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

# CHURCH OF IRELAND – CHRIST CHURCH SPANISH POINT

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C 7th August, 2022

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In Miltown Malbay Church

**Readers for Next Sunday:** 6 p.m. Caroline O'Rourke 12.15 p.m. John G. Devitt

Next Sunday is the Twentieth 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 – Memorial Mass for the

Late Paddy Hanrahan followed by interment

of Ashes in Ballard Cemetery

MASS: 10 a.m. Wednesday, Thursday & Friday

**MASS**: 6 p.m. Saturday for Maureen Heinrichs,

Mullagh Road (Months Mind)

# MASS: 12.15p.m. Sunday – Grouped Anniversary

Masses

Joe Carroll, Freagh

Frank & Mary Considine, Spanish Point

Michael O'Brien, Knockbrack

Tim & Kathleen Connolly, their Daughter

Marie & Fr. Connolly

John Curtin, Caherogan & Fintramore Danny O'Loughlin, Milford & Ballard

Jamsie Crowe, Clohanmore

Moy:

**MASS**: 9.15 a.m. Sunday

**SYMPATHY** to the O'Leary Family on the Death of Martin, Mount Callan, Inagh who died recently and to the Meade Family on the death of Kathleen Corbett, née Meade, formerly of Kilcorcoran, who died in Chicago during the week.

Rest in Peace Martin and Kathleen

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.

### **REFLECTION:**

Life is fleeting, and can be taken away from us in the twinkling of an eye.

However, the brevity and fragility of life brings home to us

just how precious is the treasure we carry in earthen vessels.

Lord, give us the kind of faith

that will enable us to live out joyfully

the mystery of our fragile human condition, which sees us suspended between earth and

heaven,

between time and eternity,

and between nothingness and infinity.

# **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

**PRIESTS SUMMER COLLECTION** The Priests of the parish would like to thank everyone who contributed to the Priests Summer Collection last week-end.

COMMUNITY CELEBRATION NIGHT: Sincere thanks to all our musicians and dancers who performed so beautifully for our community celebration night on last Sunday in Cooneys. €3,296 was raised €1,648 will go to the Parish and €1,648 to S.V.P. Well done to everybody involved.

#### **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

<u>NEWLY MARRIED</u>: Congratulations to Kevin Mortimer and Noreen O'Halloran who were married in St. Joseph's Church during the week.

**RECENTLY BAPTISED**: We welcome into our Faith Family Olive Charley Sexton baptised in St. Joseph's Church last week-end and Patrick Ciarán Garrahy baptised in St. Mary's Church, Moy last week-end.

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 7<sup>th</sup> August arriving in Knock Shrine on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> 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

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

## **MULLAGH HORSE & CATTLE SHOW**

Is back on Sunday 21st August in Mullagh Sportsfield! Excitement is building & preparations are well underway! More info later!

<u>PAT SHORTT</u> will perform his new show 'WELL' with his daughter, Faye, in Miltown Malbay Community Centre' on Saturday August 6th at 8pm. Contact 085 149 6963 for tickets.

<u>CLARE LADIES</u>: Well done to the Clare Ladies Minor Footballers on their All Ireland win on Wednesday night last.

**<u>BEST OF LUCK</u>** to the Miltown Footballers as they play Corofin in the opening round of the Championship this Saturday evening.

#### 'Dan Furey Weekend of Set-Dancing, Labasheeda, August 19<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> 2022

<u>Friday 19<sup>th</sup></u> **9pm The Tulla Céilí Band** <u>Saturday 20<sup>th</sup></u> 11am dancing workshops,

2.30pm Social Dancing with <u>P.J. Murrihy</u>, 9pm <u>The</u> Kilfenora Céili Band

<u>Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> 1pm Float and Fancy Dress Parade including</u> family activities,

2.30pm <u>Johnny Reidy Céilí Band</u>, followed by Seisiún, all musicians welcome.

#### **DEFIBRILLATOR GROUP:**

A church gate collection will be held this 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.

<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 15<sup>th</sup> -23<sup>rd</sup> 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 15<sup>th</sup> 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 22<sup>nd</sup> Mass 7.30pm Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> Mass 7.30pm MILTOWN/MOY DEFIBRILLATOR 065 7050199
SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAUL 086 2168749
BASKET COLLECTION – 31/7/2022 - €1,775
PRIESTS' SUMMER COLLECTION - €3,225