

RAHAN PARISH

KILLINA, MUCKLAGH AND THE ISLAND

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The Ascension of the Lord (World Communications Day) 28th May 2017

The message of the Ascension is clear. The saving work of Christ is now being handed over to the Church. The baton is being passed on to us. Just as in a relay race, it is imperative that we do not drop the baton. In other words the responsibility for passing on the faith rests with us. We carry the faith with courage and conviction and we pass it on to those we meet

KILLINA

Sunday 28th 10.30am: -----

Tuesday 30th 7.30pm: -----

Wednesday 31st 9.00am: Mass in the Convent

Friday 2nd 7.30pm: **Mass for all those on the List of the Dead and**

1st Anniversary Mass for Sean Keegan Ballydrohid & Ballykeenaghan

And also for Patrick & Elizabeth Grennan, Killina & William Grennan, Ballindrennan

Sunday 4th 10.30am: Mass for Timothy & Mary O' Brien, Ballykeenaghan

THE ISLAND

Saturday 27th 6.00pm: Mass for Larry Ryan, Ballina

Friday 2nd 6.30pm: **Mass for all those on the List of the Dead**

Saturday 3rd 6.00pm: Mass for Pat Joe Corcoran & deceased family members, Killina

MUCKLAGH

Saturday 27th 7.30pm: Mass for Maura & Jim Flattery & Kate & Joe Flattery, Ballard

Sunday 28th 9.00am: Mass for Mary Bridget & Patrick Dunne, Mucklagh

Sunday 28th 12noon: Mass for Celine Molloy, The Fingerboard & Willie, Barbara & Marie Grace

Tuesday 30th 9.00am: -----

Wednesday 31st 7.30pm: -----

Thursday 1st 9.00am: -----

Friday 2nd 7.30pm: **Mass for all those on the List of the Dead**

1st Anniversary Mass for Tricia Reynolds, Ballard

Saturday 3rd 7.30pm: Mass for Colm & Christina McDermott, Beechmount Park

Sunday 4th 9.00am: Mass for Gerard Sheehy, Dublin

Sunday 4th 12noon: **Cemetery Day in Mucklagh**

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.

Churchgate Collection for Fighting Blindness will take place next weekend 3rd & 4th June in the three Churches of the Parish

We continue to remember in prayer, all those who are preparing for exams at 2nd and 3rd level. Every good wish to one and all

Offertory/Plate: Killina €130.00 The Island €115.00 Mucklagh €725.00

Dev Fund: Killina & The Island €175.00 Mucklagh €305.00

In Memory: Please remember in your prayers the repose of the soul of **Ann McDermott**, Derrynaugh, Rahan (wife of Philip) who died on the 20th May. Her funeral took place on the 23rd May in St. Carthage's Church, Killina with burial afterwards in Rahan Cemetery. May she rest in peace

Our Parish Christian Community: Welcomes **Hannah Mary Cantwell**, Derryesker, Rahan who was baptised in St. Carthage's Church, Killina on the 20th May

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration: in Mucklagh Church every Thursday. **Adorers urgently needed for the hours 11.00am-12noon and 2.00p.m-3.00p.m an 4.00pm-5.00pm or any hour.** For more information please contact 057 9351923 or 057 9351367

Summer Collection: The **June/Summer 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.

Invitation to all weekly Adorers: The Meath Diocesan Adoration Committee invites all weekly Adorers to a Eucharistic Assembly in the Tullamore Court Hotel **on Saturday June 10th from 9.30am till 4.30 pm** to hear talks and testimonies, to be inspired, affirmed, and nourished spiritually and to hear how to address adoration concerns, needs and growth. You will also get details of the visit of Pope Francis to Ireland for the Year of the Family. All will receive a special pack. Donation will cover costs including lunch. **You must book in advance with your local Adoration contact person** as there are only limited spaces available. Bishop Michael Smith will also address the Assembly.

