

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH MILTOWN MALBAY ST. MARY'S CHURCH MOY
CRÍOCHA CALLAN PASTORAL AREA

CHURCH OF IRELAND – CHRIST CHURCH SPANISH POINT

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A 16th February, 2020

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In Miltown Malbay Church:

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Every Tuesday from 10.30 a.m. until 10 p.m.

Prayer Group: Wednesday evening 6 p.m. in the Parish Meeting Room

Readers for Next Sunday: 6.00 p.m. Caroline O'Rourke

12.15 p.m. Mary Jo Fennell Clarke

Next Sunday is the Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time – Day of Prayer for Temperance

LITURGIES FOR THIS WEEK:

Miltown

Monday: 10 a.m. Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion

MASS: 10 a.m. Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday

Saturday: Mass 6 p.m. – Grouped Anniversary

Masses

Michael Fox, Kildimo

Delia & Michael O'Gorman, Caherogan

Mickey & Mary McMahan, Knockliscrane

Kevin Barry, Illane

Peggy Moroney, Ennis Road

Baby Queally, Ennis Road

Sunday: Mass 12.15 p.m. – Grouped Anniversary

Masses

Michael Cleary 'Dunvarna', Spanish Point

Michael, Margaret & Gerald Cleary,
Ennis Road

John & Bridget Curtin, Knockbrack

John Minogue, Spanish Point Road

John Burke, The Armada

Jimmy & Maisie Galvin, Breaffa

Moy: Reader for Next Sunday: Melissa Harhen

Sunday: Mass 10.00 a.m.

CHRIST CHURCH, SPANISH POINT

Sunday: No Service next Sunday

MASS SERVERS: MILTOWN MALBAY

Saturday 22nd Feb. 6 p.m. Mass Group C

Sunday 23rd Feb. 12.15 p.m. Mass Group C2

FEBRUARY GROUPED ANNIVERSARY MASSES

MILTOWN

Saturday 22nd Feb. 6 p.m. Sunday 23rd Feb. 12.15 p.m.

FEB. GROUPED ANNIVERSARY MASSES – MOY

Sunday 23rd Feb. 10 a.m.

REFLECTION:

Grant, O Lord, that each day

Before we enter the little death of sleep,

We may undergo the little judgement of the past day,

So that every wrong deed may be forgiven

And every unholy thought set right.

Let nothing go down into the depths of our being

Which has not been forgiven and sanctified

Then we shall be ready

For our final birth into eternity,

And look forward with love and hope

To standing before you,

Who art both judge and saviour,

Holy judge and loving saviour.

(Bishop Appleton)

A BLESSING for Expectant Mothers on Wednesday 19th
February @7:30pm in Inagh Church.

BISHOP FINTAN MONAHAN will lead a 7-night pilgrimage to Medjugorje from July 22-29, 2020 with direct flights from Dublin to Mostar-Medjugorje Airport. Mass daily with full religious programme with sightseeing and visit to local sites of interest. Air-conditioned accommodation close to St James' Church with breakfast and evening meals included. Price is €725 per person sharing. For more information please contact Marian Pilgrimages on Dublin 01.878.8159 or info@marian.ie

FR. DONAGH is away with a group in Missionvale, South Africa from Friday 14th of February to Tuesday 25th of February. In the event of a sick call or a funeral please contact Fr. Peadar O'Loughlin 087-6898782

ACCOMMODATION FOR WILLIE CLANCY WEEK:

The school committee is currently arranging for the accommodation of tutors, performers and overseas guest artists and would appreciate information on the availability of local houses, apartments, mobile homes and bed and breakfasts to cater for this demand during summer school week, 4th – 12th July. Please forward information about such accommodation to 089-2320498 kilduffmg@gmail.com – scoilwclancy73@gmail.com For updates on programme see: www.scoilsamhraidhwillieclancy.com

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES:

Mary, God's Mother appeared to Bernadette in Lourdes 162 years ago and asked that people would come on pilgrimage to Lourdes. The Killaloe Diocesan Pilgrimage will be led by Bishop Fintan Monahan who warmly invites you to join him in Lourdes from the 26th June to 1st July.

The cost this year is €725 per person sharing. €20 discount for online booking at www.joewalshstours.ie
Booking forms can be obtained from: Joe Walsh Tours, 143 Lower Baggot Street, Dublin 2. Telephone: (01) 2410810
A limited number of sick pilgrims will be accommodated in the Sanctuary of Lourdes at a cost of €638. Applications for sick pilgrims only to Fr. Tom Ryan, Pilgrimage Director, Cathedral House Station Road Ennis Co. Clare. Telephone: (065) 6824043
Families or individuals often sponsor a family member, parents, or a friend on the occasion of an anniversary or Jubilee with a visit to Lourdes. Sponsorship for sick people is always welcome. For more details, see poster in Church porch and on the Killaloe Diocese website www.killaloediocese.ie

PILGRIMAGE TO OBERAMMERGAU The Killaloe Diocese has secured 40 tickets for the famous Passion Play that is held in Oberammergau Germany. Bishop Fintan Monahan will lead a Killaloe Diocesan Pilgrimage to the famous Passion Play at Oberammergau, Germany from 29th August to 2nd September this year. Flying direct from Shannon Airport the pilgrimage will include visits to Vienna, Salzburg, the German Marian Shrine of Our Lady of Altötting and Marktl am Inn (birthplace of Emeritus Pope Benedict XVI). Places are limited to 40 pilgrims, so early booking is advised. Since the Passion Play at Oberammergau is performed only once every ten years, this pilgrimage offers a unique opportunity to participate in a special and historic event.

