

# RAHAN PARISH

## KILLINA, MUCKLAGH AND THE ISLAND

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30<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time 29<sup>th</sup> October 2017

To know that 'God is love' is reassuring. However, for the poor and destitute it may not be much comfort unless love is coupled with justice. Love demands demonstration. Mothers and fathers do it, husbands and wives do it, brothers and sisters do it, friends do it, and carers do it, in many heroic and unconditional ways. We need to celebrate this love which is tangible and evident. It is Christian witness on a daily basis. And then there are those who go beyond the call of duty; the people who go the extra mile

### KILLINA

Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> 10.30am: -----

Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> 7.30pm: -----

Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> 7.30pm: -----

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> 7.30pm: -----

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> 7.30pm: -----

Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> 10.30am: -----

Mass for the Feast of All Saints (No Morning Mass in the Convent)

Mass for the Feast of the Holy Souls & for Jim & Pat Meacle, Murrough

Mass for all those on the List of the Dead

Mass for Michael Boland & John & Annie Monaghan, Derrycooley

### THE ISLAND

Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> 6.00pm: -----

Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> 6.00pm: -----

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> 6.00pm: -----

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> 6.30pm: -----

Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> 6.00pm: -----

Mass for the Feast of All Saints

Mass for the Feast of All Souls

Mass for all those on the List of the Dead

### MUCKLAGH

Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm: -----

Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> 9.00am: -----

Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> 12noon: -----

Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> 9.00am: -----

Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> 7.30pm: -----

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> 7.30pm: -----

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> 7.30pm: -----

Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm: -----

Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> 9.00am: -----

Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> 12noon: -----

Mass for Frank & Ita Dunne, Roscore

Mass for Stephanie Keyes & her grandparents Daniel & Clara & all deceased family members

Mass Teresa O'Connell & her brother Eddie Feery, St. Colman's Terrace

Mass for the Feast of all Saints & 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary Mass for Thomas Fletcher, Glaskill

Mass for the Feast of all Souls (Please Note: Time change)

Mass for all those on The List of the Dead

Mass for William & Catherine Egan & their sons William & Joseph, Adam's Villas

Mass for Mary & Farrell Dunne, Cloonagh

**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 €100.00 The Island €155.00

Mucklagh €630.00

**Dev Fund:** Killina & The Island €600.00

Mucklagh €440.00

**Mission Sunday: Killina & The Island €220.00**

**Mucklagh €1000.00**

**Our Parish Christian Community:** Welcomes Faye & Luke O' Connor, Dublin who were baptised in St. Colman's Church on the 21<sup>st</sup> October

**Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration:** in Mucklagh Church every Thursday. Adorers urgently needed for the hours 11.00am-12noon and 2.00p.m-3.00p.m 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 Bridie O' Brien, Goldsmith's Lot (wife of the late Pat O' Brien) who died on the 19<sup>th</sup> October. Her funeral took place in Killina Church on the 22<sup>nd</sup> October with burial afterwards in Rahan Cemetery. May she rest in peace

**Eucharistic Ministers on Duty for the Island for November:** 4<sup>th</sup> November: M. Minnock, 11<sup>th</sup> November: A. Minnock, 21<sup>st</sup> November: K. Looby, 28<sup>th</sup> November: M. Minnock

**Clodagh Active Retirement:** Wish to express our sympathies to the family of Bridie O' Brien, who was a long standing member of our Active Retirement Group. May she rest in peace

**Wedding Bells:** Congratulations to Darragh Minnock, Charleville View & Orlagh Connor, Walsh Island who were married in St. Carthage's Church, Killina on the 20<sup>th</sup> October. We wish them many happy years together

**Reminder: Summertime ends this weekend on Saturday night/Sunday morning. Clocks go back 1 hour**

**Rahan Parish Remembrance Mass:** The Remembrance Mass for the entire Parish Community and for all of our dead from inside and outside of the Parish, will take place in Mucklagh Church on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> November at 7.30pm. Remembrance forms are now available at the doors of the churches. The names of all our loved ones who have died will be called out at the Mass and a remembrance candle will be provided on the night. Photographs in frames of our loved ones who have died are also very welcome to be included and can be placed with a candle (available on the night) at the front of the altar. Remembrance forms can be dropped into the parochial houses or the three sacristies of the Parish.

