

# Rahan Parish

## KILLINA, MUCKLAGH and THE ISLAND

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16<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time 18<sup>th</sup> July 2021

In today's Gospel, the disciples need a break. They have returned from their mission, eager to catch up with Jesus, but there is so much happening that they barely have time to eat. Jesus sees their need, and invites them to take a boat with him to a quiet place and rest for a while. But there is no time for rest, at the crowds have followed them on foot. Jesus is moved by them because they are 'like sheep without a shepherd'. He is the Good Shepherd who always cares for his flock, and he responds with compassion and love

### KILLINA

**Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> 10.30am:** Mass for William & Peter Byrne & deceased members of the Byrne family, Derrycooley

**Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm:** Mass for Michael Connolly, Ballykeenaghan

**Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> 7.30pm:** -----

**Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> 10.30am:** 1st Anniversary Mass for Joe Keyes, Loughroe

### THE ISLAND

**Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> 6.00pm:** -----

**Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> 7.30pm:** -----

**Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> 6.00pm:** -----

### MUCKLAGH:

**Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm:**

Mass for Olive Flynn, The Fingerboard & also for Jack & Kate Egan, Annie & Stephen Dunne & Frank, Ita, Francie, Bernie & Noel Dunne, Roscore

**Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> 9.00am:**

Mass for John Claffey, Mucklagh

**Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> 12noon:**

Mass for Joseph & Josephine Molloy, Glasshouse, Blueball & their daughter Patricia Dwyer, Castletown, Mountrath

**Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> 7.30pm:**

Mass for Margaret & Bernie Ward & their sons Paddy, John & Lawrence, Tullamore & Also Tracy & Baby Ellen Ward, Tullamore

**Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> 9.00am:** -----

**Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> 7.30pm:**

Mass for Owen Gibson & deceased family members

**Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm:**

Mass for Daniel & Elizabeth McKeon, Glaskill & Joseph Snr, Elizabeth, Patrick Mary Teresa & Joseph Jnr Galvin, Cloonagh

**Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> 9.00am:** -----

**Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> 12noon:**

Mass for Paul Keyes, his mother Dolores & his sister Carmel, Screggan Cross

**Offertory/Plate:**

**Killina:** €160.00

**The Island:** €104.00

**Mucklagh:** €339.00

**Development:**

**Killina & The Island:** €217.00

**Mucklagh:** €252.00

**In Memory:** Please remember in your prayers the repose of the soul of **Teresa (Trixie) Rock (nee Rochford)**, The Bungalows, Mucklagh & formally Clara (wife of the late Bill) who died on the 12<sup>th</sup> July. Her funeral took place on the 15<sup>th</sup> July in St. Brigid's Church, Clara followed by burial in the Monastery Cemetery, Clara. May she rest in peace

**Our Parish Christian Community:** Welcomes **Iarlaith Sean Dooley**, Tullamore who was baptised on the 10<sup>th</sup> July in St. Colman's Church, Mucklagh and **Charlie Rossi Daniels**, St. O' Hara's, Tullamore who was baptised in St. Colman's Church, Mucklagh on the 10<sup>th</sup> July

**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

**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.

**Chiropodist:** Miriam Devery will hold the Chiropody Clinic for Rahan Social Services on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> July. To book an appointment, please ring in advance to secure a time slot. Call 087 6292679

**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](mailto:killinacentre@gmail.com) if you would like to get involved.

**Mucklagh Community Centre: Lotto: 13/07/21.** Numbers drawn by Clubforce 9 14 27 & 30. No Jackpot Winners. Three Match 3 winners. Louis Maher C/O Online, Brid Brady C/O Nicola Mannion and Ann Teahan C/O Liam Mooney. Next Draw Tuesday July 20<sup>th</sup> in Mucklagh Community Centre. Jackpot €3200 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.

**Multi Skillz Summer Camp:** Multi Skillz have unfortunately had to cancel their camp in Mucklagh Community Centre from 26<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> July. Contact [multiskillzmm@outlook.ie](mailto:multiskillzmm@outlook.ie) for more information.

**Make Mosaic Art Summer Camp:** Make Mosaic are running an Art Summer Camp in Mucklagh Community Centre from 26<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> July. Activities include mosaic, printmaking, collage, 3D sculptures, clay modelling and more. For children aged 6-12 years. To book visit [makemosaic.ie](http://makemosaic.ie) or contact Aidan on 0871375415.

**Shamrock's Notes: Lotto:** Shamrock's numbers drawn 10, 24,28,31. No jackpot winner. One match 3 winner winning €400. Congrats Barry Mooney c/o Kelly's. Jackpot next week €15000, €200 for a match 3 and the draw will take place on 19th July.

**Best of luck:** Best of luck to Chip O'Toole, Kieran Dolan, Jack Bryant and the rest of the Offaly u20 footballers who play Westmeath on Thursday evening in Mullingar.

**Fixtures for the week: Saturday:** U17 Hurling League, Shamrock's v Kinnitty Lusmagh, Mucklagh 10.30am. Division 4 Hurling, Seir Kieran's v Shamrock's, Clareen, 7pm.

*Touch me, O Lord, and fill me with your light and your hope. Amen. Dear God, please give me strength when I am weak, love when I feel forsaken, courage when I am afraid, wisdom when I feel foolish, comfort when I am alone, hope when I feel rejected, and peace when I am in turmoil. Amen.*

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