

Kilmurry Ibrickane Parish Newsletter

Sunday 3rd March 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

Mass: Tuesday in Coore Church at 12 noon –

Fr. Michael O’Keeffe Months Mind – no 9.15am mass in Mullagh

Mass at 9.15am on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday in Mullagh Church

QUILTY CHURCH: FRIDAY 1ST MARCH AT 7PM

- John Joe Murrihy Months Mind

COORE CHURCH: SATURDAY 2ND MARCH AT 1PM

- James McMahon Months Mind

QUILTY CHURCH: Saturday 2nd March at 7.15pm

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

COORE CHURCH: Sunday 3rd March at 9.30am

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

MULLAGH CHURCH: Sunday 3rd March at 11am

- Pat Joe McNamara & Family members, Ballymakea
- The deceased members of the Maloney & Neenan family Lissynealon
- Paddy & Nonie Lynch, Mountscott
- Mai McMahon
- Senan Hassett
- Mae & John Joe Corry Moloskey
- Mae & Michael Morrissey, John & Con & all deceased members of the Morrissey family, Moloskey
- All deceased members of the Hehir family
- Johnny & Bridie Murray, Shandrum
- Patricia Torpey 4th Anniversary
- Pakie Sexton, Mountscott
- George Morrissey
- Denis McGrath

COORE CHURCH: Tuesday 5th March at 12 noon

Fr. Michael O’Keeffe Months Mind Mass

COORE CHURCH: Saturday 9th March at 11am

John O’Gorman 1st Anniversary Mass

QUILTY CHURCH: Saturday 9th March at 7.15pm

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Special Intention

WEEKEND 9th & 10th March

Quilty Church Sat at 7.15pm:

Eucharistic Ministers: Beatrice & Carmel

Reader – Anne

Coore Church Sun at 9.30am:

Eucharistic Ministers – Catherine Sexton

Reader for 3rd March – Blan Sexton

Readers for 10th March – Patricia McCarthy

Reader for 17th March – Catherine Corry

Reader for 24th March – Áine Sexton

Mullagh Church Sun 11am

Eucharistic Minister: Mary Searson & Anne Marie Nugent

Reader: Olive O’Loughlin

GROUPED ANNIVERSARY MASSES IN OUR PARISH:

March Anniversary Dates:

Mullagh Church Sunday 3rd March 2024 at 11am

Quilty Church Saturday 23rd March at 7.15pm

Coore Church Easter Sunday 31st March at 11am

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

Facebook: Kilmurry Ibrickane Parish

CONFIRMATION PROGRAMME begins on Tuesday night next 5th

March in Miltown Church from 7pm to 7.45pm each night with

Ms Murray and the students of St. Josephs Secondary School

Spanish Point. The programme will be for 4 weeks.

MULLAGH CHURCH CHOIR

Practice in Mullagh Church on Wednesday 6th March at 8pm. We

warmly welcome new members to our choir.

“When you sing, you pray twice.”

FIRST CONFESSION for the children of the 4 schools in our Parish

on Wednesday 13th March at 7pm in Mullagh Church.

Trocaire Lenten Campaign: The Trocaire Lenten Campaign begins on Ash Wednesday. Trocaire boxes are available in the porches of all the churches. Reaching out to the people in the third world is a central part of Lent. The Trocaire Box on the dinner table and being attentive to it is a great way of thinking of others this Lent.

JINJA UGANDA TRIP JULY 2024: Volunteers with John Conroy hope to set up a GAA club and Irish dancing school during this year's trip. Request is for Irish dancing hard shoes and football boots second hand good quality for children aged 8 and upwards. Please drop off to parish office by 4th April 2024.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION-LENTEN SERIES: A Lenten Adult Faith Formation series entitled "Scripture as a Pathway to Faith" will take place in the Community Centre, Kilrush on March 6th & 13th. Time 8 pm- 9.15pm each night. This will be a very gentle reflection on the gift of the Word of God in the Bible & how it can connect with our lives.

DAILY LENTEN MESSAGES

Brief (less than one minute) daily multi-media spiritual reflections from Bishop Fintan will be available on the various social media platforms every day for Lent, Holy Week and the Easter Octave. Subscribe (at no cost – just click on the subscribe button) to <https://www.youtube.com/@BishopFintanMonahan> to keep up to date with many events around the diocese and beyond.

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

Mullagh Entire Drama Group

Due to unforeseen events - the 3rd and final night will be Changed from Saturday 2nd to Sunday night 3rd March! Mullagh Entire Drama Group are busy rehearsing and will present the Comedy "Twenty Twenty Vision" Martin O'Donohoe on Sunday 3rd March in Mullagh Community Hall. Doors open at 7pm, Curtains at 8pm. All are welcome to come along for a great night entertainment!

Sympathy: We offer our sympathy, support and prayers to the family of Sr. Magdelene Sexton, The Convent of Mercy, Callan, Kilkenny / Mullagh, Clare, Requiem Mass in The Convent Chapel on Friday, 1st March at **11am**, followed by burial in Kilbride Cemetery, Callan. Rest in Peace Sr. Magdelene. To the family of Seanie Campbell, Quilty East, buried in Mullagh Cemetery last Monday. Rest in Peace Seanie.

COORE N.S. ENROLMENT: Parents wishing to enrol pupils in Coore National School for September 2023 please contact the school at: 065-7087592 or email coorenational@gmail.com for an enrolment form.

