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Rahan Parish
Fr. Michael PP 087-2900844
Fr. Frank 057 9378181. Mucklagh
Secretary 057 93 78181. Wed 9am-5pm
13th Sunday in Ordinary Time 30th June 2024



Stations of the Cross



Killina: Sun 30th June: 10.30am: Intentions of Parishioners

Tues 2nd July: 7.30pm Mass:

Thurs 4th : 7.30pm Mass: Feast of Saint Elizabeth of Portugal

Friday 5th First Friday 9.30am Mass for Lists of Dead

Sun 7th: 10.30am: Intentions of Parishioners

The Island: Sat 29th: 6pm: Intentions of Parishioners

Friday 5th First Friday 6pm Mass for Lists of Dead

Saturday 6th : 6pm: Intentions of Parishioners

Mucklagh Sat 29th: 7.30pm Mary, Paddy and Breda Fahy and Ann Crowley

Sunday 30th : 9am: Intentions of all who are ill

Sun 30th : 12noon: Tim Foley m.m. , Joe Digan Roscore 1st Anniv

Mon 1st July 9am Feast of Saint Oliver Plunkett **Extra Mass**

Wednesday 3rd : 7.30pm: Feast of Saint Thomas Apostle

Thurs 4th: 9am: Feast of Saint Elizabeth of Portugal

Fri 5th 7.30pm First Friday Mass for Lists of Dead **Mass of Healing and Anointing**

Sat 6th: 7.30pm: Josephine and Jimmy Grennan, Brocca Road, John Margaret and Denis Conroy Ballindrennan, Rahan

Sun 7th: 9am: Lists of Dead

Sun 7th: 12noon: Intentions of Parishioners

Offertory/Plate Killina €230 The Island €180 Mucklagh € 900

Development: Killina and The Island €302 Mucklagh €412

Peters Pence Collection is been taken up this weekend at all Masses. Peter's Pence is a tangible sign of the Churches Charity and our own personal charity. The money raised supports the work of Pope Francis particularly in his outreach to the poor and needy of our world. **Please use envelope from yearly box A second collection will take place as you leave the church** **We ask for no church gate collections this weekend**

First Friday Calls to those sick and housebound will take place on Wednesday in The Island, on Thursday in Rahan, and on Friday in Mucklagh . If anyone would like a visit at home or in hospital please contact either priest and we will be delighted to call .

Holy Hour On the **First Friday 5th July in Mucklagh church** we will have Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament **from 6.30pm**. Examination of Conscience. Opportunity for Confessions Music, & Reflections Rosary at 7pm. Benediction 7.20 pm

Mass of Healing and Anointing: will be celebrated on Friday next 5th July at 7.30pm in Mucklagh church. The Sacrament of Anointing will be available to all t.

Please pray for Mary Teresa Daly, Kiloran Ballinasloe, mother of Paul Daly, Screggan, Fr. Noel Daly St. Columban's, Dalgan Park, Navan, formerly Tullamore,



Tommie Gorman was the voice of the peace process. It was a measure of Tommie that he did not have contacts, he only had friends. Friendships founded in trust and respect. **Tommie once remarked, that 'awareness of mortality encourages you to do the best with the time you have.'** Tommie did just that, living with neuroendocrine cancer , he worked to establish an Irish Centre of Excellence for others with the illness.

Church Clean Up morning in Mucklagh church this Tuesday 2nd July at 10 am.

Follow On Clean Up Night at Killina Convent Grounds **on Wednesday at 7pm**

Shamrock's Lotto 5, 21, 24. Bonus number 9. **Mucklagh Lotto:** 4, 10, 14, 18.

Rahan Parish Golf Classic Profit at present is €23,500 approx. with some monies outstanding. The success of the Golf Classic a testament to great community spirit.

Today's Gospel: This woman doesn't wait passively for Jesus to come to her and place his hands on her. She herself seeks him out. She will go about overcoming every obstacle. She will do everything she can and knows how to do. Jesus will understand her desire for a more healthy life. She completely trusts in his healing power. She isn't satisfied only with seeing Jesus from afar. She seeks a more direct and personal contact. She acts with determination, but not thoughtlessly. She doesn't want to bother anyone. She draws near from behind, among the crowd, and touches his cloak. In that delicate gesture her complete confidence in Jesus is realized and expressed. The healing has happened secretly, but Jesus wants everyone to recognize this woman's faith. When she confesses what she's done, frightened and trembling, Jesus says: My daughter, your faith has restored you to health. This woman, with her capacity to seek and welcome the gift that comes to us in Jesus, is a model of faith for all of us.



Feast of Saint Thomas the Apostle on Wednesday Thomas would not believe that Jesus was risen unless he could actually touch him. Jesus said to Thomas Blessed are those who have not seen and yet believe. Thomas's great statement of faith about Jesus was "My Lord and My God" "There is a beautiful hymn our church sings called "Without Seeing You", that describes our love for Jesus, that we have not seen and yet believe in: **Without seeing you, we love you; Without touching you, we embrace you ; Without knowing you, we follow you , Without seeing you, we believe in you .**



Rahan Hall Committee American Tea Party on Saturday next 6th July in the Hall. Music by Adrian Rabitte. Food served. Admission €15. Tickets need to be pre -purchased from Noeleen Lynch 086 0732251, Lisa Flaherty 0872182172, Fr. Michael 087 2900844 after masses this weekend



A Blessing Before Summer Vacations Let's put ourselves into the hands of the Lord, and pray that God will bless us and our families during the wonderful months of summer. May we all be safe and help make our home a place of relaxation, joy, love, peace and safety. May we be generous and considerate, not thinking only about ourselves, but helping others enjoy the blessings of summertime. Lord God, Creator of all things, guide our steps and strengthen our hearts, during these months of summer and vacation days. Grant us refreshment of mind and body. May all we do be done with the safety of ourselves and others in mind . Amen.

Mícheál Ó Muirheartaigh A man with an unmistakable voice which transformed sound to picture with immense suspense, excitement and delight. He turned every match into an epic tale, Mícheál was blessed with encyclopaedic knowledge of players, their clubs, parishes and relatives, A man full of kindness, witness and humour,

Rahan Comhaltas Summer Seisiúns Rahan Hall Tuesdays at 8.30 pm

CHY2 Forms Can all who received same please return as soon as possible

Stations of the Cross in Mucklagh are from the chapel of Presentation Convent, Rahan .They have been beautifully cleaned and restored by Enrica Cullen from Durrow .The piece of oak underneath each station carved by Fr Michael's brother Andrew from a fallen oak tree in Tullamore Golf club .The inscriptive writing on the piece of oak underneath each station ,the work of Signs by Design based in Killurin. The Stations of the Cross a continuous reminder of the great service given by the Presentation Sisters to our community and wider communities for over 200 years .

Thanks to all who contributed to **June Offerings collection** for support of priests