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

<u>CHURCH OF IRELAND – CHRIST CHURCH, SPANISH POINT</u> Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C 21st August, 2022

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In Miltown Malbay Church

Readers for Next Sunday: 6 p.m. Martina Rynne

12.15 p.m. Mary Jo Fennell Clarke

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LITURGIES FOR THIS WEEK:

Miltown: (www.miltownmalbayparish.ie webcam)

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

Holy Communion

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

& Friday

MASS 10 a.m. Saturday – Memorial Mass and Burial of Ashes for the following:

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Nancie Huntley (née Sharkey) formerly of the Mullagh Road Her Husband John Huntley

John Sharkey who died in London,

Son of Danny Sharkey Anniversary Mass for Nellie Sharkey,

Mullagh Road

MASS: 6 p.m. Saturday for Michael Shannon

Kilfarboy West (Months Mind)

<u>MASS</u>: <u>12.15 Sunday</u> – <u>Grouped Anniversary</u>

Masses

Martin & Ellen Crawford and their Daughter Mary Ellen Lafferty,

Clohanmore P.J. Lysaght, Ballard Road

Bridie & Patrick Cullen, St. Joseph's Tce.

<u>Moy</u>:

<u>**9.15 a.m. Sunday-**</u> Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion

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<u>BUS TO KNOCK</u> – 17th September 2022 for the Annual St. Padre Pio Day - Contact Mary O'Loughlin 7084000 or 085 2252251.

Names for Bus needed before 12th September.

RECENTLY MARRIED: Congratulations to

Eugene O'Hanlon and Michelle O'Connor who married in St. Mary's Church, Moy last week-end and Desmond O'Callaghan and Emily O'Sullivan who married

in St. Joseph's Church, Miltown last week-end.

REFLECTION:

Jesus said there are two roads we can follow.

The first is wide and easy to travel.

It is downhill most of the way.

It is the way of comfort and ease, pleasure and

self-seeking.

Many are fooled and travel down this road,

and end up dying in the desert.

The second road is narrow and difficult.

It is uphill a lot of the way.

It is the way of struggle and sacrifice.

Few take this road, but they are the lucky ones.

This road leads to the Promised Land.

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

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

HERITAGE WEEK:

Spanish Point Community Group was fortunate to receive funding from the Heritage Council under the Community Heritage Grant Scheme 2022 to produce an audio guide to the built, natural and cultural heritage of Spanish Point. The project entitled "An Audio Guide to Spanish Point – Its History and Heritage" will showcase fine examples of built heritage that contribute to the visual amenity and character of the area.

As part of Heritage Week, we will launch the audio guide near the Bellbridge Hotel (overlooking Bealaclugga Bridge) on Sunday August 21st at 3 pm and the audio guide can be accessed, from that date, through our website www.visitspanishpoint.ie and from Sound Cloud, YouTube, Spotify and Apple Music. It will also be accessible by scanning QR codes throughout the area.

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

MULLAGH HORSE & CATTLE SHOW

Mullagh Cattle, Horse, Pony and Sheep Show is on this Sunday 21st August from 11am in Mullagh Sportsfield! Classes of all types! Horse & Carriage Rides, Tractor balancing, Digger Trials, kids athletics & tug of war! Lots of activities for all the family! Follow 'Mullagh Agri Show' on facebook!

BURREN RAMBLE:

The Burren Ramble takes place on Sunday 4 September. Base camp for parking is the car park at the beach in Fanore at 11.15am for a 12.00 noon start. The 8km Ramble will take in the 'Village of our childhood' in Fanore between the mountain and the sea. Bring suitable walking and weather gear. All proceeds go to the RNLI Lifeboats. Information from 0876260301. Your support is valued and appreciated by our lifeboat crews.

TOURS OF HOLY ISLAND, LOUGH DERG,

a truly spiritual experience, contact Killaloe Tourist Office 0838535899

MISSIONARY VISIT:

A Priest from the Holy Ghost Missionaries will speak at Mass on the weekend of September 10th/11th. He will speak about his own Missionary experience and the works of the Holy Ghost Congregation around the World. He will also ask for your financial support for the Missions.

<u>BEST OF LUCK</u> to our Footballers on this week-end against Éire Óg in Kilmihil on Sunday at 12.30 p.m.

MILTOWN/MOY DEFIBRILLATOR 065 7050199 SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAUL 086 2168749 BASKET COLLECTION – 14/15/8/2022 - €2,276

SUPPORTING CATHOLIC PARENTS

On Tuesday 6th September, there will be a conference on Zoom hosted by 'The Hook of Faith'. The topic of the conference will be: 'Supporting Catholic Parents: Sharing the Catholic Vision of Love and Human Sexuality with Our Children'. The speaker will be Fr Chris Hayden, author of the recently published book: 'A Better Vision: Understanding and Living the Catholic Vision of Human Sexuality'. The conference will begin at 8pm and conclude at 9pm. All are welcome. All you need to do to take part is send an email to: thehookoffaith@gmail.com This conference is designed to help Catholic parents be the best educators of their children in the areas of faith and morality in our modern culture.

<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.

FREE SEMINAR PUTTING THE HOUSE IN ORDER

Clare Older People's Council in association with the Irish Hospice Foundation and Cahir & Co. Solicitors are organising Free Seminars based on the "Think Ahead" campaign entitled "Putting the House in Order" Details of these Seminars are as follows: Killaloe Hotel & Spa on 1st September 2022 Kilrush Golf Club on 8th September 2022 Civic Room, Buttermarket Building, Drumbiggle Road, Ennis on 15th September 2022 Each Seminar will take place from 11am to 1pm with a light lunch provided. Registration will take place from 10.30am on the day. Booking is essential as places are limited.

Contact Dawn on 065 6846240

Or email: agefriendlyclare@clarecoco.ie

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<u>CAREER</u>: By completing a fully funded flexible part-time certified programme in one of our many college campuses throughout the county. Courses are available in Healthcare, Childcare, Business & Management, ITEC Gym Instructor, ITEC Beauty Specialist, Medical Administration, Safepass, and single subjects Leaving Certificate. For more information, contact <u>Vesdclare@lcetb.ie</u> or txt 0860838138