

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

CHURCH OF IRELAND – CHRIST CHURCH SPANISH POINT

Easter Sunday of the Lord's Resurrection Year B 4th April, 2021

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In Miltown Malbay Church

Readers for Next Sunday: 6 p.m. Edel Lynch
12.15 p.m. John G. Devitt

Next Sunday is the Second Sunday of Easter (Divine Mercy Sunday) Year B

LITURGIES FOR THIS WEEK:

Miltown: (www.miltownmalbayparish.ie webcam)

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

MASS: **7 p.m. Friday** for Mary Shannon,
Kilfarboy West (Months Mind)
(Please note there will be no morning Mass)

MASS: **10 a.m. Saturday** for Michael Haran,
Spanish Point (Months Mind)

6 p.m. Saturday for Peter Cleary,
Ennistymon Road (1st Anniversary)

MASS: **12.15 p.m. Sunday – Grouped Anniversary**
Masses

Seán Curtin, Caherogan
Paul Rynne, Glendine
Thomas & Margaret Looney & Deceased
Members of the Looney Family, Dromin
Martin & Ellen Looney & Deceased
Members of the Looney Family, Sandymount
Martin & Nora Lynch and Michael, Maureen
and Mairéad Lynch, Main Street
Susan & Michael O'Malley & Deceased
Family Members, Clohanmore

MASS ON CLARE FM each Sunday at 9 a.m.

REMEMBRANCE: Our prayers are asked for the
repose of the Souls of Dessie Fitzgerald, Tullygarvan,
Lahinch, Tony Egan, Ballinoe and Mrs. Anne (Nancy)
Lynch, nee Mee, formerly of Carhuduff, who passed
away, recently, in her 101st year. Burial will take place
in Hampshire, England.
Rest in Peace Dessie, Tony and Anne (Nancy)

PRAYER TO ST. ROCH

St. Roch by the ministry of an Angel, God gave you a
promise engraved on a Tablet, that whoever would
invoke your name, would be preserved from all
contagious diseases and illnesses. St. Roch pray for us
that we may be preserved from all contagious diseases
and illnesses – especially the Corona Virus. Amen

EASTER

We all experience moments of dying in our lives
We get a foretaste of death
when we live in bitterness,
when prejudice blinds us,
when loneliness enfolds us,
when fears oppress us,
when sadness overwhelms us,
and when we give in to despair.
In those moments the world is closing in on us,
and we have one foot in the grave already.

But we also experience moments of
resurrection in our lives;
when we know true love,
when we are accepted,
when we are forgiven,
when we open our hearts to our neighbour,
and when hope returns.
In those moments our horizon is widening
and we are emerging from the tomb.

Lord Jesus,
May the power of your resurrection touch
whatever is dead in us
and bring it back to life.
Let the splendour of your resurrection light
up the world,
scattering the shadows of death
and helping all of God's children
to walk in radiant hope towards the kingdom
that is to come. Flor McCarthy SDB

EASTER REFLECTION

God of life,
You roll away the heavy stone of suffering and death
from our lives and call us out of our tombs towards
the light and hope of resurrection.
Lift the weight of the hard and painful times of our
lives and light our path toward the goodness and freedom
that lie ahead.
We thank you for walking with us on our Lenten journey
and we praise you for once again bringing new life out of
death.
Like the woman at the tomb on Easter morning,
Make us faithful witnesses of the resurrection.

ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

TRÓCAIRE:

A reminder to keep the Trócaire Collection in mind as we come to the end of Lent. A reminder to Children to fill their Trócaire Boxes with coins as we remember the Children of Sudan this year. Envelopes are in our Collection Boxes or alternatively you can hand in your Trócaire box.

COVID-19 Support Line for Older People

ALONE manage a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to COVID-19 (Coronavirus). Professional staff are available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary. The support line is open seven days a week, 8am - 8pm by calling **0818 222 024**

SCHOOL ENROLMENT:

St. Joseph's N.S. Miltown Malbay is now enrolling new students for Sept. 2021. Enrolment Forms can be downloaded from our website: www.stjosephsnn.ie and posted to the school. For any enquiries please contact Aidan Looney on 087- 6909605

RINEEN N.S. Enrolment Forms for Parents who wish to enrol their child in Rineen NS are now available and can be downloaded from our school website. Alternatively you can email the school at rineenschool@gmail.com and request an enrolment form. Or ring Michael on 086 3352159.

