

RAHAN PARISH

KILLINA, MUCKLAGH AND THE ISLAND

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13th Sunday in Ordinary Time 1st July 2018

Today's gospel offers us two stories of the healing miracles of Jesus showing us something of how God's grace can enter our lives and transform our situations. We can all recall times when we were struggling, whether it be with a relationship or illness. We needed something to move us, to help us forgive, to help us walk away or to relieve us of physical pain. In the end it can be the simple gestures that save us: a kind word, someone praying for us, a gentle touch or we reach out to someone and like the woman with the haemorrhage we suddenly feel within ourselves that we are healed

KILLINA

Sunday 1st 10.30am:

Tuesday 3rd 7.30pm:

Wednesday 4th 9.00am:

Friday 6th 7.30pm:

Sunday 8th 10.30am:

THE ISLAND

Saturday 30th 6.00pm:

Friday 6th 6.30pm:

Saturday 7th 6.00pm:

MUCKLAGH:

Saturday 30th 7.30pm:

Sunday 1st 9.00am:

Sunday 1st 12noon:

Tuesday 3rd 9.00am:

Wednesday 4th 7.30pm:

Thursday 5th 9.00am:

Friday 6th 7.30pm: Mass for all those on the List of the Dead & The Dillon Family, Cadamstown & Mucklagh

Saturday 7th 7.30pm: Mass for John, Rose & Denis Conroy & deceased family members Ballindrennan, Rahan And Jim O' Boyle, Kilcormac

Sunday 8th 9.00am:

Sunday 8th 12noon:

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.

Offertory/Plate:	Killina €130.00	The Island €165.00	Mucklagh €575.00
Dev Fund:	Killina & The Island €130.00		Mucklagh €310.00
World Meeting of Families to date:	Killina €305.00	The Island €235.00	Mucklagh €860.00

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration: in Mucklagh Church every Thursday. Adorers urgently needed for the hour 11.00am-12noon or any hour. For more information please contact 057 9351923 or 057 9351367

In Memory: Please remember in your prayers the repose of the soul of **Doris Mulligan (nee Keenan)**, The Brambles, Castlebar, Co. Mayo and late of Ferbane & Portarlinton (sister of Paddy Keenan, Mucklagh) who died on the 10th June. Her funeral took place on the 12th June in The Church of the Holy Rosary, Castlebar followed by burial in High Street Cemetery, Belmont, Ferbane. May she rest in peace

Our Lady Queen of Peace Monthly Parish Mass: The monthly Mass in honour of Our Lady Queen of Peace will take place in Killina Church on Tuesday 3rd July at 7.30pm. There is an invitation to everybody from the Parish and surrounding areas to come along to the Mass and Devotions as we think of Our Lady Queen of Peace of Medjugorge.

Rahan Lourdes Group: Will hold their Annual Sponsored Walk in Killina on Sunday 1st July after the 10.30am Mass. Your support would be greatly appreciated. For more information contact Liam Byrne on 085 7895592. Recently a cheque was given to the Rahan Lourdes Hospitality Fund for the amount of €535.00. This money was given generously by the congregation at the Parish Divine Mercy Sunday Mass on the 8th April, 2018

