ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH MILTOWN MALBAY ST. MARY'S CHURCH MOY CRÍOCHA CALLAN PASTORAL AREA

CHURCH OF IRELAND – CHRIST CHURCH SPANISH POINT

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C 31st July, 2022

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In Miltown Malbay Church

Readers for Next Sunday: 6 p.m. Anne Downes 12.15 p.m. Flann O'Keeffe

Next Sunday is the Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C

LITURGIES FOR THIS WEEK:

Miltown: (www.miltownmalbayparish.ie webcam)

Monday: 10 a.m. Liturgy of the Word with

Holy Communion

MASS: 10 a.m. Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

& Friday

MASS: 6 p.m. Saturday – Grouped Anniversary

Masses

Dan & Nora Murrihy, Main Street Veronica & Joe Vaughan, Church Street Mary Kennelly, Dunsallagh West

P.J. Downes, Main Street

Paddy & Mary Walsh, Church Street Mary, James, Irene, Jimmy & John Frawley, Ballinoe

Mike, Nell & Mary Moloney & Mary Cleary Ennistymon Road & Deceased Members of the Moloney & Meade Families

MASS: 12.15p.m. Sunday for Liam Ryan,

Mullagh Road (Months Mind)

Moy:

MASS: 7.30 p.m. Friday – Memorial Mass for

Mary O'Leary, Partner of the Late Vincent Linnane, Ballyvaskin

MASS: 9.15 a.m. Sunday – Grouped Anniversary

Masses

Mickie & Mary Flanagan, Bártrá
Baby Michael Benedict Curtin, Rineen
Morgan & Mary Finucane & Deceased
Members of the Finucane Family, Moy
Nora White, Islandbawn, Her Daughter
Mary Considine & Deceased Members
of the White Family

REMEMBRANCE: Our Prayers are asked for the Repose of the Soul of Michael Sexton, formerly of Ballard, who died recently in Stillorgan, Dublin Rest in Peace Michael

COMMUNION REFLECTION

The sky may be full of stars,

But switch on a light and they disappear.

It makes one realise how easily the earthly lights can extinguish the heavenly ones.

Lord, help us to seek the things that make us rich in your sight,

in your signt,

and grant that the glitter of this world may not dim our hopes of heavenly glory.

A PRAYER FOR UKRAINE:

God of peace and justice,

We pray for the people of Ukraine today.
We pray for peace and the laying down of weapons. We pray for all those who fear for tomorrow, that your Spirit of comfort would draw near to them. We pray for those with power over war or peace, for wisdom, discernment and compassion to guide their decisions. Above all, we pray for all your precious children, at risk and in fear, that you would hold and protect them.
We pray in the name of Jesus, the Prince of Peace.
Amen

<u>FIRST FRIDAY</u>: Friday is First Friday. If anybody would like a call on First Friday, please contact Fr. Donagh 087 2322140.

MEDJUGORJE PILGRIMAGE: 5 spaces left Shannon to Medjugorje in half the time. 7th to 14th September 2022–7 night group pilgrimage with Jimmy Considine. Contact 065-9059328 or 085-7385385.

PRIESTS SUMMER COLLECTION is being taken up this week-end. Envelopes for this collection are in our boxes.

NEWLY MARRIED: Congratulations to Tom Collins and Jennifer Barker who were married in St. Joseph's Church during the week.

LOURDES 2022

After an absence of two years, due to the Covid pandemic, the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes will take place again this year, from 2nd October to 7th October, direct from Shannon Airport.. The pilgrimage this year cannot accommodate sick or assisted pilgrims. Prices vary from 739 to 759 per person sharing depending on choice of Hotel. Booking and more details from Joe Walsh Tours 01-2410800 Info@joewalshtours.ie or by post to Joe Walsh Tours 69 O'Connell St.Dublin 1

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY! COMMUNITY
CELEBRATION NIGHT this Sunday 31st July 2022 in the Quilty Tavern at 9pm! Music, Dance,
Storytelling, Raffle and lots more with PJ Murrihy,
Ronan Burke, Karen Galvin, Patrick Wickham, Sean
Malone, Karen McInerney, Eugene Donnellan Set
Dancers, Champion Dancers from the Aoibheann
Murphy Academy Rhea Hogan and Ciara Corry, Amy
Corry, All-Ireland Recitation Champion Dylan Corry,
more acts to follow! A celebration night not to be
missed! Admission €5, food on the night − kindly
donated by Brian & Cora Cooney. Raffle on the night!
All proceeds to the Local St. Anne's Miltown Malbay
and KIB St. Vincent De Paul Conference & KIB Parish
Church Funds.