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 www.mullaghschool.ie 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.

QUILTY NATIONAL SCHOOL ENROLMENT: We have now begun the enrolment process for 2024/25. If you would like your child to attend our school please email quiltynationalschool@gmail.com or message our Facebook page 'Quilty National School' for more information, an application form and copies of our Admission notice and policy. The closing date for applications is Friday 26th April.

MILTOWN MALBAY ST PATRICKS DAY PARADE - The Miltown Malbay St. Patrick's Day Parade will take place on Sunday the 17th of March, starting at 2.30pm. This year's theme is **"Sporting Heroes and Traditions"**. All parade participants are requested to meet at the E-Town/Miltown National School from 1.30pm on the day, as the Parade will commence from this location. Clare County Council have kindly given us the use of the "The Malbay Hub" to those with ASD and their families to take a break from the hustle and bustle of the parade, with sensory kit and ear defenders on site. This is an amazing fun day for all the family with live music, face painting, prizes for best floats/walking groups/window displays and lots more. Your attendance and support would be greatly appreciated. Please contact Michael 085 758 0101 or Johnny on 087 905 5748 to learn more or if you wish to be part of the parade.

IRISH GUIDE DOGS collected €170 at last weekend's churchgate in Coore. Thank you very much for your generous donations. They are much appreciated. We are always looking for volunteers so if you have an hour or two to spare now and again we would love to meet up with you. Contact Mary on 086 3296475 for a chat.

A DAY FOR CHOIRS, MUSICIANS & CANTORS at the Dominican College, Newbridge, County Kildare on Saturday 13 April, 10am to 7pm. Presented by a Dominican friar from Poland, Australian soprano and liturgical music expert, an Irish Dominican friar. ***New liturgical music from Poland, good liturgical practice, filling gaps in your repertoire, launch of a new hymnal, record music for Irish Dominicans' 800 years in Ireland. €32 including three-course lunch. Book: DominicanDayChoirs2024.eventbrite.com

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: €3200 Numbers 13, 18, 21, 27. **NO Jackpot Winner: €100 – Marie Donnellan, Kilrush.** €20 Winners Joey McSweeney, Dereen. Oisin Mescall, Clonadrum. Joan Neenan, Clohanatinna. Rob & J, Mullagh. Michael Casey, Mullagh Next Draw Monday 04/03/2024 “Cooneys” and Jackpot will be €3400! Please support KIB Sports Lotto on www.localotto.ie 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. 28th Aug – 4th Sept 2024 or 4th – 11th Sept 2024. €805, price increases to €855 after 2nd February – 7 night group pilgrimage with James Considine. Fr.

Martin Shanahan as Spiritual Directors. Contact James 065 9059328 or 085 7385385.

FEAST OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES & WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE SICK This Sunday we celebrate the 166th anniversary of Mary's God's Mother appearing to St Bernadette at Lourdes and inviting her to bring people to Lourdes on pilgrimage. This invitation is now issued to the Diocese of Killaloe to come on pilgrimage to Lourdes from Friday 21st June to Wednesday 26th June . Cost 899pp sharing . Booking can be made with joewalshstours.ie or 01 2410800. The Diocese will be able to bring 24 assisted pilgrims , for more information on this section , please contact Fr Tom Ryan Pilgrimage Director , 087 2349816 or tfryan.ennis@gmail.com

ATLANTIC WAVE HOLISTIC & INTEGRATED COUNSELLING AND PSYCHOTHERAPY As a Parish Community we are hoping to offer

Counselling to people around: (1) Anxiety Stress, Depression Support (2)

Personal Relationship Challenges (3) Grief and Loss Therapy (4)

Mindfulness Practices (5) Life Transition Counselling (6) Cultivating

Compassion and Self care The Counselling Service is Free and open to all.

Please contact Anne at 087 2180037 or email atlanticwavepsychotherapy@gmail.com more information also available from Fr. Donagh 087 2322140

FCJ SPIRITUALITY HOUSE: Journeying into our hearts and into the heart of Holy Week with Martina Lehané – Fri March 22nd to Sun March 24th (Palm Sunday) 2024. Full details and booking at www.fcjspiritualityhouse.ie

Reflection

The following prayers was found written over the door of a church:

'Lord, make the door of this house

Wide enough to receive

All who need human love and fellowship,

Narrow enough to shut out

All envy, pride, and strife.

Make its threshold smooth enough

To be no stumbling block to children,

Not to straying feet.

Make this house a house of prayer

And a gateway to your kingdom.

Criocho Callan Cluster

Fr. Donagh O’Meara 087 2322140

Rita O’Dwyer Ministry of Pastoral Care 086 3838500

Fr. Martin Shanahan Co PP 087 7486935

Fr. John McGovern Co PP 065 6839735

Church of Ireland Minister Vicki Lynch 086 8292073

Child Safeguarding Representatives

John O’Brien 087 2724819

Mary Murrihy 087 2261195

- **KIB Defibrillator** 999 or 112
- **Local SVDP St. Annes Conference** - 086 2168749 – Email:mwsvp2021@gmail.com
- **SAMARITANS** 116 123
- **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.
- **PCI COUNSELLING** 0818 555 450
- **SLAINTE AN CHLAIR CLARE CANCER SUPPORT :** (087) 6912396 E-mail: admin@clarecancersupport.com