

Rahan Parish

KILLINA, MUCKLAGH and THE ISLAND

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Feast of the Holy Family 29th December 2019

We like to imagine, sometimes, what the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph were like. What was their daily routine? How did they eat, work and pray together? There are very few details in the Gospels about Jesus' early years, other than the accounts of his birth and one story detailing the time he went missing in Jerusalem and was found in the Temple. But in today's Gospel we get an insight into some of the early challenges faced by this little family

KILLINA

Sunday 29th 10.30am:

Mass for Joe & Mary Monaghan, Screggan Cross

Sunday 29th 4.00pm:

Carol Service Church of Ireland Rahan. All are welcome

Tuesday: New Year's Eve:

Kindly Note: No Mass this evening

Friday 3rd 7.30pm:

Mass for all those on the List of the Dead & for Maggie Molloy & Con

And Kathleen Molloy, Roscore

Mass for Violet Lowry, Newtown, Rahan

Sunday 5th 10.30am:

THE ISLAND

Saturday 28th 6.00pm:

Mass for Pat Joe & Nora Leonard, Ballincur

Friday 3rd 6.30pm:

Mass for all those on the List of the Dead

Saturday 4th 6.00pm:

Mass for Frank & Bernadette Feery, Bohernagrisna, Ballycumber

MUCKLAGH:

Saturday 28th 7.30pm:

Sunday 29th 9.00am:

1st Anniversary Mass for Timothy Hanlon, Ballycowan, Tullamore

Sunday 29th 12noon:

Mass for Pat Joe & Breda Conroy, Ballard & their great grandson Patrick

Tuesday: New Year's Eve 9.00am: -----

Wednesday: New Year's Day 11.00am: Parish Mass for the Solemnity of Mary Mother of God

and for Nuala Scott (nee Walsh)

Wednesday: New Year's Day:

Kindly Note: No Evening Mass

Thursday 2nd 9.00am:

Friday 3rd 7.30pm:

Mass for all those on the List of the Dead

Saturday 4th 7.30pm:

Mass for Peter & Mary Geraghty, Killurin

Sunday 5th 9.00am:

Sunday 5th 12noon: Mass for Sean & Nora McIntyre & the deceased members of the Kelly family, Ballard

Perpetual Adoration: of the Blessed Sacrament takes place:-

Killina Church

- every Monday from 3pm to 10pm.

Mucklagh

- every Thursday from 9.30am to 8.00pm.

Offertory/Plate & Development: All figures will be printed on next week's bulletin

In Memory: Please remember in your prayers the repose of the soul of **Charlie Harney** (brother of Rose Keyes) who died on the 9th December. His funeral Mass and burial took place in Dunlavin, Co. Wicklow on the 11th December. May he rest in peace

Church of Ireland Carol Service: The Carol Service takes place in the Church of Ireland, Rahan at 4.00pm on Sunday 30th December. All are very welcome

Christmas Offerings: Frs. Martin and Frank would like to thank you most sincerely for your very generous Christmas Offerings and for all the other collections throughout the year. Thanks to one and all.

Booking Masses: Due to the large amount of people who are booking Masses for the Parish of Rahan it is a fact in the future, people may be asked to share a Mass in the three churches of the Parish. Due to the demand for Masses to be said for our deceased loved ones, we would like to facilitate all families who request a Mass. Also, we usually give priority for a 1st Anniversary Mass and a Month's Memory Mass to families who have had a recent bereavement. In these cases families who have booked a Mass for a particular day may be asked to share their Mass with another family. Many thanks to one and all for your great and wonderful support for the Parish of Rahan throughout all the years

Rahan Community Alert: Reminder: The monitor alarms and the Bottle in the Fridge are still available and there are still some forms for the Carbon Monoxide alarms. Anyone who has the monitor alarms are reminded to wear them at all times. For more information please contact Ann at 087 9851819

Mucklagh Community Development: January;- Operation Transformation will commence every Tuesday for 8 weeks from 7th January , 6.30pm to 7pm for weigh in and food plans and 7pm to 7.45pm exercise class. All age groups welcome. Contact us for more information and to register.

Coffee Morning: Why not joins us for a cup of Tea and a chat on Tuesday mornings 9.45 in the centre

Mens Coffee: morning commencing January 16th, a great way for men of all ages to meet for a chat.

Active Age: will resume in January, every Tuesday 2pm to 4pm, All welcome.

Multi Skillz: will resume on Friday January 10th 4.45 to 5.45. Contact Maria 086 358 2066.

Music Classes: will resume in January, contact the Centre

Crochet: Classes will resume in February. €10 per class. If anyone is interested in running a knitting class can you contact us at the centre.

Knitting: If anyone is interested in starting up a knitting class, contact us in the Centre.

Toddler Group: Toddler Morning is on Wednesday Mornings at 10am to 11.30am. Parents, grandparents and Childminders welcome.

Irish Grinds: Irish Grinds for Junior Cert and Leaving cert, higher and lower will continue in the New Year on January 7th, 4.15 for Junior Cert and 5.15 for Leaving Cert.

Walking Soccer: A great way to keep fit and have some fun takes place in Mucklagh Community Centre on Wednesday evenings, Men's from 7-8 and Women's from 8-9pm and will continue in the New Year.

Sports for All: takes place on Thursday evenings from 7-8 and will continue in the New Year, Contact Brendan for more details 087 980 4357.

For Details: on all of the above or if you wish to book Mucklagh Community Centre please contact us on 057 93 56886 or email adminmcc@mucklagh.ie. Keep up to date on our Facebook page Mucklagh Community Centre or our webpage

Shamrock's Notes: Ladies Club: Thank you to everyone who supported the church gate collection over the weekend. All support greatly appreciated.

Happy New Year: Wishing all our members and supporters a very happy new year.

A Word of Thanks: to so many people who prepared the three churches for the celebration of Christmas. Thanks also to our choirs and all those involved in the Christmas Liturgies and preparation of the decorations, trees, flowers inside and outside and cribs. Well done to all. The huge efforts of each and every person is greatly appreciated. You have all greatly enhanced our celebration of the Christmas season.

Fathers Martin and Frank wish you all a very 'Happy New Year'

Parish Office Christmas Opening Hours: The Parish Office will be open on Monday 30th December from 9am-5.00pm. Thank You