MARY'S MEALS began feeding 200 children in Malawi in 2002 – now, 20 years later, they feed 2,279,941 children every school day. Our vision is that every child receives one daily meal in their place of education and that all those who have more than they need, share with those who lack even the most basic things. With our no-frills approach, it costs just €18.30 to feed a child in their place of education for an entire school year, 93% of all donations raised go directly to our charitable activities. To raise awareness and funds for Mary's Meals, we are walking throughout Ireland this August. Walks are starting from seven different locations on Sunday 7th August arriving in Knock Shrine on Monday 15th August. Will you get involved to help feed the next child? You can join for 1km or 5km you don't have to do a full day. There are many other ways to help also, get in touch for more info. Visit: www.marysmeals.ie

ALBUM LAUNCH

Local musicians Marian Curtin and Therese McInerney will host a launch night of their new album 'The Youth that Belonged to Miltown' this Saturday 30th July in the Westbridge at 8pm. Free admission. They will be joined by a host of musicians including Aileen O'Callaghan, Ger Naughton & Sharon Howley on the night. All are welcome for a great night of music, song and dance!

MILTOWN EMBROIDERY is now taking orders for Miltown school hoodies contact Martha on 086 3530157.

DEFIBRILLATOR GROUP:

A church gate collection will be held next weekend August 6th and 7th in aid of the Miltown Malbay / Moy Defibrillator Group. The defibrillators and the cabinets at the Square in Miltown and at the Church in Moy have been replaced and upgraded and new accessories and training equipment have been purchased in the last two years at a cost over €7000. There are also ongoing training costs for the twenty volunteer Community First Responders in the group. We would be grateful for any support towards the cost of these very important resources in our community. Remember to save the defibrillator number and your Eircode on the contacts section of your phone for easy access. In case of an emergency phone 065-7050199 for the defibrillator.

TOWN & COUNTRY FAIR: Only the Connemara Pony section of the Town and Country Fair will be held this year. Confined classes will be held at 2pm this Sunday 31st July in the Clonbony GAA grounds on the Lahinch road.

<u>ALONE</u> is a national organisation that strives to enable older people to age at home, safely and securely, for as long as they wish. We work with all older people, including those who are lonely, isolated, frail or ill, homeless, living in poverty, or are facing other difficulties.

If you are an older person who would like to learn more about this service, please call ALONE's National Support Line on 0818 222 024. Available seven days a week from 8am – 8pm.

ALONE's Visitation Support & Befriending Service matches older people who would like additional social contact with a volunteer who provides companionship through a weekly visit. We work with a number of older people in the Killaloe area who would like for someone to visit them. Are you that someone? If you would like to volunteer with ALONE see the volunteer section of the Alone.ie website or email Aoife.Dennehy@alone.ie.

NOVENA: After a two-year absence, the Novena at Dromelihy will take place again this year from August 15th -23rd We look forward to pilgrims from near & far joining us again as we come together to pray. The times of Masses are as follows:

Monday 15th Feast of the Assumption Dawn Mass at 6am. Tuesday 16th Mass 7.30pm

Wednesday 17th Anointing of the Sick 3pm

Thursday 18th Mass 7.30pm

Friday 19th Mass 7.30pm

Saturday 20th Mass 10am

Sunday 21st Sunday Mass 11am

Monday 22nd Mass 7.30pm

Tuesday 23rd Mass 7.30pm

MILTOWN/MOY DEFIBRILLATOR 065 7050199 SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAUL 086 2168749 BASKET COLLECTION – 24/7/2022 - €1,455 PARISH OFFICE will be closed Monday 1st Aug