

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

CHURCH OF IRELAND – CHRIST CHURCH, SPANISH POINT

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time (World Day of Migrants and Refugees) Year C 25th September, 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 Twenty-Seventh 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

Mike Mitchell, Freagh
Martin Griffin, Clohanbeg
Denis & Teresa Shannon & Deceased
Members of the Shannon Family, Kildimo

MASS: **12.15 Sunday**

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MASS: **9.15 a.m. Sunday – Grouped Anniversary**
Masses

Stephen Hennessy & Deceased Members of
The Hennessy & Talty Families
Jane & Thomas White, Lackamore

REMEMBRANCE: Our prayers are asked for the
Repose of the Soul of Michael Flynn, Kilcorcoran who
died last week-end. Rest in Peace Michael

PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING on Tuesday 4th of
October at 8 p.m. in Miltown Church.
(Please note change of Date)

CONFIRMATION: Talk for the Parents of the
Confirmation Children on Thursday 29th of September at 7.30
p.m. in Miltown Community Hall.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: Talk for the Parents of the
First Holy Communion Children on Wednesday
5th October at 7.30 p.m. in Miltown Community Hall.

Coffee Morning: St. Joseph's N.S. Miltown Malbay is
holding a Coffee Morning in aid of Cahercalla Hospice on
Wed. 28th September from 10.30am to 12.30 pm. in the
school. Please come along and support this worthy cause.

REFLECTION:

Mother Theresa said:

'The greatest evil in the world today is the terrible
indifference towards one's neighbour, which is so
widespread.'

Lord, save us from the scourge of indifference.

Open our hearts when they are closed,

Soften them when they are hard,

And warm them when they are cold, so that we may listen to
the cries of the needy,

And bear the fruits of love.

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' BENEVOLENT FUND: The Diocesan office
would like to thank everyone who contributed to the
Benevolent Fund collection last week-end

LOURDES AUTUMN PILGRIMAGE:

Our Diocesan Autumn pilgrimage to Lourdes leaves
Shannon Airport next Sunday 2nd October returning on
Friday 7th October. A few seats still available from
Joewalstours.ie or 01-2410800

If you would like to send a petition to the Grotto in Lourdes,
please post to Ennis Parish Office, Station Road, Ennis, Co
Clare by Friday next 30th September or email to
info@ennisparish.ie

YOUTH MINISTRY – DIOCESE OF KILLALOE

A 2nd Collection to fund Youth Ministry which reaches out to
Young People in our Diocese will be taken up on this week-
end. Please be as generous as you can.

FAMILY CARERS MEETING Monday 26th September
New members welcome any time. Venue: Tony Greene's
House Island View V95 R5D3

RECENTLY MARRIED: Congratulations to Aoife Gallagher and Thomas Dobson who were married in St. Joseph's Church recently and Marie Rynne and Damien Boyle married in St. Joseph's Church this week-end.

RECENTLY BAPTISED: We welcome into our Faith Family Darragh Martin Curtin who was baptised in St. Mary's Church, Moy recently.

DIOCESAN APOSTOLIC WORKS DISPLAY
Apostolic Workers from parishes all over the Diocese will hold a Diocesan display of their work on this Sunday 25th September from 2pm to 5pm in the Maria Assumpta Hall, Station Road, Ennis. Bishop Fintan will open the display at 2pm.

CLOTHES RECYCLING: St. Joseph's N.S. Miltown Malbay is holding a clothes recycling collection on Monday 3rd October. Items for recycling include: clothing, household linen, sheets, blankets, curtains, shoes, handbags. No duvets or underwear please. Items to be in clean condition. Please drop your recycling bags to the main door of the school or into the bicycle shelter on or before October 3rd.

ST. JOSEPH'S MILTOWN GAA GOLF CLASSIC
The annual [St. Joseph's Miltown Malbay GAA Club](#) Golf Classic will take place at [Spanish Point Golf Club](#) on Saturday 15th of October.

There are some top class prizes on offer, a fabulous golf course and great refreshments afterwards in the Clubhouse, so don't miss out, get your team together and book a Tee Time. Contact Sean on 087 7742153 to arrange bookings.

FCJ Spirituality House – Teach Spioradálta – Spanish
Point: *Evening events this autumn:* Tues 7-8pm Guided prayer and meditation. Thurs eve Monthly singing circle and Movie nights in Oct and Nov. No charge.
Evening Course: Creative Relaxation with Bob Vernon. 6 week course, Wed evenings starting Oct 26th
Weekend retreats: From Advent 2023 we are delighted to welcome friends again for residential retreats. About once a month we will offer a variety of retreats on themes like Advent or Lent, Scripture or Directed retreats, Creative writing, music or poetry weekends.
Please see our website for more details or call us on 087 447 9115. www.fcjspiritualityhouse.ie You would be very welcome to come visit us by the sea, where we gently seek to 'find God in all things' in this beautiful place.

