all of us as did Irving Berlin. In addition to familiar favourites such as "God Bless America" and "Easter Parade", he wrote. "I'm dreaming of a White Christmas", which still ranks as the all-time bestselling musical score.

Berlin was once asked in an interview "Is there any question you would you've never been asked that you would like someone to put to you?" "Well, yes, there is one," he replied. "What do you think of the many songs you've written that didn't become hits?" My reply would be that I still think they are wonderful."

God, too, has an unshakeable delight in what and whom—he has made. He thinks each of his children is wonderful. Weather you're a "hit" in the eyes of others or not, he will always think they're wonderful.

Join for 2 weeks so it will only be 10euro to join. Why not start off the new year with a new you?

WEST CLARE WROUGHT IRON WORKS: would like to thank all those who supported them over the past year. From Jim & Martina Downes and family. Happy new year to you all & thank you again for your continued support.

TOONAGH WALK FOR SEEKING VISION: Sunday 19th January 2014. Register at Toonagh Hall 11.30am walk @ 12.30pm. Entry €10. Three routes 10.5k, 5k, & 3k. Scenic routes on quiet roads. Start & finish at Toonagh Hall. Refreshments served after walk. Children welcome (no entry fee for Children). Further info. Breda 0851947763

BEREAVED BY SUICIDE: The Christmas Season can be a difficult time for people bereaved by suicide. Clare Suicide Bereavement Support volunteers are available to help you. Support and help is only a phone call away. You could phone us at one of our numbers given below and we will take it from there. We promise complete confidentiality. 086 0565373; 087 3698315; www.claresuicidebereavement support.com

PRAYER AT THE CRIB

As I come before this crib Draw me into this circle of adoration. Help me to take on the wonder of the shepherds.

Lead me to 'the wonder child' within me. Bless my heart with memories of childhood cribs.

> Hold me open to the miracle of Divinity in the straw.

Take me into the surrender in faith. Give me eyes to see Immanuel, the God Who is with us in swaddling clothes. Nurture me with the love of Mary and Joseph Minister to my pain and my doubt through The humility of the shepherds.

Help me to hear the song of peace in my

Bring me to a place of healing, into a still centre.

> Into prayer That is deeper than words Amen

> > (Liam Ryan OSA)

Wishing you all a Happy & Peaceful New Year

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MASSES FOR THE COMING WEEK

MULLAGH

Sun.29th@11am. James Frawley

> Michael (Miko) Whelan, Frehane Michael Sexton, The Bungalow Michael & Mary McAuliffe

Bridget O'Loughlin & the O'Loughlin Family Moyglass

Sat.4th@1pm. Joseph O'Doherty Months Mind

Sun.5th@11am. Special Intention

QUILTY

Sat.28th@7pm. Frankie & Michael Egan

Brendan Kelly

Sat.4th@7pm. Special Intention

COORE

Sun.29th@9.30am. Gertie Kelly, Tiermana

Pat Joe Kelly, Tiermana

Michael, Nora, Michael Jnr Fitzpatrick, Killernan Sat.4th@11.30am. Padraig Gallagher Months Mind

Sun.5th@9.30am. Special Intention

NO 10AM MASS IN MULLAGH ON SATURDAY 28TH DECEMBER

SATURDAY 4TH JANUARY: No 10am Mass in Mullagh

No Mass on Monday 30th December Mass on Tuesday 31st December at 11am **New Years Day Mass at 11am** Mass on Thursday 2nd Jan at 10am

First Friday Masses: 12 noon Mullagh, 7pm Quilty & 8pm Coore

05/01/2014 MINISTRY OF THE WORD

MULLAGH

Sun.5th@11am.

Anne Lynch QUILTY

Sat.4th@7pm. Noreen Kelleher

COORE Sun.5th@9.30am.

Michael King

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

MULLAGH

Sun.5th@11am.

Mary Searson & Ann Marie Nugent

QUILTY

Sat.4th@7pm. Agnes Collins & Peggy Morrissey

COORE

Sun.5th@9.30am. Catherine Sexton & Mary Nugent

ALTAR SERVERS

MULLAGH

Sun.5th@11am. QUILTY

Group C

Sat.4th@7pm.

Group C

COORE

Sun.5th@9.30am. Group A

DEFIBRILLATOR PHONE NUMBERS:

QUILTY 086 6067010 MULLAGH 086 6067020 COORE 086 6067030

MASSES FOR THE FEAST OF THE **EPIPHANY MONDAY 6TH JANUARY**

9.30am in Coore Church 11am in Mullagh Church 7pm in Quilty Church

The Epiphany is of Greek origin and it means 'Appearance' the Roman Catholic Eastern &

Anglican Churches celebrate the Feast on January 6th. The eastern churches recognise the Epiphany as the anniversary of the Baptism of Christ. The western Churches commemorates it principally, for the revelation of the Gentiles of Jesus as the Saviour, as portrayed by the coming of the Three Wise Men. In both eastern & western Churches it secondarily

commemorates the Marriage of Cana, at which Christ performed his first miracle. Epiphany has been known to be celebrated earlier than AD 194, it is older than Christmas & has always been a festival of the highest rank. In Ireland it is better known as the Feast of Little Christmas or Nollag na mBan or Women's Christmas.

SYMPATHY: We offer our sympathy, support and prayers to the family, friends and relatives of Jerry McMahon, Clounlaheen East, Mullagh buried during the week. May he rest in peace.

BAPTISM: We welcome into Gods Family and the Christian Community Finley Lafferty, Rhea Hogan & Laoise Corry baptised in the Parish recently.

FIRST FRIDAY: Friday next 3rd January is the First Friday of the month. Masses at 12noon in Mullagh, 7pm in Quilty and 8pm in Coore. Fr. Anthony will do his First Friday calls on Thursday 2nd and Friday 3rd January.

THANK YOU: Fr. Doohan would like to thank all who donated money towards the collection held on Christmas

Eve in Coore Church, over €1,100 was donated.

THE PARISH OFFICE: Will be closed from Friday 20th December at 1pm to Tuesday 7th January at 9.30am. Anyone with a notice for the newsletter for weekend of 4/5 January, please email into the Parish Office at office@kibparish.ie or drop in the parish office letter box before Thursday 2nd January.

PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE FROM SHANNON WITH MARIAN PILGRIMAGES: From 17th September 2014 for 7 days €689. More details later. Contact Frances Sexton 065 7087200 or 065 7084075.

A VERY SINCERE THANK YOU: A very sincere word of thanks to all who made Christmas so special in our Parish this year in the three churches. To all who prepared and decorated the churches, to the Sacristans, Eucharistic Ministers, Altar