

Rahan Parish

KILLINA, MUCKLAGH and THE ISLAND

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5th Sunday in Ordinary Time 7th February 2021

In today's Gospel we read about Jesus' first healing in Mark's Gospel. Jesus hears of the illness of the mother of Simon's wife and goes to her. Due to the purity laws of his time this scene would have been considered controversial. His first healing is of a woman and we are told that he touches her, raises her up; he completely restores her to health. Many of his actions here would have been considered inappropriate.

Rahan Parish Webcam Mass: on rahanparish.ie

Sunday 7th 11.00am: Parish Mass for all those on the List of the Dead and Intentions

Sunday 14th 11.00am: Parish Mass

Many thanks to one and all for your great support. Although the office is closed to the public, masses for the Webcam Masses and anyone who needs to get a certificate of any kind can be booked through the office on Wednesdays with Suzanne on 057 9321892 and also text or ring Fr. Martin on 087 9774828.

Parish of Rahan

Development 31st January: €330.00

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

Candlemas/February Offerings: Will be taken up this weekend. 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. They can be handed into the parochial houses. As always Thank You for your support 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

Diocese of Meath Safeguarding Website:

www.meathsafeguarding.ie

Mucklagh Community Centre: Lotto: 02/02/2021. Numbers drawn were 7, 8, 21 & 30. No Jackpot Winners. No Match 3 winners. Next Draw Tuesday 09/02/2021. Next Week's Jackpot is €6,400 Match 3 is €600

Annual Tickets are now on sale, €100 for 52 draws. Tickets can be purchased from Daybreak Mucklagh, Centra Fingerboard, Mucklagh Community Centre or any of our promoters. Why Not give a **Birthday or Thank You present** of Mucklagh Community Centre Local Lotto. €100 for 52 draws, €50 for 26 draws & €20 for 10 draws. Tickets can be purchased by contacting Mucklagh Community Centre [057 93 56886](tel:0579356886), [086 836 4523](tel:0868364523) or [email: adminmcc@mucklagh.ie](mailto:adminmcc@mucklagh.ie). Postal Service available. 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

Virtual Dance Classes: Mucklagh Community Centre is running Virtual Dance Classes for Children from 8 to 14 years starting 9th February at 10am via Zoom. Places are free. Limited number of places. Booking is essential. To book your place email adminmcc@mucklagh.ie. For more information, please ring 057 93 56886 or 086 836 4523.

Shamrock's Lotto: Lotto: Shamrock's Lotto numbers drawn were 11, 19, 24 and 26 with no jackpot winner. There were 4 match 3 winners who win €100 each. Well done to Joe Dooley c/o J. Kearney, Gerry and John Kinahan c/o J. Kearney, David Dunne c/o J. Cantwell and Mary McLoughlin c/o C. Healion. Draw next week will take place Monday 8th February for €15,000 jackpot. Thanks for your continued support

Stay Safe: We hope all members and supporters are safe and well and remaining positive. We are looking forward to the resumption of games, in the near future hopefully.

Prayer of Faith:

Lord, You provide us with perfect love at all times and have given us everything we need. We pray that you increase our faith and help us through the rocky times. Give us the strength to face these obstacles and let the difficult days strengthen our faith until we rely only on You, Lord. **Amen.**