

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH MILTOWN MALBAY ST. MARY'S CHURCH MOY
CHURCH OF IRELAND – CHRIST CHURCH SPANISH POINT

First Sunday of Lent

Year B

18th February, 2018

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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:

Thursday evening 8 p.m. in the Parish Meeting Room

Confession:

Saturday 10.30 a.m. (after Mass)

Readers for

6.00 p.m. Caragh Vaughan

Next Sunday:

12 Noon Mary Jo Fennell-Clarke

Next Sunday is the Second Sunday of Lent Year B

LITURGIES FOR THIS WEEK:

Miltown

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

Tuesday: Mass 10 a.m. Ann Galvin, Freagh

Wednesday: Mass 10 a.m. John & Bridget Curtin, Knockbrack

Thursday: Mass 7.30 p.m. P.J. & May Crehan, Carhuduff

Friday: Mass 10 a.m. Private Intention

Saturday: Mass 10 a.m. Michael Cleary 'Dunvarna', Spanish Point

Mass 6 p.m. Katherine & Michael Hehir, Dunsallagh &
Their Daughter Ann McMahan, Ennis

Sunday: Mass 12 Noon Austin Burke, Knockliscrane & The Square
(Months Mind)

Moy: Reader for Next Sunday: Bridie Gallagher

Friday: No Mass in Moy on Friday evening

Sunday: Mass 10 a.m. Catherine Finucane, Cappahard Lodge &
Cloneyogan (Months Mind)

Christ Church Spanish Point

Sunday: Morning Service 9.45 a.m. Sunday 25th February

REMEMBRANCE: Our prayers are asked for the repose of the Soul of Tom Boland, Athy and Miltown Malbay who died during the week.

WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES AUGUST 2018: A petition box is available in the altar area where petitions can be placed for inclusion at the World Meeting of Families.

CONFIRMATION: Bishop Fintan Monahan will celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation for all the schools of the parish in St. Joseph's Church, Miltown Malbay next Saturday 24th February at **3 p.m.**

PRIESTS' COLLECTION: The Lenten collection for the Priests of the Parish is being taken up this week-end.

ALTAR SERVERS: MILTOWN MALBAY

Saturday 24th February 6 p.m. Mass Group D

Sunday 25th February 12 Noon Mass Group D2

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL: There will be a meeting of the Parish Pastoral Council in the Parish Meeting Room on Wednesday 21st February at 8 p.m.

LENTEN WORKSHOP ON CLIMATE CHANGE:

Introduction: Pope Francis on Climate Change

Week 2: The Holocene: The Great Warming, End of last Glaciation

Week 3: Anthropocene: The End of Nature: Enter the Age of Man

Week 4: Gaia: Planet Earth seen as alive, breathing sensitive organism

Week 5: Weather Poetry

Workshop begins Monday February 19th at 7.30 p.m. in the Parish Meeting Room
Miltown Malbay Church

Workshop facilitated by Flann O'Keefe. All are welcome

MILTOWN MALBAY/MOY DEFIBRILLATOR 065 7050199

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAUL MILTOWN 086 2168749

THE FUTURE OF OUR PARISH- PASTORAL DEVELOPMENT:

Bishop Monahan is planning a re-organisation of our diocese which will begin to be implemented during this summer. To help with the planning of the re-organisation five area meetings are being held across the diocese. The meeting for parishes West of Ennis will take place in the Community Centre, Kilrush on Tuesday 27th February at 7.30pm. **Anybody involved in the life of our parish or who would like to have an input into its future are welcome to attend. It is very important that the Parish is represented.**

ROCKMOUNT N.S.: Rockmount N.S. is now enrolling new pupils for September 2018. Enrolment forms are available by contacting the school at 065-7084599, by email rockmount.ias@eircom.net or by downloading the form from our website www.rockmountns.ie

MILTOWN GAA will hold registration night on Friday 23rd of February between 7pm & 8pm in the clubhouse. Everyone who has registered by the end of the month will be in a draw for vouchers from Supervalu.

IRISH BLOOD TRANSFUSION SERVICE will hold a Blood Donor Clinic in the Falls Hotel on Monday 26th & Tuesday 27th February from 5pm to 8pm.

CANCER MAN 2 MAN, men only meeting Saturday, Feb 24th, 11am with visiting Oncology Nurse Specialist for Questions and Answers at Sláinte an Chláir, Clare Cancer Support Centre, Kilnamona.

SPANISH POINT COMMUNITY GROUP MEETING will take place in the BELLBRIDGE Hotel on Monday 19 February 2018 at 8 p.m.

20th ANNUAL WEST CLARE MINI MARATHON will take place on Sunday 25th February 2018 - route Doonbeg to Kilkee. All Walkers in receipt of a sponsorship card are requested to meet at the Community Centre in Kilkee, at 12 noon. They will be taken by bus to Doonbeg at 12:30pm.

SCHOOL ENROLMENT: St. Joseph's N.S. Miltown Malbay is now enrolling new students for Sept. 2018. Registration Forms can be obtained from the school office, Tel No: 7084414 or can be downloaded from our website: www.stjosephsmm.ie

RUN THE BANNER 2018 and the Michael Egan Memorial 5 Mile Road Race and 5k Fun run/walk will take place on Sunday 25th Feb. in Quilty starting at 1.00pm. Registrations at the Quilty Tavern starting at 11.00am to 12.30pm and Parking at the Kilmurry Ibrickane GAA Grounds. With over 300 competitors taking part for the fourth year in a row Traffic Arrangements 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.

ST. JOSEPH'S GAA MILTOWN LOTTO: Jackpot €2700 Numbers Drawn 7, 13, 14, 24. No winner. Five Lucky Dip Winners: Michael Lenihan, Creeko, Jimmy Clohessy, Anna Corby & Seamus Torpey.

ST JOSEPH'S SECONDARY SCHOOL, Spanish Point Spring Night Classes are back. They will resume on Wednesday 28th February. Classes include: Make-up Master Class, Vegetarian Cooking, Creative Writing, Line Dancing, Conversational French, Ceramic Pottery, and Parenting for Teens. We will also offer an afternoon painting class as a form of relaxation, and a once-off Manual Handling Course with certification. Text/Phone 089 2276068 for further details.