**St. Joseph's Y.P.S:** The next meeting will take place after the 7.30pm Mass in Killina on Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> October

**List of the Dead Envelopes:** Are now available at the church doors. All those on the List of the Dead are included in the First Friday Masses in the three Churches of the Parish

**Harvest Thanksgiving:** A huge word of thanks to all who came along to the Harvest Thanksgiving in the Church of Ireland, Rahan last Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> October. Many thanks to Deirdre Byrne and Choir members and Comhaltas Ceoiltoiri Eireann for taking part. Many thanks also to Tom Minnock, Clonshanny for his inspiring words of reflection. Well done to one and all for your participation in a very prayerful service.

**Set Dancing Lessons:** With Nora Carroll takes place every Thursday evening at 8:30pm in Rahan GAA rooms, Tullabeg. If you want a good workout with loads of laughs?, then forget the GYM and say hello to set dancing. Dancers of all levels welcome to join in the fun. Contact 086 3883156". Also " Set dance workshop taking place in Aras an Mhuilinn Mullingar 21<sup>st</sup> October, €15 to cover workshop, refreshments and ceili, Sets covered in workshop: Rahan set and Moycullan set."

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

**Mucklagh Active Retirement:** are back in action from 3pm to 5pm every Tuesday. We hope to have a special event each month beginning with a Musical afternoon on the 24<sup>th</sup> October when we will be joined by many local musicians and entertainers. So come along to Mucklagh Community Centre and bring your friends. All Welcome.

**Annual Bazaar:** will be held in Rahan Parish Hall on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> November. Doors open 2.00pm

**Community Games:** The Mucklagh Rahan The Island Community Games AGM is now changed to Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> November at 8.30pm in Mucklagh Community Centre. To ensure sustainability of the community games in the area we warmly welcome new members. If your children partake in community games activities we would welcome your contribution to the AGM and our incoming committee for the next 12 months.

**Scoil Charthaigh Naofa Parent's Association:** are hosting their Annual Halloween Party on Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October from 3-5pm in the School Hall. Lots of family fun & games, fancy dress, prizes for best adult & children's costumes. Disco with DJ Llyod. €5 per child

**Dochas Offaly Cancer Support Group:** Information evening on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> November at 7.30pm at "Teach Dochas" Offaly Street, Tullamore. Our bereavement Support Programme will continue every Wednesday night beginning 15<sup>th</sup> November 2017

**Shamrocks Notes: Lotto:** The numbers drawn were 3-7-11-21. ONE Jackpot Winner. Dermot Buckley~ Himself, wins €13,000. 15 x match 3 winners win €40 each. Jackpot €3,200 next week. Draw in Kelly's. 15 match 3's from Monday 23/10/17 lotto draw are as follows. Brendan Scully (Ashling Mollin), Carmel Healion (herself), Martin Smyth (Bobs), Theresa Daly (Tommy Hanlon), Yasmine Buckley & Paul Minnock (John Kearney), Micheal Buckley (himself), Carmel Minnock (Louise Manley), Maureen Connaghan & Helen Ryan (Roger Molloy), Lisa Dunne (Des Dunne), Jack Hennessy (Jackie Hennessy), Serena Byrne (Ger White), Mairead Guinan (Jim Guilfoyle), Pat Joe Kelly (Kelly's)

**AGM:** Shamrock's GAA AGM takes place on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November at 8.00pm in Mucklagh Clubhouse. All members are invited to attend

**Dates for your Diary:**

**Parish Christmas Carol Service:** Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> December in St. Carthage's Church, Killina at 7.00pm

**Parish Christmas Draw:** Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> December at 3.00pm in Newtown School

**November Offerings:** The November Offerings Collection will be taken up next weekend and for the following few weekends. As always **Please use the special Envelope** in your boxes for this purpose. If you use a different envelope please write your name and address on it so it can be recorded. As always we thank you for your great and very generous support throughout the year.