

Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> February 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 & Friday**

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

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

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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)

**COORE CHURCH:** 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
- Martin & Bridie Donnellan
- Margaret Cunningham
- Pe & Eileen Killeen
- Francis Comber, Carhuligane
- Peg & J Clancy
- Christy Kelly
- Gertie & Michael McNamara, Ballymakea
- Tone & Kitty Darcy, Mullagh Village

**QUILTY CHURCH:** Saturday 10th February at 7.15pm  
Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion (Rosary at 6.55pm)

**COORE CHURCH:** Sunday 11th February at 9.30am  
Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion (Rosary at 9.05am)

**MULLAGH CHURCH:** Sunday 11th February at 11am  
Special Intention

**WEEKEND 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> February**

**Quilty Church Sat at 7.15pm:**

Eucharistic Ministers: Beatrice & Carmel  
Reader – Rita

**Coore Church Sun at 9.30am:**

Eucharistic Ministers – Catherine Sexton  
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  
Reader for 25<sup>th</sup> February – Áine Sexton

**Mullagh Church Sun 11am**

Eucharistic Minister: Anthony Murphy & Rita Corry  
Reader: Geraldine McMahon

**GROUPED ANNIVERSARY MASSES IN OUR PARISH:**

Quilty Church Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> February at 7.15pm  
Coore Church Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> February at 9.30am  
Mullagh Church Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2024 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**

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

<https://www.cruse.org.uk/understandinggrief/grief-experiences/coping-death-partner/>

Bereavement Counselling available in Milford House  
061 485800

**THANK YOU:**

I would like to thank everybody who joined me in celebrating my retirement from director of the choir and for showing me such kindness. I would also like to thank everybody for their well wishes and cards. I would like to give a special thanks to Fr Donagh and the pastoral council for organising such a wonderful night. Thank you to the Quilty Tavern, to the musicians and all who attended, making the night so special.  
Mary Clancy

**MULLAGH CHOIR**

We warmly welcome Mrs Caroline O'Dea as our new Choir Director. We thank Caroline for taking on the role and wish her well as she begins. New members are always welcome to the choir. We also need to train in an organist. If any young person is willing to help, tuition fees would be taken care of by the Parish. Contact Fr. Donagh or Mrs O'Dea.

**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 Fr. Michael O'Keeffe has passed away recently in Florida USA. His funeral mass will take place here on Monday 5<sup>th</sup> February at 11am. Rest in Peace Fr. Michael.

**BAPTISM:** We welcome into our community Séimí O'Dwyer, Éabha Marrinan & Clara Ryan baptised in our Parish this weekend.

**CLARE OLDER PEOPLE'S VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR AWARD 2024** The search is on again to recognise those who give their time, energy and skills to help others in the local community. For a nomination form please email: [agefriendlyclare@clarecoco.ie](mailto:agefriendlyclare@clarecoco.ie) or telephone (065) 6846240 or visit [www.clarecoco.ie/services/community/age-friendly-programme/age-friendly-county/](http://www.clarecoco.ie/services/community/age-friendly-programme/age-friendly-county/)

Nomination forms must be submitted by **Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March 2024.**

**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](http://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](http://www.mullaghschool.ie) For more information, please contact Genevieve Pender Acting principal via email at [principal@mullaghschool.ie](mailto: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](mailto: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.

**CONCERTINA CRUINNIÚ, 2024:** The 12<sup>th</sup> Concertina Cruinniú organised by Oidhreacht an Chláir, with continued support from the Arts Council, will be held in Miltown on February 9-11, comprising classes for all grades, lectures and recitals, and free public sessions. The **Gala Concert** on Saturday 10, at 8.30 pm in the Community Centre, will feature, for the first time in Miltown, the renowned group **ALTAN** (Mairéad Ní Mhaonaigh, Daithí Sproule, Martin Tourish, Ciarán Curran, Mark Kelly and Clare Friel), preceded by Pádraic Keane and Andrea Pelandri. The lectures and recitals are (1) *Remembering Howard Marshall* (author of *Out of Darkness*), with Ben Taylor and tunes from Liam O'Brien and Sean Neylon, followed by the Clare launch of "*What Ireland can teach the world about music and other essays*" by Toner Quinn, with readings from the book and tunes from Toner, Malachy Burke (Fiddle) and Stephen McFarlane (Guitar) (*Friday, 8.30 pm, Community Centre*), (2) Lecture, Dr Aoife Granville "*Contemporary Thoughts on Irish Traditional Music and Song*" (Saturday, 2.30pm, Community Centre), and (3) an intimate short Concert in The Listening Room featuring Noel Hill & Seán Óg Potts (Saturday, 5.00-6.00pm, Westbridge).