St. Joseph's Y.P.S: The Rahan branch of St. Joseph's Young Priests' Society recently celebrated 25 years in existence and was presented with a commemorative certificate by the Society's President to mark the occasion. During that time, more than €50,000 has been raised by the branch for the education of student priests for the diocese. The next meeting will be held in **Killina Presentation Convent on Tuesday 6th June after 7.30pm Mass** and, as always, new members are very welcome. Sr. Oliver and the committee would like to thank all current and past subscribers for their support and prayers. The annual subscription is €10 and new subscribers can contact the promoters: Joan Gallagher 9351923, Nellie Comerford 9341053, Breda Mooney 0879286698, Kathleen O'Brien 087 8518184 and Deirdre (Craven) Wallace 086 0703184.

Eucharistic Ministers on duty in the Island for June: 3rd June: K. Looby, 10th June: A. Minnock, 17th June: G. Minnock, 24th June: M. Minnock

Killina Presentation Bicentenary Celebrations: A weekend of events will take place between Friday 29th September and Sunday 1st October. **A request for objects of interest:** The celebrations will include an exhibition of material relating to the Convent and schools. It would be greatly appreciated if anyone who has photos, samples of work, or relevant memorabilia of any kind would make them available for the exhibition. All objects will be returned safely and photos will be scanned and the originals returned straight away. Please bring such material to Killina Secondary School on Friday 2nd June from 4-6 pm or on Saturday 3rd June from 10am - 1 pm. Please watch this space for further details of the celebrations, closer to the big weekend.

Pilgrimage to Fatima: Centenary year pilgrimage to Fatima on October 16th for 4 nights with Marian Pilgrimages. Cost €550.00. For more information please contact Fr. Frank Guinan

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

Mucklagh Active Retirement Group: Do you like a game of Cards, indoor bowls, gentle exercises or just like to sit and chat? Then come along to Mucklagh Community Centre on Tuesdays at 3.00pm. All welcome.

Mucklagh Community Centre: Are now catering for Birthday Parties so why not have your Party here in the centre with full use of the Hall for Basketball or Football. We also have our lovely Meeting room to rent out to sit down and enjoy party food for more information Call: 05793 56886 or 085 1261216 to get more Information on our Birthday party packages.

Mucklagh Nutrition Club: is now open in the GAA Club House in Mucklagh. Any information can be got on their Mucklagh Nutrition Facebook page.

Mucklagh Community Development: Lotto: draw 23/05/17 numbers drawn 12, 14, 15, 24. No jackpot winner. Two match 3 winners, Ann Dunican and Mairead Farrell each Win €75. Next week's Jackpot €12,000 and next week match three win/share €150. Thanks for all the continued support.

Mucklagh Community and Family Fun Day: will take place on Sunday the 25th of June in Mucklagh GAA pitch from 2pm to 5pm advertisement flyer to follow and information will be on the Mucklagh Community facebook page also

Youth Development: An information evening for youth development will take place in Mucklagh Community Centre on Monday June 12th at 9pm. Bernie McHugh from Foróige Ireland will hold an informal information evening for parents on the activities and resources that can be obtained through the youth group Foróige. Any parents with children in 6th class or 1st Year this may be of interest to you. For more information phone: 086 836 4523

Mucklagh Community Development Notes: Aidan's Art Academy: Is back to do a summer camp on Aug 14th until Aug 18th in Mucklagh Community Centre. The cost of the camp is €75 per child and discounts are available for siblings. To avail of this camp Please contact Mucklagh Community Centre on 0579356886 or private message us on facebook. Limited spaces are available so book early.

Shamrock's Notes: Lotto: The numbers drawn were 10,15,21,32. No Jackpot or match 3 winners. Jackpot €13,000 next week & €400 win/share for match 3's. Draw in Kelly's.

Results: Well done to the Junior Football team on Friday evening playing their second Championship match against Ballycumber. Final score Shamrock's 2-10 Ballycumber 1-06

Hard luck to the Senior Football team who went out and played their 4th League match on Saturday against Ferbane. Final score Shamrock's 0-06 Ferbane 6-19

Shamrock's Shop: Shamrock's now have a club shop on the O' Neill's website. See link attached.

<https://www.oneills.com/shop-by-team/gaa/ireland/shamrock-s-gaa.html> Individuals can go online and buy a range of gear direct from O' Neill's as displayed on the site. Happy shopping!!!