IRISH GUIDE DOGS FOR THE BLIND are holding a Volunteer Information Session at the Templegate Hotel, Ennis on 5 October 2pm. If you are interested in becoming a volunteer with this very worthwhile charity, why not come along and find out more about it. The commitment is a big or small as you have time for. Look forward to seeing you. Refreshments will be provided.

OIDHREACTH AN CHLÁIR presents *A Night of Songs and Tunes* on Friday, September 30, 8.00pm – 10.00pm in Áras OaC (Flag Road), with Noel Hill (concertina), Orla Murphy (songs) and Eileen O'Brien (fiddle). Fear an Tí Tim Dennehy. Fáilte roimh chách. Admission free.
MILTOWN/MOY DEFIBRILLATOR 065 7050199
SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL 086 2168749
BASKET COLLECTION – 18/9/2022 - €1,875
Benevolent Fund Collection - €645

ÉIGSE THOMÁIS UÍ AODHA, 2022: The 4th annual Irish-language festival, organised by Oidhreacht an Chláir in memory of Miltown man Tomás Ó hAodha (1866-1935), poet, dramatist, actor, cartographer and organiser, will be held on October 7-8, in Áras OaC (Flag Road). On Friday 7th at 8.00pm, Dr Pádraig Ó Cearbhaill (former Chief Placenames Officer, An Brainse Logainmneacha) will give a lecture, *Áitainmneacha an Chláir*, dealing with the placenames of Clare. On Saturday 8th, 10.30-12.00 noon, there will be a *Ceardlann Amhránaíochta* (Singing Workshop) by Dr Ciarán Ó Gealbháin from An Rinn. From 3.00pm to 5.30pm, there will be *Ceol agus Caint* in Friel's, featuring a Pop-Up Gaeltacht as an opportunity for people to use their Irish, songs by Ciarán Ó Gealbháin and Tim Dennehy, and music by Eithne Ní Dhonghaile (cruit), Geraldine McNamara (fliúit) and John Weir (fidil). All events are free. Míle fáilte roimh chách.

THE CLARE ASSOCIATION DUBLIN
is pleased to announce that after an absence of almost 2 years, our 2022 Award Ceremony will take place on **Saturday the 1st of October** at the **Falls Hotel in Ennistymon Co. Clare**. At this year's award ceremony the Clare Association Muintir An Chláir will be honouring the following people for their outstanding work and worthwhile contributions to the people of County Clare: Clare Person of the Year Award goes to Dr. Susan Crawford for the work she carries out within the field of autism spectrum disorders. The Hall of Fame Award goes to Mary Fitzgerald of Clare Haven Services & Haven Horizons for providing a service for victims of domestic abuse. Lastly, the Meitheal Award goes to Ennis Tidy Towns Committee for winning Ireland's Tidiest Town (Ennis) This ceremony is a wonderful evening of celebration where Clare people have an opportunity to meet and mingle in a relaxed social setting. Tickets are now on sale for the award ceremony please contact us at info@clareassociationdublin.ie. Or Gerry O'Reilly on 086-8498192.

'Therapy with Play Intervention for Children' in Ennistymon Library: On Saturday 1st October at 11am in Ennistymon Library, join Play Therapist, Dipankar Biswas, who will use the therapeutic powers of play to facilitate communication through self-expression, foster emotional wellness through emotional management, increase personal strength through creative problem solving and enhance social relationships. This 2 hour workshop is suitable for 5 to 8 year olds. Free event. Places are limited, booking is essential. Contact Ennistymon Library on 065 7071245 or by emailing ennistymon@clarelibrary.ie

CLARE PERSON OF THE YEAR:
Warm Congratulations to Susan Crawford on being crowned Clare Person of the Year in the Falls Hotel, Ennistymon on Saturday 1st October. We warmly Congratulate Susan on all the work she has done to highlight Autism in the County and the Area.

PARISH SOCIAL – Get together of all who work in our Parish throughout the year in the Westbridge on Friday 14th of October at 9p.m. We warmly welcome, Choir Members, Collectors, Readers, Eucharistic Ministers, Sacristans, Altar Society, Pastoral Council Group, Finance Group etc. Music by PJ Murrhoy on the night and finger food will be served.