In 1633 the residents of Oberammergau in the German province of Bavaria vowed that if God spared them from the bubonic plague, that they would, for all time, produce a play every 10 years depicting the life and death of Jesus. The play is performed in every year ending in zero. This year the play will be performed throughout the season from May to October. The production involves 2000 performers, musicians and technicians, all of whom are residents of Oberammergau. Cost of the Pilgrimage is €1095 per person sharing, no single rooms available

Further Information and booking forms from Fr. Tom Ryan, Killaloe Diocesan Director of Pilgrimages. 087 234 9816 or Fr. Brendan Quinlivan, Killaloe Diocesan Communications Officer. Tel: 087 273 6310.

RUN The Banner SERIES 2020 and the Michael Egan Memorial 5 Mile Road Race and 5k Fun run/walk will take place on Sunday 23rd Feb. in Quilty starting at 1.00pm.
50th Anniversary of Kilmurry Ibrickane/North Clare Athletic Club 1970-2020 and the first 250 competitors registered online at RUN THE BANNER will receive a once off TEE SHIRT or come to Mullagh Community Sports Field 7-8pm Monday and Wednesday next Week. (Contact: James Sexton 087-2472623)
NO TEE Shirts on Race Day

Traffic Arrangements for the 23rd FEB. from 12.30 to 2.00pm in the following areas, The Main Quilty -Kilrush Road, Seafield, Clohaninchy Cross, Creggane, Kilmurry, Clonadrum, all those roads will be closed for periods of the Race. So Expect Delays that Sunday. Come along and Support your Local Club Kilmurry Ibrickane/North Clare ATHLETIC CLUB.

Alzheimer Society - " Burren Walk " 2020.

Please note that due to " Storm Dennis" expected to arrive in the west on Saturday / Sunday the Alzheimer Society " Burren Walk " due to take place in Fanore this coming Sunday has been postponed until **Sunday the 1st of March.**

MOTHERS AND OTHERS GAELIC FOOTBALL, MILTOWN MALBAY

will commence training for the 2020 season on Saturday the 29th February at 10am at Hennessy Memorial Pitch. Any females over 25 and not already playing competitively for a club are very welcome to attend. If you are new to the sport or a past player, come along to learn / develop new skills in a fun, non-competitive and social environment. Please contact Lorraine (083 8170574) or Caroline (083 3131776) for further details.

CONCERTINA CRUINNIÚ: The 8th annual Concertina Cruinniú of Oidhreacht an Chláir this weekend will conclude with two major concerts in the Westbridge: **Saturday, 8.30pm**, Jack Talty, Damien O'Reilly & John Blake, in concert with Noel Hill & Éamonn O'Riordan; and **Sunday, 6.00pm**, Farewell Concert, Music and Half-Set with Bobby Gardiner, Eileen O'Brien. Geraldine Cotter, Mairéad Considine and Áine Heslin. Also a free concert, 'Tunes from the West', with Noel Hill & Liam O'Connor on Sunday, 3.30pm (Clancy's), an open Junior session (4.00pm Market House) and Cosán Ceoil free night-time sessions Full details from Áras OaC, at www.concertinacruinniú.ie or from eolas@oac.ie or 087-2897935.

CLARE TYPE 1 DIABETES GROUP MEETUP

The next meet up of the Clare Type 1 Diabetes Group will take place on **Tuesday 18th February** at 8pm in The Temple Gate Hotel, Ennis, **with guest speaker, Sara Lasker** presenting "Diabetes Seeing the Whole Person"

BOOK: Due to ongoing demand a further issue is now available of the book Miltown Malbay "Hall of Fame" by Liam Benn (formerly of Illane, Miltown Malbay). A brief history of remarkable people from the parish of Kilfarboy who have achieved distinction at national and international level from 1600s to the present day. Books available at Miltown Malbay Post Office cost €10 per book. All profits from the sale of this book will be donated to West Clare Cancer and to date a substantial amount of money has been raised for this worthy cause.

"CÁIRDE" SOCIAL CLUB: A social club has been set up in Miltown Community Centre to organise events and get together for over 50s. Our first gathering is for a cup of tea and a chat at 10.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Friday 21st February. Other events and get togethers will be discussed and agreed on Friday 21st. Please come along with good ideas and help this Club to succeed. **ALL ARE WELCOME**

SCHOOL ENROLMENT: St. Joseph's N.S. Miltown Malbay is now enrolling new students for Sept. 2020. Registration Forms can be obtained from the school office, Tel No: 7084414 or can be downloaded from our website: www.stjosephsmm.ie

GLENSTAL - COME & SEE DAY for Young Adults 20-35 years at Glenstal on **Saturday February 29th**. For further information please visit the abbey website: glenstal.com/Come&See

ALSO see poster in Church – SUNDAYS OF LENT GLENSTAL ABBEY 2020

MILTOWN/MOY DEFIBRILLATOR 065-7050199
SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAUL 086 2168749
BASKET COLLECTION Week ending 9/2/2010 €1,440