ROCKMOUNT NS: Rockmount National School are now enrolling for September 2021. Enrolment forms are available from the school website www.rockmountns.ie, by e-mailing rockmountnationalschool@gmail.com or by calling us on 0657084599. For an insight into our school, see our promotional video on our school website or on our facebook page www.facebook.com/rockmountns

CLOTHES RECYCLING: Scoil Iosef Naofa, Moy is holding a clothes recycling collection on Tuesday 20th April. Items for recycling include: Blankets, sheets, clothing, curtains, shoes in pairs, handbags. No duvets, pillows or cushions please. Please drop your recycling bags into the school shed before April 20th.

IRISH RED CROSS: The Local Red Cross have a bus available that takes people all over the County to Hospital appointments. It is free of charge to the people of Clare. If you need to go to a hospital appointment/or for treatment contact James Lafferty at 086 8323456.

WEDNESDAYS ON THE WEB: Wednesdays on the web has concluded for the moment. Sincere thanks to all our musicians who gave their time so generously over the last three months. Sincere thanks to Sue Garrahy for co-ordinating the night and to John G. Devitt for the introduction and reflection. We will resume in September please God.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS: The Stations of the Cross are erected in the grounds of both Churches. As we can't gather to do the stations, we encourage you as a family to do the Stations outdoors socially distanced from each other. There is a booklet in the porch of both Churches you can use (Please take it home after you are finished).

EASTER PACKAGES: Easter Packages are available this weekend with a Prayer for Holy Week, Easter water and a Candle. They will be available in the porches of both churches. Please take one per family.

PRIESTS EASTER COLLECTION: The Easter Collection for the Priests of the Parish will take place over Easter. Envelopes are in our boxes.

Wednesday, 14th April 2021

Five ways to wellbeing during tough times. A Healthy Ireland at your Library Event. Online event at 1pm

The aim of this 1 hour webinar, which will be delivered by Claire Flynn, Development Officer with Mental Health Ireland, is to provide participants with a brief introduction to the concepts of mental health & wellbeing. It will give people an improved understanding of how they can look after their wellbeing during Covid-19 and how to incorporate the five ways to wellbeing, as a healthy coping strategy, into their lives. Free event for adults throughout Co Clare, booking essential. In order to take part, participants will require remote access to Zoom. Please book your place by calling Kilrush Library on 065 9051504 during branch opening hours or alternatively by emailing kilrush@clarelibrary.ie

Friday, 16th April 2021

Boost your immune system with food. A Healthy Ireland at your Library event. Online event at 1pm

During this presentation consultant dietitian Gillian McConnell B.Sc (Hons) Dietetics, MINDI from Inside Out Nutrition will explore ways that you can boost your immune system. You will get plenty of evidence based practical top tips on how to incorporate healthy eating into your life. Free event for people throughout Co Clare aged 18+. Booking is essential. Please book your place by emailing kilrush@clarelibrary.ie or by calling Kilrush Library on 065 9051504 during branch opening hours.

Monday 19th April, 2021 & Monday 26th April 2021

Fitness4Fun Exercise session. A Healthy Ireland at Your Library Event. Online event @ 11am

Join John Conroy for a Fitness4fun online chair yoga to improve flexibility, increase muscle tone and improve your overall health. Regular exercise is important to the physical and mental health of older adults and in this Fitness4Fun session John will show new ways for participants to remain physically active, no matter what their age. Free event for adults throughout Co Clare, limited numbers, booking essential. Please book your place by calling Kilrush Library on 065 9051504 during branch opening hours or alternatively by emailing kilrush@clarelibrary.ie

MILTOWN/MOY DEFIBRILLATOR 065 7050199

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAUL 086 2168749

BASKET COLLECTION – 28/03/2021 = €1,308.00

PARISH OFFICE will be closed on Easter Monday

A VERY HAPPY EASTER TO ALL OUR PARISHIONERS