**Free public sessions: Saturday, 3.00pm – 4.30pm:** Open Junior Session led by Liam O'Brien & Brid O'Donohue (St Joseph's National School); Open Intermediate Session led by Josephine Marsh & Bernie Geraghty (Community Centre); and Open Adult Session led by Claire Keville & John Weir (Clancy's Bar); and on **Sunday, 2.30pm-5.30pm:** Songs and Tunes with Tim Dennehy, Róisín White, Máire Ní Ghráda, Déirdre Scanlon & Maeva Donnelly (The Forge at the Players Bar), plus Cosán Ceoil (Friday & Saturday nights, 10.00pm in selected pubs).

**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: €4800 Numbers 02, 09, 18, 29. **NO Jackpot Winner: €100 Patricia Whelan, Mountscott.** €20 Winners Stephen Cunningham, Quilty East. Jack Boyle, Quilty. Aine McGuire, Doonogan. Michelle Clancy, Downpatrick. Catherine Fogarty, Lisdoonvarna. Next Draw Monday 05/02/2024 “Cooneys” and Jackpot will be €5000! Please support KIB Sports Lotto on [www.localotto.ie](http://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. 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.

**MASS FOR TEMPERANCE SUNDAY & WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE SICK** will be broadcast next Sunday 11 February 2024 at 11am on RTÉ TV & Radio.

**BEEF PLAN MOVEMENT** is hosting a free meeting to discuss the recent 5 stars on various cattle breeds, we will have several Breed Societies and A.I. Rep and TD's attending. this meeting will be chaired by Joseph Woulfe on West County Hotel Tuesday the 6th

of February at 7.30pm

**LOURDES NOVENA:** A novena in preparation for the feast of Our Lady of Lourdes and World Day of Prayer for the Sick will take place in the Cathedral Ennis from Saturday 3rd February to Sunday 11th February.

Weekdays at 7.30pm , Saturday 11am and Sunday 11.30am. Novena prayer cards are available in the Cathedral and Ennis Parish Office .The Novena can be viewed online on the Ennis Cathedral webcam. .Petitions left at the shrine in the Cathedral by Tuesday 6th February , will be brought to Lourdes by Fr Tom for the feast day and World Day of Prayer for the Sick on Sunday 11th February.This year our Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes direct from Shannon Airport will be from Friday 21st June to Wednesday 26th June and our Autumn Pilgrimage from Monday 30th September to Saturday 5th October

**Reflection – A lonely Place**

Jesus often went off to a lonely place to pray.  
Yet the same Jesus who prayed in lonely places said,

‘When you pray, go into your room,  
And pray to your Father in secret.’

This means that the lonely place  
Is not necessarily a place far away,  
Or that by ‘room’ he means four walls  
That separate us physically from others.  
The room is the room of our innermost heart.

This room is with us at all times.

We should make it a place to which we can go

To find rest and spiritual recovery

When the world is too much with us.

Then we will discover that the inner room

Is not empty after all, but is occupied

By the God of love who dwells in us all.

**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](mailto: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](mailto:westclaremha@mentalhealthireland.ie)
- **WEST CLARE CANCER CENTRE** 0659060762 email [westclarecancercentre@gmail.com](mailto:westclarecancercentre@gmail.com) or social media.
- **PCI COUNSELLING** 0818 555 450
- **SLAINTE AN CHLAIR CLARE CANCER SUPPORT** : (087) 6912396 E-mail: [admin@clarecancersupport.com](mailto:admin@clarecancersupport.com)