whoever welcomes one of these little children in my name welcomes me; and whoever welcomes me does not welcome me but the One who sent me."



Rahan Parish
Fr. Michael PP 087-2900844
Fr. Frank 057 9378181. Mucklagh
Secretary 057 93 78181. Wed 9am-5pm
25th Sunday in Ordinary Time 22nd September 2024

Killina: Sun 22nd: 10.30am: Deceased members of the Sherlock Family Killina

Tues 24th: 7.30pm: Intentions of Parishioners

Thurs 26th: 7.30pm: Lists of the Dead

Sun 29th: 10.30am: Kathleen Lynam Anniversary

The Island:

Sat 21st: 6pm: Henry O'Rourke and Deceased family members Willie and Mary B. Kinahan their sons Harry, Peter and Liam

Sat 28th: 6pm: Joe and Joan Maher, The Derries and Caulfield and Maher families

Mucklagh

Sat 21st: 7.30pm: Michael and Una Cooney, James, Mollie and Mary Gleeson,

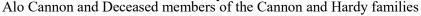
Sean Curley 80th Birthday Rememberance

Sun 22nd: 9am: Oliver Larkin Snr St Colman's Terrace

Sun 22nd: 12noon: Michael Kilroe, Sonny and Margaret Mc Grath Adams Villas Mon 23rd Feast St. Padre Pio Mass at 9.30am in Mucklagh & Lynally Cemetery at 7pm

Wed 25th: 7.30pm: Mass for Peace Thurs 26th: 9am: Special Intention

Fri 27th:7.30pm: Pauric Mc Donald Screggan Sat 28th: 7.30pm: Fergus Conroy Killurin Sun 29th: 9am: Intentions of Parishioners Sun 29th: 12noon: Sean Mc Carthy m.m



Offertory/Plate Killina €195 The Island €145 Mucklagh €1,135 Development: Killina and The Island €515 Mucklagh €683

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Parish Accounts 2023: Our new envelope year commences on weekend of 5th/6th October and boxes are now available for distribution. Many thanks to all who help with this. If you wish to make a contribution before the end of the financial year it would be most welcome. If anyone did not receive a box of envelopes for the past year and would like to receive one please contact the parish office 057 9378181 on Wednesday.

September Offerings: Will be taken up at all Masses over the next month .Please use envelope from box of envelopes or an ordinary envelope with your name, address and envelope number if you have one. As always, thank you for your ongoing generosity.

Please pray for: Ben Lawlor (also remembering in Prayer Ben's parents Brian and Louise and his brother Finn and Ben's grandparents,) Lily Dunne sister of Teresa Butler, Ballard, P.J Mc Donald, Killeigh Damian Doheny, Portlaoise, brother of Joe, Ballard Connie Hickey Dundrum, Dublin sister of Mattie and Katie Leonard Ballykeenehan Pioneers Afternoon of Prayer this Sunday 2pm Franciscan Abbey Multyfarnham.



Pope Francis Intention for September: We pray that each one of us will hear and take to heart the cry of the Earth and of victims of natural disasters and climactic change, and that all will undertake to personally care for the world in which we live.

Saint Colman's N.S Mucklagh 4th Class are hosting a coffee morning on Thursday 26th in the school from 10am to 1pm. All donations welcome

Shamrock's Lotto 8, 13, 21. Bonus number 7. Mucklagh Lotto: 1, 4, 14, 27

Todays Gospel: - Jesus challenges his disciples to put self-interest in second place. All too often we can look at life's challenges only from the perspective of how they affect us. The varying responses from governments around the world to the refugee crisis illustrate well the struggle between self- interest and the common good. We have even seen how people-smugglers have turned the misfortune of refugees to their own financial gain. In today's gospel, Jesus challenges all who would be his disciples to choose the unnoticed greatness of putting themselves last, to find the authority that comes from being servants to others, to discover the power that emanates from advocating on behalf of the poor and the displaced, the forgotten and the alienated. That's how we can find a place in our world as contributing and responsible members of society, and as worthy disciples of Jesus. That's what will give our lives meaning and purpose.

St. Padre Pio on Monday Mass at 9.30am in Mucklagh & Lynally Cemetery at 7pm



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Powerful Healing Prayer of St. Padre Pio Heavenly Father, I thank you for loving me. I thank you for sending your Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ, to the world to save and to set me free. I trust in your power and grace that sustain and restore me. Loving Father, touch me now with your healing hands, for I believe that your will is for me to be well in mind, body, soul and spirit. Cover me with the most precious blood of

your Son, our Lord, Jesus Christ from the top of my head to the soles of my feet. Cast out anything that should not be in me. Root out any unhealthy and abnormal cells. Open any blocked arteries or veins and rebuild and replenish any damaged areas. Remove all inflammation and cleanse any infection by the power of Jesus' precious blood. Let the fire of your healing love pass through my entire body to heal and make new any diseased areas so that my body will function the way you created it to function. Touch also my mind and my emotion, even the deepest recesses of my heart. Saturate my entire being with your presence, love, joy and peace and draw me ever closer to you every moment of my life. And Father, fill me with your Holy Spirit and empower me to do your works so that my life will bring glory and honour to your holy name. I ask this in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

Lynally Cemetery Cemetery Devotions Mass Monday 23rd September 7pm Farnavilla Cemetery Cemetery Devotions Mass Saturday 5th October at 2pm Learn to Dance Classes Rahan Hall Wednesdays 7.30pm to 9pm €10 per night Table Quiz: Friday 27th September at 8.30pm in the Thatch to raise funds for Crumlin Children's Hospital. All Donations welcome



Altar Servers We are at present recruiting altar servers from children in third class and upwards. Thanks to children and parents for their co-operation. For children attending schools outside of our parish enrolment forms are available in the sacristies and from Mucklagh parish office.



Pilgrimage to Assisi On Tuesday next many of our parishioners will travel to Assisi on Pilgrimage We will be visiting the shrines of Saint Francis, Blessed Carlo Acutis and Loreto home to the Holy House of Nazareth where Mary was born. We ask God's blessings on all pilgrims.

Thanksgiving for Harvest in our 3 churches on weekend of 5th / 6th October Scoil Carthage Naoife are holding a Clean Up Morning around the school next Saturday 28th. All voluntary help from parents ,etc most welcome