

Rahan Parish

KILLINA, MUCKLAGH and THE ISLAND

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12th Sunday in Ordinary Time 20th June 2021

Today we forsake the safety of land and take to the sea. The Jews were a race of landlubbers who were uncomfortable with the sea. The wild sea reminded them of the primitive chaos which God had to control before the beginning of creation. Today's first reading, psalm and gospel proclaim the awesome wonder of God's power over the stormy sea. As scripture develops, the combination of wind and water come to represent the work of the Holy Spirit. In Genesis the wind blew over the waters before God put order and fruitfulness into the world. In Exodus a strong easterly wind blew over the waters enabling Moses to lead the people out of slavery. It anticipates what Jesus said to Nicodemus of the need to be born again in the combination of water and divine breath

KILLINA

Sunday 20th 10.30am: -----

Tuesday 22nd 7.30pm:

Thursday 24th 7.30pm:

Friday 25th 7.30pm:

Sunday 27th 10.30am:

THE ISLAND

Saturday 19th 6.00pm: -----

Wednesday 23rd 7.30pm: -----

Saturday 26th 6.00pm: -----

MUCKLAGH:

Saturday 19th 7.30pm:

Sunday 20th 9.00am: -----

Sunday 20th 12noon:

Wednesday 23rd 7.30pm:

Thursday 24th 9.00am: -----

Friday 25th 7.30pm:

Saturday 26th 7.30pm: -----

Sunday 27th 9.00am: -----

Sunday 27th 12noon:

Kindly Note: No Evening Mass

Mass for Leo Kirwan, Newtown & remembering his sister

Amy Kirwan, Newtown & Tullamore

Mass for the Feast Day of Our Lady Queen of Peace of Medjugorge

Mass for John & Ellen Guinan, Roscore & deceased family members

1st Anniversary Mass for Nora Wall, Charleville Road

1st Anniversary Mass for Willie Geraghty, Blueball, Clonterlough

Mass for Liam Lacey

Mass for John, Martin, Sarah & Mary Rickard, Mucklagh

Mass for Anne Ryan, Charleville View & Gerard Sheehy, Dublin

Rahan Parish Webcam Mass: Due to signal and technical difficulties Masses cannot be broadcast from Killina Church until further notice

Offertory/Plate:	Killina: €154.00	The Island: €100.00	Mucklagh: €115.00
Development:	Killina & The Island: €335.00		Mucklagh: €253.00

In Memory: Please remember in your prayers the repose of the souls **Seamus Gleeson**, Manchester, England & formerly Silvermines, Nenagh, Co. Tipperary (brother in law of Fr. John McEvoy) who died on the 10th June. Funeral arrangements later, **Bob Mc Donnell**, (brother of Gilbert Mc Donnell, Mucklagh) who died in Nova Scotia, Canada on the 14th June, **Mike Kelly**, Coolnahiley, Tullamore (husband of Deirdre) who died on the 15th June. His funeral took place on the 18th June in the Church of the Assumption, Tullamore followed by burial in St. Colmcille's Cemetery, Durrow. May they rest in peace

Our Parish Christian Community: Welcomes **Jack Tuohey**, Derrycooley, Rahan who was baptised in St. Carthage's Church, Killina on the 12th June, **Ada Alice Lambe**, Roscore, Blueball who was baptised in St. Carthage's Church, Killina on the 12th June and **Shane Martin McDonagh**, Tullamore who was baptised in St. Colman's Church, Mucklagh on the 12th June

Adoration: Mucklagh: Continues as usual on Thursdays until further notice from 2.00pm-6.00pm. All are very welcome

Adoration: Killina: On Mondays from 3.00pm-10.00pm. All are very welcome

Tax Rebate Forms: Forms can be handed into the parochial houses as soon as possible. Many thanks for your huge kindness and generosity

Confirmation Ceremony: St. Colman's N.S. Mucklagh: The Confirmation Ceremony for St. Colman's N.S. Mucklagh will take place in the Church of the Assumption, Tullamore on **Tuesday July 6th 2021 at 3.00pm.** Each candidate for Confirmation can have 1 sponsor and 2 parents or guardians. Many thanks to all family members and to the teachers and staff members for your great preparation for Confirmation Day

Confirmation Ceremony: Scoil Charthaigh Naofa, Newtown: The Confirmation Ceremony for Scoil Charthaigh Naofa, Newtown will take place in the Church of the Assumption, Tullamore on **Tuesday July 6th 2021 at 4.30pm.** Each candidate for Confirmation can have 1 sponsor and 2 parents or guardians. Many thanks to all family members and to their teacher and staff members for your great preparation for Confirmation Day

Mucklagh Active Age: To mark the longest day, 21st June, "FUN BINGO" at 3.00pm **outdoors** at the Community Centre. Non members welcome

COVID-19 Support Line for Older People: ALONE has launched a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to the outbreak of 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

Scoil Charthaigh Naofa, Newtown, Rahan: Is now enrolling for the school year 21/22, please contact the school office 05793 55393 for application forms.

Appeal for Volunteers: The committee of the Killina Presentation Resource Centre, based at the former convent, is seeking new members and volunteers who would be willing to help out with gardening, painting, cleaning etc. Great progress has been made to date but more support is needed to create a community centre we can all be proud of. Please contact killinacentre@gmail.com if you would like to get involved.

Mucklagh Community Centre: Lotto: 08/06/21. The numbers drawn by Clubforce were 1, 2 16 & 22. No Jackpot winners. Match 3 winner Alfie Fogarty C/O Philip Barron wins €150. Next Draw Tuesday June 15th in Mucklagh Community Centre and the Jackpot will be €2,200 and Match 3 €150. Thank You for your Continued Support. The Lotto Team

Mucklagh Community Centre Meals on Wheels: Mucklagh Community Centre has teamed up with KDA for meals on Wheels. Hot Dinners with a dessert are delivered three times per week on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. Cost is €5 per meal. For more information ring 086 836 4523 or 057 93 56885

Shamrock's Notes: Lotto: The numbers drawn were 5, 13, 15 and 22. No jackpot winner and no match 3 winners. Jackpot next week is €15,000 on Monday June 14th.

Well Done: Well done to our Division 4 footballers who had a good win over Durrow on Saturday evening on a 4-10 to 1-18.

Offaly GAA: Well done to Paddy Dunican and Jack Bryant who were part of the Offaly team who gained promotion to Division 2 for next year. Also, huge well done to Padraig Cantwell who made his Senior hurling debut for Offaly on Sunday when they beat Wicklow and lifted the Division 2 hurling title.

Hard Luck: Hard luck to our u13 footballers who were beaten in the County Final on Sunday by a strong St. Manchan's team but put in a tremendous performance.

Fixtures: Wednesday - U15 hurling league v Tullamore O'Brien Park, 7pm.

Thursday - U13 football league v Tullamore, Mucklagh 7pm.

Saturday - Division 2 Senior Hurling League v Coolderry, Mucklagh 7pm.

Sunday - U13 hurling league v Tullamore, O'Brien Park 11am.