

RAHAN PARISH

KILLINA, MUCKLAGH AND THE ISLAND

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12th Sunday in Ordinary Time 25th June 2017

Catholicism puts forward many rules and guidelines, developed and based on sacred scripture and adapted for the modern world. As individuals, we may find that not every guideline sits well with us. Questioning may leave us marginalised by other Catholics, accepting may leave us marginalised by wider society. But God will not judge us by what we accept or reject. He will judge us by our intentions and efforts. A fully informed conscience is of primary importance. It is, truly, the best we can do

KILLINA

Sunday 25th 10.30am: Month's Memory Mass for Ann McDermott, Dernanaugh

Tuesday 27th 7.30pm: -----

Wednesday 28th 9.00am: Mass in the Convent

Friday 30th 9.00am: -----

Sunday 2nd 10.30am: Mass for John & Margaret Fitzgerald & their son Patrick, Derrycooley

THE ISLAND

Saturday 24th 6.00pm: Mass for Peter, Rita & Danny Egan, Deerpark

Saturday 1st 6.00pm: Mass for William & Mary B. Kinahan & their sons Harry & Peter & Henry O' Rourke, Kilpatrick

MUCKLAGH

Saturday 24th 7.30pm: Mass for Jim & Margaret O' Neill, Clara Road, their son Donal & son in law Michael Fox

Sunday 25th 9.00am: Mass for Gary Toner, Rose Lawn, Tullamore

Sunday 25th 12noon: Mass for Ann Ryan, Charleville View, Tullamore

Tuesday 27th 9.00am: -----

Wednesday 28th 7.30pm: Mass for Thomas Boylan, Beechmount Park

Thursday 29th 9.00am: -----

Friday 30th 7.30pm: Mass for John, Martin & Sarah Rickard, Mucklagh

Saturday 1st 7.30pm: Mass John, Margaret & Denis Conroy & deceased members Ballydrennan

And Jim O' Boyle, Kilcormac

Sunday 2nd 9.00am: Mass for Pat & Kevin Craven, Mucklagh

Sunday 2nd 12noon: Mass for Barney Heavey, Ross, Screggan

Sunday 2nd 3.00pm: Month's Memory Mass for Mary Egan, St. Colman's Terrace

Perpetual Adoration: of the Blessed Sacrament takes place:-

Killina Church - every Monday from 3pm to 10pm.

The Island - postponed until further notice.

Mucklagh - every Thursday from 9.30am to 8.00pm.

Holy Hour Convent, Killina - every Thursday - from 2pm to 3pm.

We continue to remember all students who are undertaking the Leaving Cert and Junior Cert Exams in the local Secondary Schools. Prayers will be offered for your intentions

Offertory/Plate: Killina €245.00 The Island €225.00

Mucklagh €605.00

Dev Fund: Killina & The Island €200.00

Mucklagh €330.00

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration: in Mucklagh Church every Thursday. Adorers urgently needed for the hours 11.00am-12noon and 2.00p.m-3.00p.m an 4.00pm-5.00pm or any hour. For more information please contact 057 9351923 or 057 9351367

Peter's Pence: The Annual Peter's Pence Collection will take place this weekend

Our Parish Christian Community: Welcomes **Joseph Patrick Cully**, Tullamore who was baptised in St. Colman's Church on the 18th June

Rahan Lourdes Group: Will have their Annual Sponsored Walk on Sunday 2nd July after the 10.30am Mass in Killina. All support is very much appreciated

Eucharistic Ministers on Duty in The Island for July: 1st July: G. Minnock, 8th July: A. Minnock, 15th July: K. Looby, 22nd July: M. Minnock & 29th July: G. Minnock

Silver Jubilee Celebrations for Fr. Martin: A meeting will take place in Killina Church at 8.30pm on Wednesday 28th June. All are very welcome

Attention All Pioneers: Anyone who is a Pioneer or is interested in the Pioneer Movement, please come along to a meeting in Killina Church on Friday 30th June at 8.15pm

Three day Pilgrimage to Lough Derg: Monday - Wednesday 3rd to 5th July 2017. Pick up at Mullingar Park Hotel at 8.15am, Monday 3rd July. Organiser: Carmel Carty. Contact 044-9374818

Loughcrew: Mass of St. Oliver Plunkett will take place on Sunday 2nd July at 3.00pm in Loughcrew, Oldcastle, Co. Meath

Pilgrimage to Fatima: Centenary year pilgrimage to Fatima on October 16th for 4 nights with Marian Pilgrimages. Cost €550.00. For more information please contact Fr. Frank Guinan

Pilgrimage to The Holy Land 2018: Our 17th Annual Pilgrimage from the Diocese of Meath to the Holy Land in association with MAP Travel, led by Fr. Gerry MacCormack, Sr. Consilio Rock and Fr. Dwayne Gavin takes place from 16th – 24th April 2018. Special early booking offer of €1595.00 for all bookings before July 1st 2017 with MAP Travel, 36 Upper O'Connell Street, Dublin 1. Phone 01 8783111 or email: patricia@maptravel.ie

Coffee Morning in Mucklagh Community Centre: Every Tuesday Morning after 9AM Mass, €1 for Tea/Coffee and Toast, All Welcome.

