ST. JOSEPH’S CHURCH MILTOWN MALBAY   ST. MARY’S CHURCH MOY
CRÍOCHA CALLAN PASTORAL AREA
CHURCH OF IRELAND – CHRIST CHURCH SPANISH POINT

Fifth Sunday of Lent Year C 7th April, 2019

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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. Caragh Vaughan
12.15 p.m. John G. Devitt

Next Sunday is Palm Sunday of the Lord’s Passion Year C

LITURGIES FOR THIS WEEK:

Miltown
Monday: 10 a.m. Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion
Mass 10 a.m. Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday

Saturday: Mass 10 a.m. for Nano O’Loughlin, Church St. (1st Anniversary)
Mass 6 p.m. for Gerry Crowley, Dunsallagh (1st Anniversary)

Sunday: Mass 12.15 p.m – Grouped Anniversary Masses
Jack Healy, The Crescent
Jack & Margaret Fitzgibbon Price
Susan & Michael O’Malley & Deceased Members of The O’Malley Family, Clohanmore
Tom & Bridie Reidy & Deceased Members of the Reidy & Fahey Families

Moy: Reader for Next Sunday: Melissa Harhen
Sunday: Mass 10 a.m. for Jane White née Flaherty, Lackamore (1st Anniversary)

CHRIST CHURCH, SPANISH POINT
Sunday: Morning Service 9.45 a.m. Sunday 14th April

REMEMBRANCE: Our prayers are asked for the repose of the Soul of Mary O’Connell née Organ, Corofin and formerly of Moy who died during the week.

MASS SERVERS: MILTOWN MALBAY
Saturday 13th April 6 p.m. Mass Group B
Sunday 14th April 12.15 p.m. Mass Group B2

CONFIRMATION: Bishop Fintan Monahan will celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation for the schools of the parish in St. Joseph’s Church Miltown Malbay next Thursday 11th April at 11 a.m. Please note there will be no 10 a.m. Mass on Thursday morning.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY April 28th in Ennis Cathedral
Led by Bishop Fintan Monahan starting at 2.30 p.m. with Devotions, Confessions, Mass and Benediction.

APRIL GROUPED ANNIVERSARY MASSES IN MILTOWN
Saturday 6th April 6 p.m.
Sunday 14th April 12.15 p.m. Sunday 28th April 12.15 p.m.

APRIL GROUPED ANNIVERSARY MASSES IN MOY
Sunday 7th April 10 a.m. Sunday 28th April 10 a.m.

ANNUAL MASS & ANOINTING for people with disabilities and chronic illnesses in Ennis Cathedral on Wednesday, 15th May from 2 to 3pm with Bishop Fintan Monahan as chief celebrant and homilist, assisted by many Priests for the anointing. All are welcome.

RECONCILIATION SERVICE at all Masses on Saturday 6th/Sunday 7th April.

EASTER MASS TIMES
HOLY THURSDAY
Miltown Church 6.30pm

GOOD FRIDAY
3pm in Miltown and Moy
Stations of the Cross at Blessed Well at 7pm

HOLY SATURDAY
Miltown Church 9pm

PASTORAL COUNCIL:
Joint Meeting of Mullagh/Miltown Pastoral Councils on Tuesday 9th April at 7.30 p.m. in Miltown Church.

COMMUNITY LED LITURGY:
Meeting of Community Led Liturgy Leaders to prepare for Good Friday on Tuesday 9th April at 8.30 p.m in Miltown Church.

TRÓCAIRE LENTEN CAMPAIGN: Trócaire: ‘Love no flood can quench, no torrents drown…’ Song of Songs 8:7: 2.5 million people may have been affected by the devastating cyclone and floods that have hit southern Africa. Trócaire is responding on the ground with life-saving support and the Lenten campaign will help not only the people in Mozambique, Malawi and Zimbabwe but thousands of others facing hardship across the developing world. www.trocaire.org
REFLECTION SERENITY PRAYER:
God grant me the serenity to accept the things I cannot change; courage to change the things that I can; and the wisdom to know the difference. Living one day at a time; Enjoying one moment at a time; Accepting hardships as the pathway to peace; Taking, as Christ did, this sinful world as it is, not as I would have it; Trusting that He will make all things right If I surrender to His Will; That I may be reasonably happy in this life And supremely happy with Him forever in the next. Amen.

