

**ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH MILTOWN MALBAY ST. MARY'S CHURCH MOY**

**CRÍOCHA CALLAN PASTORAL AREA**

**CHURCH OF IRELAND – CHRIST CHURCH, SPANISH POINT**

**Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C 16<sup>th</sup> October, 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

**Next Sunday is the Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Mission Sunday) Year C**

**LITURGIES FOR THIS WEEK:**

**Miltown:** ( [www.miltownmalbayparish.ie](http://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** for Michael Flynn,  
Kilcorcoran (Months Mind)

**MASS:** **12.15 Sunday**

**MOY:**

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

**REMEMBRANCE:** Our prayers are asked for the  
repose of the Souls of Ann Lahiff née Reidy, Bayview  
Guest House, Spanish Point who died last week-end  
Teresa Clancy, wife of Andy Clancy, Islandbawn  
whose funeral has taken place in Chicago,  
Mary McCarthy, Clonahinchy and Flag Road and  
John (Seán) McMahon who died in Dublin  
Rest in Peace Ann, Teresa, Mary and John

**EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:**

We are looking for volunteers to cover the slot 6 to  
7p.m. We have volunteers for the 7 to 8p.m. slot. It  
would be great to fill that slot because Adoration would  
then be on from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

What a blessing for our Parish.

We are also seeking people who may not be in a  
position to commit to an hour every week but would be  
happy to help out now and then. If you feel you could  
help out in either situation please text Ann at  
086 1708321.

**FAMILY CARERS IRELAND:** We are recruiting  
all across Clare for Home Care Workers. If you'd like  
to join our team please contact [jobs@familycarers.ie](mailto:jobs@familycarers.ie) to  
find out more about our great rates and excellent  
benefit package.

**REFLECTION:**

**Justice for his chosen ones**

Anything done in the cause of justice  
and in the name of Jesus Christ  
will bear fruit in plenty.

Our world suffers much injustice  
and our heart pains  
when we hear of homeless children,  
when we see lines of refugees on our screens,  
when we pass someone destitute looking for money,  
and our heart pains with something of the pain of Jesus.

We wonder what one person can do?

The call of Jesus spurs us on:  
to know that what we do is  
one person's effort to  
make a more just society,  
feed some people who need our help,  
educate more widely and care for the sick,  
and look after the chosen ones of God.

The path towards justice is  
blocked with obstacles of  
greed, self-interest, lack of care  
and we want to plant that path  
with generosity, compassion and care.

For the Lord looks on us  
and at the needs of his people  
and wants there to be faith on earth.

If our faith is without care for the needy  
it is a watered-down faith and is incomplete.

In the strengthening of our desires and work  
for the justice of Jesus  
our faith in Jesus grows and is strengthened.

Donal Neary S.J.

**MISSION SUNDAY:** Next Sunday is Mission Sunday, we remember all Missionaries especially those from our own Parish who are reaching out to the People of the Third World. We will have an opportunity to support the work of Missionaries on next week-end. Please be as generous as you can (Mission Sunday envelopes are in our boxes).

**RECENTLY MARRIED:** Congratulations to Fiachra O'Malley and Charlotte Evens who married in St. Mary's Church, Moy last week-end.

**BAPTISED:** We welcome into our Faith Family Liliana Frances Kate Haugh baptised in St. Joseph's Church last week-end.

### **NEW YOUTH MINISTRY GROUP**

A new Youth Ministry Group will begin meeting in the Church of Our Lady, Roslevan (Fahy Hall) on Sunday 23rd October 6pm-8pm.

There will be a Youth Mass at 7pm. This group is open to 13 -18 year olds. All are welcome. Mass will take place at 7pm. Please email [donaghomeara@gmail.com](mailto:donaghomeara@gmail.com) for further details

### **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

**HOUSE FIRE:** The Crowe Family Home was extensively damaged by fire recently along with the contents of the House. The Pastoral Council invites people to make a donation towards rebuilding the house and its contents. Envelopes are available in the porches of both churches and you may drop your envelope in the basket at Mass or in the box at the back of the church in Miltown. You may do it on our Stripe Facility -

<https://www.killaloediocese.ie/parish/miltown-malbay-kilfarboy/donate/miltown-malbay-kilfarboy-parish-special-collections/>

And mark it House Fire Fund. Thank You

**OIDHREACT AN CHLÁIR** presents *A Night of Songs and Tunes* on Friday, October 21, 8.00pm – 10.00pm in Áras OaC (Flag Road), with Noel O'Donoghue (flute), James Cullinan (fiddle) and Donie Nolan (songs and accordion). Fear an Tí Tim Dennehy. Fáilte roimh chách. Admission free

**NEW HOUSING ESTATE:** Opening of the new Housing Estate on the Ballard Road by Minister Darragh O'Brien on Monday 24<sup>th</sup> of October at 10.30 a.m.

**The FCJ Spirituality House (Teach Spioradálta, Spanish Point)** welcomes you this October:

- Every Tuesday evening from 7-8pm there is Guided Prayer and Meditation (no charge)
- On Wednesday October 26th, Bob Vernon is hosting a 6 week 'Creative Relaxation', a follow up to his popular 'Feeding the Good Wolf' program. Please book your place at website below.
- This Thursday we have movie night featuring 'Babette's Feast', which is a wonderful movie about fellowship, meals, family and feasting! Join us at 7pm (no charge)
- Lots of wonderful residential retreat weekends coming up – locals can attend without staying. Check them all out, find out details about these and other events at:

<https://fcjspiritualityhouse.ie/events/>

### **EARLY MORNING WALKING GROUP**

Starts at 6am - 7am. Free of charge. Good way to get to know new people. Will go from Square in Miltown out to Spanish Point and back again.

If interested please contact Colette Crowe on 0863771376.

### **Christmas Shoebox Appeal**

It is that time of year again when the Christmas Shoebox Appeal takes place. St. Joseph's N.S. Miltown Malbay is a co-ordinating centre for Team Hope. Shoeboxes can be dropped in to the school any time before Mon. 7<sup>th</sup> November. Please support this worthy cause. Further details are available on [www.teamhope.ie](http://www.teamhope.ie)

### **Ennis Lions Club/Clare FM Radio Online Auction in aid of Bushypark Treatment Centre (Clarecare)**

There are over 200 items now listed in areas of Hotels & Restaurants, Sports & Leisure, Art, Health & Beauty, Fuel vouchers, Electrical Appliances, Gift Ideas and lots more.

Bidding on line has now commenced.

To register for bidding please use QR code attached or type <https://ennislionsclub.ie/auction/>

Please review and help a very worthwhile cause while shopping for everyday and luxury items and gifts All proceeds to Bushypark Addiction Treatment Centre Stay tuned to Clare FM over next few weeks and for the Big Radio Auction on 21<sup>st</sup> October.

**MILTOWN/MOY DEFIBRILLATOR 065 7050199**  
**SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAUL 086 2168749**  
**BASKET COLLECTION** – 9/10/2022 - €1,850