Mucklagh Community Centre: Pilates will start in the Centre on Friday 9th of June at 10am to 10.45am anyone interested in this class can contact the Centre on 085 1261216 or 057 9356886 .

Mucklagh Active Retirement Group: Do you like a game of Cards, indoor bowls, gentle exercises or just like to sit and chat? Then come along to Mucklagh Community Centre on Tuesdays at 3.00pm. All welcome.

Mucklagh Nutrition Club: is now open in the GAA Club House in Mucklagh. Any information can be got on their Mucklagh Nutrition Facebook page.

Mucklagh Community Development: Lotto: draw 20/06/17 numbers drawn 2, 4, 10 & 19. No jackpot winner. 5 match three winner's, Sean Mc Morris, Declan O' Kelly, Bridie Casey Cummins, Richard Mc Donald & Noel Guinan. Next week's Jackpot is €12,000 and next week match three win/share €150. Thanks for all the continued support.

Rahan Comhaltas News: It's exam time in Rahan and nationwide and we would like to wish all those students finishing their exams about now the best of luck for the future. As the exams finish up we are preparing for a new seven week run of Sessiún in the Rugby Club Tullamore. We look forward to seeing all our friends and foreign visitors at Sessiún which commences Tuesday 27th June and is on every Tuesday up to the 8th August. It was Joe Monaghan's Fifth Anniversary which took place in Mucklagh Church at 7.30pm on Saturday 17th June. It's hard to believe it is five years since he departed us unexpectedly and he is still sorely missed. However, his spirit is still alive amongst Rahan Comhaltas and we have fond memories of the events he was involved with. Joe lives on amongst us and we are much stronger for it. We look forward to seeing you all at Sessiún starting the 27th June 2017

Aidan's Art Academy: is hosting his Summer Camp here in Mucklagh Community Centre on August 14th to August 18th. This is guaranteed to be a fantastic camp with plenty of activities for your little one to enjoy. To enrol your child you can contact The Community Centre on 0579356886 to secure your place. Places are limited so contact early to avoid disappointment.

Mucklagh Community and Family Fun Day: Family fun Day Sunday 25th of June (today) in Mucklagh Gaa 2pm to 5pm. Lots to do and plenty to enjoy Sumo suits, water Zorbing, Bubble Soccer, Rodeo Bull kids races and much more. We also have something for the little ones Balloon Modelling, Face Painting and a special quest appearance of a Paw Patrol Mascot on the day. There will be a Tuc shop, a Raffle and a BBQ, so why not come along for some fun and laughter.

Social Dance: In Ballinamere Community Centre on Friday 30th June from 9.30pm – 12.30. Admission is €8.00. Music by Checkers. All Welcome

Lost & Found: Pair of Reading Glasses with Black frames found in Agall. To reclaim please contact 086 9530377

Cuan Mhuire's Annual Fundraising Hillwalk: will take place on Saturday 1st of July, encompassing some of Wicklow's most breathtaking landscapes. The 15km walk, will set off from Riverside Business Centre, Tinahely and will include the Ballycumber Walking Loop. All are welcome! Cuan Mhuire is Ireland's largest provider of specialised residential treatment for people suffering from addiction, including alcohol, drugs and gambling. Inspired by the belief that each person is of eternal value, some 600 residents are cared for at any one time, with close to 3,000 people being admitted for treatment every year. Treatment programmes not only addresses the individual's addiction, but also the recovery of the whole person and the restoration of their dignity, self-respect and sense of responsibility. Cuan Mhuire also provide a network of Transition Houses across the country, supporting homeless men and women in recovery, until they feel ready for independent living.

Two Week Irish Course: In Charleville National School from 10th – 21st July. Please contact 086 6018202 for more information

Shamrock's Notes: Lotto: The numbers drawn were 4, 9, 19, 32 & 3 match 3's win €70 each. Tom Condrón (J Kearney), Conor Spain (Tullybeg), Derek Hall (E. Larkin). Jackpot €13,000 and draw in Kelly's next week.

Results: Division 3 Hurling League: Shamrock's 1-14 St. Rynagh's 2-14

Division 2 Hurling League: Shamrock's 1-12 Seir Kieran 4-20

Division 1 Football League: Shamrock's 1-08 Raheen 2-14