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES
25th -30th June: The pilgrimage would welcome the assistance of Nurses who would like to volunteer and care for assisted pilgrims on this year’s Diocesan pilgrimage for five days in June. If any nurse is interested please contact Michael on 086-3813677.

CELEBRATION OF NEW LIFE & Blessing of Expectant Parents: Ennis Cathedral Thursday April 11th 8pm.

JOIN ACCORD: WE ARE NOW RECRUITING VOLUNTEER FACILITATORS
- If you have a positive attitude towards marriage in the Catholic Church
- If you have the enthusiasm to be part of the Accord team in supporting couples who are preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage
WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU! For further information please contact Accord at 085-2358384 or email accord.ennis@eircom.net before Friday 19th April.

SEÁN KEANE IN CONCERT:
The very popular Sean Keane will be in concert at the Moy Community Centre on Friday 19th April at 8.00pm. All funds raised will go towards the upkeep and maintenance of the hall. Tickets €25. Advance booking is advisable. Contact Bridie at 087 9013884.

COMMUNICARE HEALTHCARE: Communicare Healthcare are looking for Healthcare Assistants in the Miltown Malbay area. Flexible working hours with excellent rates of pay. Contact Communicare today on 061-760231, email: maria.dixon@communicare.ie or check out our website www.communicare.ie.

CLARE OLDER PEOPLES COUNCIL: in association with the Irish Hospice Foundation and Cahir & Co. Solicitors, Ennis present a free seminar on end of life planning “Putting the House in Order” in the Court House Gallery, Ennistymon on Wed. 10th April 11a.m. to 2p.m. Sign in 10.30 – 11. The event is free but places are limited so booking is essential. A light lunch will be provided. Contact hmoloney@clarecoco.ie or tel. 0656846240, or Susan Harvey Tel. 0872379505, 065 7071145 or email susanharvey045@gmail.com

OIDHREACHT AN CHLÁIR: The next video interviews from our Community Memories project, funded by the Heritage Council, will be shown in The Malbay on Monday, April 8 at 8.00pm. John Joe Tuttle of Shanaway (interviewed by Seán Malone) talks of the end of WWII, his life of music, the influence of Paddy Killoran on him, the Laichtín Naofa Ceili Band, soirees in this area, the music scene in early 1960s London, the later Folk Clubs such as Crusheen, the North and West Clare venues in which he played, and the Fairs in Miltown. Fr Jimmy Buckley (interviewed by Tony Cogan) recalls the Flag Rd neighbourhood of his childhood, the arrival of electricity, the influence of Canon Elliott, the Church of Ireland Minister, in his rearing, his schooling at Miltown school and Tech., doing the milk and newspaper rounds, and his employment at Dalcash Labels before joining the Redemptorists, first as brother and 25 years later as priest. He talks of the daily regime in Esker and Cluain Mhuire, the holding of parish Missions, and changes in the role of the Order and in society generally. Fáilte roimh chách. Admission free.

AGRICULTURE COURSE: Preparing for Work In Agriculture Course starts in Kilrush/West Clare with Limerick Clare ETB and Clare IFA in April/May 2019. Learn farm health & safety, best milking practice, first aid and work experience. Contact Mike Ryan 065 6824819 or michael.j.ryan@lcetb.ie. www.fetchcourses.ie

NORTH CLARE MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION presents Dr. Harry Barry author and public health speaker on mental health issues such as anxiety, depression and addiction, venue Falls Hotel, Ennistymon April 11th at 7.30 p.m.

THE OLD KILFARBOY SOCIETY is delighted to be hosting the following two events this month at the Malbay:
1. Tuesday April 9th @8PM Monastic Ireland-A Gift of the Nile! with Alf Monaghan
   This illustrated talk will give a fascinating insight into Eastern Mediterranean and North African influences on early Irish Christianity.
2. Tuesday April 16th @8PM Traditional Farming Practices and Structures in the Burren with Brendan Dunford
   This rescheduled talk will outline some of the unusual management practices and associated structures devised by Burren farmers to enable them to survive in their unique landscape.

SMALL PURSE containing a sum of money has been found at Flag Road. Owner can have same by calling to the Parish office Monday – Friday 10.30 a.m. to 12.30.

MILTOWN / MOY DEFIBRILLATOR 065-7050199
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