

# Rahan Parish

## KILLINA, MUCKLAGH and THE ISLAND

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24<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time 12<sup>th</sup> September 2021

The surest test of authentic Christianity is in willingness to forgive. It manifests the triumph of the grace of the kingdom over the ways of sin. The point of the parable is to pass on to others what we are glad to receive from God. *Resentment and anger, these are foul things, and both are found with the sinner.* (First reading) In contrast, *the Lord is compassion and love, slow to anger and rich in mercy*

### KILLINA

Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> 10.30am: -----

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm: -----

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm: -----

Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> 10.30am: -----

### THE ISLAND

Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> 6.00pm: -----

Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> 6.00pm: -----

### MUCKLAGH:

Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm: 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary Mass for Dan Daly, Mucklagh and also for John & Mary Meehan, Beechmount Park

Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> 9.00am: -----

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

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm: Month's Memory Mass for Tom Colton, Cloonagh & also for Pauline Delaney, Ross Road

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> 9.00am: -----

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm: Mass for Margaret, Harry & John Comerford & Ellen Doheny nee Comerford, Ballard

Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm: Mass for Mick Bryant, Ballard & Tom & Rose McDermott, Arden

Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> 9.00am: -----

Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> 12noon: 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary Mass for William Wall, Charleville Road

Offertory/Plate:	Killina: €123.00	The Island: €90.00	Mucklagh: €484.00
Development:	Killina & The Island: €310.00		Mucklagh: €370.00

**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

**In Memory:** Please remember in your prayers the repose of the soul of **Elizabeth Grogan (nee Doolan)**, Knocknagee, Carlow & Co. Kildare (sister of Jo Kelly, Mucklagh) who died on the 15<sup>th</sup> July. Her funeral took place on the 18<sup>th</sup> July in St. Laurence O' Toole, Church Levitstown, Co. Kildare followed by burial in the adjoining cemetery. May she rest in peace

**Wedding Bells:** Congratulations to **Paul Mc Loughlin**, Murrough and **Denise Galvin**, Gortnamona, who were married in St. Carthage's Church, Killina on the 4<sup>th</sup> September. We wish them many happy years together

**Our Parish Christian Community:** Welcomes **Rua Tom Gorman**, Roscore, Blueball who was baptised in St. Carthage's Church, Killina on the 3<sup>rd</sup> September

**Confirmation 2021:** The Confirmation Ceremony for the young people originally from **St. Colman's National School, Mucklagh** will now take place on the **21<sup>st</sup> 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

**Confirmation 2021:** The Confirmation Ceremony for the young people originally from **Scoil Charthaigh Naofa, Newtown** will now take place on the **21<sup>st</sup> September 2021**, in the Church of the Assumption, Tullamore at **7.30pm**. 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

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

**Scoil Charthaigh Naofa 1<sup>st</sup> Communion Day 2021:** The 1<sup>st</sup> Communion ceremony for Scoil Charthaigh Naofa, Newtown, Rahan will take place on Saturday the 18<sup>th</sup> September at 11.00am in St. Colman's Church, Mucklagh. Many thanks to the teachers and staff members of Scoil Charthaigh Naofa for their preparations and great work for the 1<sup>st</sup> Communion Day. Many thanks also to the children and their family members for all of their wonderful support for the day. To all the children and their families, have a great 1<sup>st</sup> Communion Day and many thanks to one and all. Due to the difficulties of large numbers of gatherings and the numbers of children, each child may bring along 2 parents or guardians

**St. Colman's National School 1<sup>st</sup> Communion Day 2021:** The 1<sup>st</sup> Communion ceremony for St. Colman's National School Mucklagh will take place on Sunday the 26<sup>th</sup> September at 2.00pm in St. Colman's Church, Mucklagh. Many thanks to the teachers and staff members of St. Colman's National School for their preparations and great work for the 1<sup>st</sup> Communion Day. Many thanks also to the children and their family members for all of their wonderful support for the day. To all the children and their families, have a great 1<sup>st</sup> Communion Day and many thanks to one and all. Due to the difficulties of large numbers of gatherings and the numbers of children, each child may bring along 2 parents or guardians

**Chiropody Clinic:** Miriam Devery will have her clinic for Rahan Social Services, in her own clinic in Clara on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> September. To book an appointment for attending, please call Miriam on 087 6292679 as appointments are required to secure your place

**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](mailto:info@anamcara.ie) or 085 288 8888

**Mucklagh Community Centre: Lotto: 07/09/2021.** Numbers drawn by Clubforce App 4 11 30 & 31. No Jackpot Winners. 4 Match 3 Winners. €40 won by Moira Delaney C/O N Mannion, Carmel Mannion C/O P Tyrell, Gretta Flynn C/O Fiona Murray & Tony Hickey C/O P Barron. Next Draw Tuesday 14th September. Jackpot Next week is €4,800 Match 3 is €150. Thank You for Your continued Support. The Lotto Team.

**Shamrock's Notes: Lotto:** Our new lotto will be launching on September 21<sup>st</sup>. Please find more details on the new lotto on our Facebook page, giving entrants more of a chance of winning the jackpot. All support is greatly appreciated.

**Minor Hurling Championship:** Hard luck to our Minor Hurlers who were beaten by a strong CRC Gaels side in Carraig on Saturday morning. They are in action again on Saturday morning and will face SBK in Mucklagh.

**Adult Hurling:** Junior Hurling Championship v Edenderry on Saturday at 2pm in Gaelic Park, Edenderry. Intermediate Hurling Championship v Coolderry in Banagher on Sunday at 12.00 noon.

**Adult Football:** Hard luck to our Senior Footballers who were beaten by two points against Edenderry on Sunday afternoon. They will now face Bracknagh in two weeks, with a quarter final place up for grabs.

**U13 Hurling:** Well done to our u13 hurlers who had a good win over Drumcullen after extra time on a scoreline of 3-10 to 3-08 in the Quarter Finals. Well done to team and management.

**New Envelope Year: Starts on the 1<sup>st</sup> 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**