World Meeting of Families: Plans are well underway for the World Meeting of Families event in Dublin on the week of 19th-26th August. Families are invited to visit the Icon of the Holy Family in the Cathedral of Christ the King, Mullingar from 29 June - 1 July. There will be a number of opening ceremonies for the event on Tuesday 21st August and celebrations will take place in many Cathedrals and Churches of each Diocese on that day. Each Deanery is asked to host evening prayer on Tuesday August 21st. It is proposed to hold this for our deanery in Tullamore at 7.30pm. Choirs from each parish are invited to lead the singing. The standard hymns will be used and also the special hymn "The Joy of Love". Altar servers, vested in their robes could also be invited along with any other interested groups in the parish. The prayers and readings will be divided among the various parishes to ensure that each parish is represented. There will be more information on this later. The next three days Wednesday 22nd, Thursday 23rd & Friday 24th August will consist of a pastoral congress which will take place in the R.D.S. in Dublin. There will be many international speakers and ceremonies will take place during these three days. It is proposed that a bus will go to the Wednesday 22nd event in the R.D.S from the Parish of Rahan. There will be a cost of €55 for the day. Please contact Carmel for bookings and more details on 087 9530377. On Saturday morning the 25th August our Holy Father Pope Francis will arrive at Dublin airport on a flight from Rome at 10.30am. An official welcome will take place and then he will proceed to Aras an Uachtarain to meet President Higgins. He will proceed then to Dublin Castle to meet with civic and diplomatic authorities. And he will arrive at St. Mary's Pro Cathedral at 3.30pm and then he will proceed to the Capuchain day centre to meet homeless families. The Holy Father will then proceed to Croke Park Stadium and arrive at 7.30pm for a festival of families event with many families from all over the world and with many people anticipated for this event. On Sunday the 26th August our Holy Father will depart Dublin airport at 8.40am and arrive in Knock airport at 9.20am and he will arrive at the shrine of Our Lady of Knock at 9.45am. He will visit the apparition Chapel and recite the angelus and he will depart from Knock airport at 11.15am. He will arrive in Dublin airport at 11.50am and he will have lunch and he will depart at 2.30pm for the Phoenix Park for a Papal Mass at 3.00pm. At 6.30pm the Holy Father will arrive at Dublin airport once again to depart from Dublin at 18.45pm for his flight to Rome. All information for tickets and events for all the 5 days of the World Meeting of Families event will be available through the World Meeting of Families 2018 website. It is hoped that this will be a great event for the people of Ireland and for many families from all over the world

Pilgrimage to Fatima: September 24th -28th (4 nights). Fr. Frank Guinan and Fr. Michael O' Meara, P.P. Kinnitty will lead the Pilgrimage. Cost is €559.00. For more information please call Fr. Guinan on 057 9321892 or Fr. O' Meara on 057 9137021

Meath Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes: Will take place from the 12th – 17th September, 2018. The cost is €749.00. The pilgrimage will be led by Bishop Michael Smith

Mucklagh Community Development Lotto: Numbers drawn 1, 4, 14, 28 No Jackpot Winner, One match 3 Attracta Coleman €150 c/o Willie O Grady. Thank you for your continued support

Aidan's Art Academy Summer Camp for Children: August 13th-17th in the Community Centre, contact 087 137 5415 to book your spot

Coffee Morning: Tuesdays 9.30am, €1 for tea/coffee & toast.

Active Age: 3.00pm to 5.00pm Tuesdays

Pilates: with Tanya contact 086 353 2240

For bookings or information contact mucklaghd@gmail.com or 057 93 56886 during office hours 10am to 2pm Monday to Friday

Beechmount Park Family Fun Day: Will take place on Saturday 7th July from 2.00pm-6.00pm. Admission is €3 which covers BBQ on the day, Bouncy Castle and other activities. Everyone welcome

Shamrock's Notes: Lotto: The numbers drawn were 7,22,25,29. No jackpot winner. No match 3 winners. €400 next week for match three. Jackpot €10,000 and the draw is in Kelly's next week.

Results: U13 Football Semi Final: Shamrock's vs St. Vincent's. Full time score - Shamrocks 5-14 St. Vincent's 6.12

Senior Hurling League Final: Shamrock's vs Tullamore. Full Time Score- Shamrock's 2-25 Tullamore 4-21

U13 Hurling Championship: Shamrock's 0-12 Drumcullen 2-7.

Junior Football League: Shamrock's vs Ballycumber Full Time Score- Shamrock's 3-09 Ballycumber 1-14

Blood Donation Mobile Unit: The opportunity to give blood will arise at the Tullamore Court Hotel on Monday 2nd, Tuesday 3rd & Wednesday 4th July from 5.00pm -8.30pm. For more information please visit www.giveblood.ie

Dates to keep in mind for 2018:

Cemetery Devotions Rahan: Wednesday 15th August, 2018 at 7.00pm

Killickfehan Cemetery Devotions: Saturday 18th August 2018 at 7.00pm

Tullamore Show: Sunday 12th August, 2018

Papal Visit: Pope Francis will visit Ireland on the 25th & 26th August for the World Meeting of Families Event in Dublin

National Ploughing Championships 2018 Scraggan: Tuesday 18th, Wednesday 19th & Thursday 20th September 2018