

Rahan Parish - KILLINA, MUCKLAGH AND THE ISLAND

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28th Sunday in Ordinary Time 9th October 2022.

Killina: Sunday 9th: Mass at 10.30am: Nuala Byrne m.m.

Tuesday 11th: Mass at 7.30pm: Intentions of the Sick

Thursday 13th: Mass at 7.30pm: Intentions of Parishioners

Sunday 16th: Mass at 10.30am: Mollie Minnock m.m.

The Island: Saturday 8th: Mass at 6.00pm: Peter, Rita and Danny Egan, Deerpark,

Saturday 15th: Mass at 6.00pm: Joe, Mary and Gus Lowry and dec relatives, Castletown

Mucklagh: Sat 8th: Mass at 7.30pm: Noel Craven, m.m Noel & Mary Ballesty, Omagh,

Sunday 9th: Mass at 9.00am: Intentions of Parishioners

Sun 9th: Mass at 12noon: Margaret Kelly Brocca Road (birthday)

Wednesday 12th: Mass 7.30pm: Elvis Tierney, Beechmount Park

Thursday 13th: Mass at 9.00am: Intentions of Parishioners

Fri 14th: Mass at 7.30pm: Mary Feery Ballydaly

Saturday 15th: Mass at 7.30pm: James and Brigid Keegan, Ballykeenaghan

Sunday 16th: Mass at 9.00am: The Maher and Byrne families, Kilgurtin

Sunday 16th: Mass at 12noon: Intentions of Parishioners

Offertory/Plate: Killina €168 The Island €170 Mucklagh €860

Development: Killina and The Island €224 Mucklagh €704

Adoration: Mucklagh: Thursdays from 2pm-6pm

Adoration: Killina: Mondays from 3pm-10pm

Adoration: The Island: Tuesdays 5pm—7pm & Saturday after Mass until 8pm

Feast Days this week: Tuesday: St. Luke, **Saturday:** St. John Paul II

We remember, Sean Grennan, Glaskill. Cathryn Glynn, Belmont & Chicago niece of Maggie Malone, The Island & Tom Coughlan, Tullamore R.I.P

We Welcome: Eabha Andrea Clinton baptised recently

Rahan Hall: We are delighted to announce the re opening of Rahan Hall from Fri. 7th Oct.

Bookings can be made through Theresa at 0894304279 **Table Quiz** We will be running a Table Quiz in The Thatch, Rahan on Friday 21st Oct. at 8.30 pm to raise much needed funds for the hall. Table of 4 is €40. Organise your tables for great nights entertainment!

Killina Webcam: www.mcnmedia.tv/Camera/st-carthage-church,-killina,-rahan-rahan

Mucklagh Webcam: www/mcnmedia.tv/Camera/st-colmans,-mucklagh-tullamore

25 's Card Game: will continue in Mucklagh Community Centre **on this Sunday 9th Oct at 8 pm.** We had 36 people present last week and played 6 's. All card players welcome .

First Holy Communion: Meeting on Monday 10th October in Mucklagh Church at 7.30pm. We will have an information meeting for all parents of children preparing for First Communion this year from St. Colman's N.S., Mucklagh and Scoil Charthaigh Naofa. Enrolment forms will be available for parents to fill in.

Killina Presentation School Open Night on Tuesday 18th October School open at 7pm



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Shamrock's Lotto: 11.24.25 and bonus no.1. Next week €25,000

Shamrock's Notes: This Sun 9th Junior C F/ball semi final in Cappincur at 2pm

Sat 15th U15 Hurling final in Birr. Time to be confirmed. Best of luck to all

Mucklagh Community Centre: Lotto: 24, 25, 29, 31 Next week €12,000

New Boxes of Envelopes: We thank everybody for their generosity, support and kindness to our parish and priests in the past year. For those who contribute half yearly or yearly a contribution may now be due. For those who wish to contribute to parish funds, the following are the account details: St. Carthage's Church Current Account BIC: BOFIE2DIBAN: IE30 BOFI 9019 0938 7088 72. Many Thanks

Today's Gospel: Gratitude : One day David gave alms to a poor man he met on the street. As he walked away he began to glow with self satisfaction. But then a shadow passed over him - he remembered that the poor man hadn't thanked him. Later he related the incident to his rabbi. The rabbi listened patiently, then said, "How did you feel when you gave the alms?" "I felt very pleased with myself", David replied. "Wasn't that sufficient reward for you?" "I still think he might have thanked me", David persisted. "Surely you don't want to be thanked for behaving, as a religious man should? By the way, did you thank God?" "For what?" asked David in surprise. "For giving you an opportunity of being an instrument of his love towards a fellow human being", came the reply.



Harvest Thanksgiving: At all Masses next weekend we will be giving thanks for the Gift of Harvest - The Fruits of the Earth. We ask that farmers and those with gardens to bring products to our churches next Friday between 1-2 p.m. to form part of a display.

All/some of the products will be made available afterwards to St.

Vincent de Paul Society who will distribute them to those who need it. **Salt** will also be blessed for those who wish to bless their lands and gardens with it. .

Recruitment of Helpers /Ministers for our churches As our Churches re-open fully following the Covid Pandemic and as our Parish continues to expand and new families come to live amongst us, we are seeking help to expand the number of people included in the various ministries of our Parish. We are very grateful to all who are already involved.. However, the helpfulness of more is needed. **If you would like to become involved in any of the ministries** please place take a form from church and return to churches or Mucklagh Parochial house before Sun 30th Oct

Rahan Social Services: Chiropodist Miriam Devery will hold her Chiropody Clinic on Monday 17th October in her clinic in Clara. Ring Miriam on 083 0106622

The Island Church: Thanks to councillors Neil Feighery and Danny Owens and to the County Council for their help with drainage improvements at the Island Church

Ecumenical Harvest Thanksgiving Service: Sun 16th Oct @ 4pm in Rahan C of I

Rahan Hall Junior Badminton: resumes this October All past and new members welcome from 9 years upwards. Further info contact 086 0832751, 086 7912070,

Webcams now installed in Mucklagh & Killina churches. Please inform people who are away from home & we encourage children to help sick & housebound to tune in.

Contact for Parish Secretary and Mucklagh Presbytery Sadly when transferring from EIR to Imagine for webcam purposes we have lost our old landline number, Despite great efforts to retrieve all has been to no avail. **The new number is 057 93 78181. Please inform parishioners and friends of same.**