

Rahan Parish Fr. Michael PP 087-2900844 Fr. Frank 057 9378181. Mucklagh Secretary 057 93 78181. Wed 9am-5pm 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time 13th October 2024

Killina: Sun 13th: 10.30am: William Mc Court 3rd Anniv, Molly and Jack Buckley Tues 15th: 7.30pm: Saint Teresa of Avila

Thurs 17th: 7.30pm: Saint Ignatius of Antioch Mass for Peace

Sun 20th:10.30am: Patrick & Bridget Buckley & deceased family & friends

The Island:

Sat 12th: 6pm: Michael and Christina Conroy, Noel and Mary Ballesty Sat 19th: 6pm: Michael Gaffey ,Joe, Mary & Gus Lowry and relatives Mucklagh:

Sat 12th: 7.30pm Mick Bryant Ballard, Elvis Tierney, his father Pat,

and grandparents Peter and Julie

Sun 13th: 9am: William Sammon and his son Eamon, Lorrha

Sun 13th: 12noon: Ben Lawlor m.m Michael and Helen Clavin, Lynally

Wed 16th: 7.30pm: Mass for Peace

Thurs 17th: 9am: World Day for end of Poverty

Fri 18th: 7.30pm: Feast of Saint Luke John Mahon Newtown, Rahan

Sat 19th: 7.30pm: Bridget and Jimmy Healion, Rose Dunne

Sun 20th: 9am: Deceased members of the Maher and Dunne families, Kilgurtin

Sun 20th: 12noon: Joan Doyle, Blueball

Offertory/Plate Killina €260 The Island €135 Mucklagh €915 **Development:** Killina and The Island €651 Mucklagh €1,036 If you wish to donate online, Account Name: St Carthage's Church Current Account IBAN IE30 BOFI 9019 0938 7088 72 BIC: BOFIIE2D

Parish Accounts 2023: If you haven't received a box of envelopes and would like to contribute call or ring the parish office on Wednesday 9am-5pm 057 93 78181 or take a box from the church and put your name and address on first envelope returned for recording.



World Mission Sunday and month As we journey through the month of October, we enter a special period of reflection and action for our Church's missionary efforts worldwide. World Mission Sunday, which will be celebrated on Sunday next October 20th, is a special day that unites Catholics worldwide in prayer, solidarity, and support for the Church's mission efforts. This year's theme, chosen by Pope Francis,

is rooted in the Gospel of Matthew: "Go and Invite Everyone to the Banquet," reflecting the inclusive and urgent call to bring God's love to everyone. The Mission Sunday collection next weekend will go to support this missionary work. Please give what you can. We encourage no church gate collection next weekend please The Second Collection as people leave Mass will support this missionary work. Please also use envelope which is now included in yearly box of envelopes.



Lists of the Dead Envelopes are available at the doors of our churches. Those whose names are on the Lists of the Dead will be remembered in Masses on 1st and 2nd November and all First Friday Masses during the year Please return envelope to Church or Parish office as soon as possible Scoil Charthaigh Naofa is running a clothes collection on behalf of the

Students Council. Funds gathered will be used by the Students Council to improve student facilities in the school. Clothes and paired shoes will be accepted until Tuesday 19th November and can be dropped off at the school between 9 am and 3 pm. Further information available on www.scoilcharthaighnaofa.ie

Shamrock's Lotto 1, 6, 21. Bonus number 1. Mucklagh Lotto: 4, 12, 20, 24 Congratulations to Ladies on winning Intermediate Championship last weekend

Todays Gospel: Our Lords Calling If we approach the Lord, if we seek to enter into a personal relationship with him, he will give us our calling too. His particular call to us may not be what the man in the gospel received. However there will be a similarity too. It will always be a call to give ourselves more fully to the Lord's way, letting go of whatever is holding us back from living according to the values of the gospel that Jesus proclaimed and lived. His call to us will be to do whatever we need to do in order to walk in his way more wholeheartedly. There will be moments when we hear that call very strongly — perhaps when we are least expecting it. If the particular call the Lord makes on us seems daunting, we can find reassurance in his words to his disciples, that 'everything is possible for God.' What we cannot do on our own, we can do with the Lord's help. The Lord's grace at work within us gives us power to live as he wants us to live.

The Relics of Saint Bernadette will be in the Cathedral, Mullingar, from 2pm on Monday, October 21st to 9pm on Tuesday, October 22nd

Schedule for Visit of the Relics *Monday 21st October* 2pm; Liturgy of Welcome to begin veneration of the relics. 7pm; Sung Evening Prayer with Candlelight Procession and Rosary Tuesday 22nd October 7:45am and 10am Masses, Veneration of the relics throughout the day. Bernadette 2pm; Mass with Anointing of the Sick 7pm; Mass of Our Lady of Lourdes We will have buses going from the Parish going at 12 15 on

Tuesday 22nd for the Mass of Anointing of the Sick and for prayer before the relics. The bus is €5 per person. If you are interested, please let me know with your name and numbers of those travelling by Text or WhatsApp 087 2900844 or call to sacristies of our 3 churches this weekend or before Friday next 18th October.



HOLY ROSARY

Sacrament of Confirmation Meeting of Parents this Monday 14th 8pm Mucklagh church Confirmation Enrolment. We welcome next weekend the young people and their parents from our schools Saint Teresa of Avila - Feast Day on Tuesday Let nothing disturb

you Let nothing frighten you, All things are passing away: God never changes Patience obtains all things Whoever has God lacks nothing; God alone suffices. St. Ignatius of Antioch Prayer - Feast on Thursday "I am the wheat of God, and am ground by the teeth of the wild beasts, that I may be found the pure bread of God. I long after the Lord, the Son of the true God and Father, Jesus Christ. Him I seek, who died for us and rose again. I am eager to die for the sake of Christ. My love has been crucified, and there is no fire in me that loves anything. But there is living water springing up in me, and it says to me inwardly: "Come to the Father." Thought for the Day Hatred paralyses life; Love releases it Hatred confuses life; Love harmonizes it Hatred darkens life; Love illuminates it

First Holy Communion Preparation We welcome the children and their families enrolling for the Sacrament of First Holy Communion

November Prayer Service: in memory of all the departed will be celebrated in Mucklagh church on Wednesday 6th November at 7.30pm **Fundraising and Fun Raising**

Rahan Hall Social Dancing Saturday19th October Adm €10 Music The Checkers. Rahan Hall Table Quiz Friday 25th October in The Thatch Table of $4 \in 40$.



Mucklagh Community Centre: 25 Card Game Sunday 27th October at 8pm. Entry €10. €1,500 in prize money, 6 per table. Proceeds to Parish Senior Citizens Christmas Party Sponsorship of €50 welcome for tables from individuals and businesses.

Mucklagh TXT Alert Group: AGM Wednesday 16th October at 8pm in Mucklagh Community Centre. All welcome