

ASCENSION DAY

Rahan Parish
Fr. Michael 087-2900844
Fr. Frank 057 9378181.
Secretary 0579378181. Wed 9am-5pm
Ascension of the Lord 1st June 2025

Killina

Sun 1st June Phil Buckley 1st Anniversary, Tom and Patricia Buckley
Tues 3rd 7.30pm St Kevin 1st Tuesday Devotions For Those starting exams tomorrow
Thurs 5th 7.30pm Feast of St Boniface Patrick and Elizabeth Grennan Killina
William Grennan Ballindrennin. Carthage Grennan St Brigids Place Tullamore
Fri 6th 9.30 am First Friday Lists of the Dead **Day of Prayer and Fasting for Peace**
Sun 8th 10.30am Martin and Elizabeth Byrne and their son Tommy Derrycooley

The Island:

Sat 31st 6pm Teresa Kelly, her husband Vincent & Dec of Sammon & Kelly families
Fri 6th 10 am Note Change First Friday Day of Prayer and Fasting for Peace
Sat 7th 6pm Pat Joe Corcoran and Deceased Family members

Mucklagh

Sat 31st 7.30pm: Ger Mooney m.m, John, Henrietta Rena and Noel Bryant
Sun 1st 9am: Dannie and Margaret Clavin, their son Donal and Deceased of the
Clavin and Gaffney Families Barbara and Willie Grace Marie Grace, Celine Molloy
Sun 1st 12noon: Geraldine Watson m.m. Martin Smyth, m.m. Gary & Alo Healion
Monday 2nd 11am Bank Holiday Extra Mass For Those starting exams this week
Tuesday 3rd 9am Extra Mass For Those starting exams tomorrow
Wednesday 4th 7.30pm: Declan O Kelly Buatern 3rd Anniv.
Thursday 5th 9am: Intentions of Parishioners
Fri 6th First Friday Day of Fasting Note Mass at 9am 7.30pm Prayer Service for Peace
Sat 7th 10am First Saturday Devotions

Sat 7th 7.30pm: Joe Monaghan Anniversary
Sun 8th 9am: For those laid to rest in Parish Cemeteries
Sun 8th 12noon Mary Colgan, Thomas and Joseph Boylan and
Deceased of the Boylan and McDermott families
Sun 8th 6pm Mass in Mucklagh Cemetery for all laid to rest there

Development: Killina & The Island €278 Mucklagh €422
Plate Collection Killina €300 The Island €180 Mucklagh €1,210
Please Pray for Frances Tooher, Blueball, Mick Dunne Bundoran, brother of Ned
Jubilee Year of Hope 2025—Pilgrims of Hope—Killina Mass Rock Mass at the
Mass Rock at Killina on Friday 20th June at 7.30pm. We will have **A further Clean**
Up Meeting at the Mass Rock on this Tuesday evening 3rd June at 7pm. Many
Thanks to Rahan Mens Shed and to all who helped last week. Extra help welcome

World Day of Prayer for Priests is celebrated next Friday 6th June.



Rahan Parish Pilgrimage: To Northern Italy, visiting Venice and Padua. October 2nd-9th, **2 places left.** Contact Laura at 057 93 55050

Rahan Hall 50th Anniversary Celebrations Saturday 21st June
Doors Open 7pm Music by Brendan Shine (For 1 hour) Adrian
Rabbitte for remainder. Food Served Adm €20 **Pre purchased tickets only**

Prayer for Exam Students Please write names of those doing exams on prayer card sheets and place in boxes in our 3 churches Prayer for exam students on parish website

Joint Church Choirs —Choir Practice in Mucklagh church on this Wednesday at 8pm (after Mass) in preparation for Prayer Service for Peace on Friday.

Mucklagh Church Clean up this Tuesday at 10 am. All help for 1 hour welcome



Lotto's: Shamrock's 4, 10, 14. Bonus 2. Mucklagh: 2, 3, 26, 31,

**PRAY
FOR
GAZA**

Irish Bishops call for Prayer and Fasting for Gaza It appears that humanity has lost its heart” - Irish Bishops offered prayers for peace in the Holy Land, for Ukraine, Sudan and in other troubled parts of the world. In particular, bishops discussed the humanitarian catastrophe in Gaza, stating All over Ireland people are reporting their horror and helplessness on seeing images of death and

communal destruction in Gaza. Exhausted mothers can no longer nourish their young, children are dying of malnutrition, while aid lorries full of supplies are being refused entry into the territory, or are not safely arriving at their destination. “We in Ireland must pray for a change of heart. Throughout the month of June – the month of the Sacred Heart of Jesus – we call on everyone to pray for an outpouring of the compassion of God on a heartless world. “To see the relentless bombardment of civilian areas, the deliberate withholding of food from the starving, as well as the callous holding of hostages, it appears that humanity has lost its heart. In the face of these horrors, we invite everyone to turn to the heart of Jesus throughout the month of June by praying for the renewal of heart that our world so desperately needs. We call on all Catholics to make the first Friday, 6 June, a day of prayer and fasting in solidarity with our sisters and brothers who are suffering at this time in the Holy Land. “We echo Pope Leo XIV’s recent appeal to allow into Gaza ‘the entry of dignified humanitarian aid and to put an end to the hostilities, whose heartbreaking price is paid by the children, elderly, and the sick. **Prayer Service for Peace** We will host a prayer service for Peace in Mucklagh church on **Friday next 6th June at 7.30pm** The format of the prayer service has been prepared by Trocaire. If you would like to help us, arrange the prayer service or do a reading at it, call parish office on Wednesday at **057 9378181.** We hope to have joint church choirs singing at it. Please help us to spread the word about this prayer service both inside and outside of parish .
World Communication Day Today we pray for all journalists that they will be guided by the light of truth in their writings .We pray also for ourselves that in our use of social media that we will be sensitive to the good character and needs of others.



Mucklagh Cemetery Devotions Next Sunday 8th June Mass at 6pm Please inform those who may be away from our parish of date and time **A Collection** will be taken up for the upkeep and maintenance of the cemetery. **You can use envelope from YearlyBox if you wish .** We appreciate your generosity Please note there will be parking at Community Center St Colman’s school and at

Shamrocks G.A.A. **All help of stewards and collectors welcome. Please wear a high vis vest and** Please come early if you are helping out (about 4.30pm)
Exposition of The Blessed Sacrament and a time to pray for our departed in Mucklagh church **2-6pm** for which we would like to have at least 3 people for each hour **Please sign sheet at front of church beside the crying chapel**

Standing Order Forms are available at the back of our 3 churches and on the parish website through which people can support the Parish Please contact the parish office to let us know if contributing in this way. All support much appreciated
St Colmans N.S Mucklagh English Dictionaries and English/Irish Dictionaries required for the school. Contact School Office 057 9341244 or call to the school
First Friday Calls to the sick, elderly and housebound will take place in The Island on Wednesday, in Rahan on Thursday and on Friday in Mucklagh.

Mucklagh Community Center Coffee Morning in aid of Parkinson’s Ireland on Wed 4th June at 11.30 am **Afternoon Tea** Monday 16th June at 2.30pm **€5** Come along and bring a friend .To book adminmcc@mucklagh.ie or ring 0852313304

National Ploughing Organising Meeting Thursday 5th June at 8.30pm in MCC
Best of Luck to students & teachers from Killina travelling to Zambia on Monday