

Rahan Parish

KILLINA, MUCKLAGH and THE ISLAND

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23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time 5th September 2021

The actions of Jesus, touching ears and mouth may be repeated in baptism. 'The Lord Jesus made the deaf hear and the dumb speak. May he soon touch your ears to receive his word, and your mouth to proclaim his faith, to the praise and glory of God the Father.' Are my ears open to God's word, reading it, listening to it, pondering it in the heart? Do I listen to what others say? Do I try to hear what they find it hard to say? Do I hear the pleas of those in need? Do I heed the opinions or advice of others?

KILLINA

Sunday 5th 10.30am:

Mass for the Sherlock family, Killina

Tuesday 7th 7.30pm:

Mass in honour of Our Lady Queen of Peace of Medjugorge

And for Kathleen, Mary Kate & Jim Lynam, Ballincloghan, Rahan

Thursday 9th 7.30pm:

Sunday 12th 10.30am:

THE ISLAND

Saturday 4th 6.00pm:

Saturday 11th 6.00pm:

MUCKLAGH:

Saturday 4th 7.30pm:

Mass for Aidan Doyle, Blueball, Tullamore

Sunday 5th 9.00am:

Sunday 5th 12noon:

Mass for Nora & Mattie Smyth, Charleville Road

Wednesday 8th 7.30pm:

Thursday 9th 9.00am:

Friday 10th 7.30pm:

Mass for Peter & Phil Hussey, Cloonagh

Saturday 11th 7.30pm:

Mass for John & Mary Meehan, Beechmount Park

Sunday 12th 9.00am:

Sunday 12th 12noon: Mass for Agnes & Denis Brady & their son Din, Beechmount Park & deceased family members

Offertory/Plate:

Killina: €118.00

The Island: €75.00

Mucklagh: €367.00

Development:

Killina & The Island: €125.00

Mucklagh: €510.00

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

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Confirmation 2021: The Confirmation Ceremony for the young people originally from St. Colman's National School, Mucklagh will now take place on the 21st September 2021, in the Church of the Assumption, Tullamore at 5.30pm. Many thanks to the teachers from their primary school and their secondary school teachers, the young people and all family members for their wonderful support and preparations for their Confirmation Day. Have a great day to one and all and we wish them all every success in their secondary schools

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Kindly Note: There will be no evening Mass in Killina Church on Tuesday 21st September, 2021 due to the Confirmation Ceremonies. Many thanks to one and all

September Offerings: Will be taken up this weekend and for the next few weekends. Please use the special envelope in your box for this. If you use another envelope please write your name and address on it so it can be recorded to your envelope number. Thank You for your continued support and generosity

New Envelope Year: Starts on the 1st Sunday in October. Once again we rely on the good will and generosity of Area Helpers to deliver boxes to the various areas in the Parish with the accompanying Parish Letter. Many Thanks to all for your great generosity

Offaly Hospice: Please support Offaly Hospice Charity Shop, Offaly St, Tullamore our shop is open Tuesday to Saturday 10.30am to 4.30pm. All donations of Ladies, Gents and Children's Clothes & Shoes along with Bric a Brac welcome. Contact Chris on the Offaly Hospice Shop phone number 083 0994754 for further information.

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

Anam Cara: would like to invite you to join us for an **online** Bereavement Information and Support Evening taking place 16th September at 7pm. This event will give you an opportunity to hear a bereavement professional talk about the difficult challenges and many milestones grieving a child of any age has on you and your family. If you would like to join us please register here <https://bit.ly/3Dzyphc> or contact us on info@anamcara.ie or 085 288 8888

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: 31/08/2021. Numbers drawn by Clubforce App 4, 7, 22 & 26. 2 Match 3 Winners, €75 won by Lesley Nolan, C/O of Bernie Foster and Margaret Guinan, Jackie & Michael Harvey C/O Martin Condron. No Jackpot Winners. Next Draw Tuesday 7th September. Jackpot Next week is €4,600 Match 3 is €150. Tickets may be purchased from Daybreak, Centra fingerboard, Kelly's Roadhouse, The Centre or any of our promoters. Thank You for Your continued Support. The Lotto Team.

Mucklagh Community Centre: Mucklagh Community Centre would like to welcome all HSE staff to the centre and wish them well in their role in delivering vaccinations to the public.

Shamrock's Notes: Lotto: The Shamrock's lotto numbers drawn by the Clubforce app were 9, 12, 27 & 30. There was no jackpot or match 3 winner. Due to the launch of New Lotto, there will be no draw until 20th September. Full details of our new and bigger prize fund will be announced soon.

Minor Football & Hurling: Shamrock's Minor Footballers had a brilliant 6-15 to 1-08 win over Kilcormac/Killoughey. Well done to the team and management. Also, best of luck to our Minor Hurlers who are in Championship action again against CRC Gaels in Carraig at 11.00am on Saturday 4th September

Adult Hurling: Well done to our Intermediate and Junior Hurlers who were both victorious in their respective Championships. Firstly, our Intermediates faced Seir Kieran and won on a score line of 2-19 to 0-18. Our Junior Hurlers beat Ballyskenagh/Killavilla 2-17 to 0-16 in the Junior 'A' Championship. Well done to all the team and management.

Adult Football: Our Senior Footballers are in action on Sunday 5th September against Edenderry in O' Connor Park. Please find details on how to purchase tickets on our social media throughout the week

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