

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

CHURCH OF IRELAND – CHRIST CHURCH SPANISH POINT

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C 16th January, 2022

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In Miltown Malbay Church

Readers for Next Sunday: 6 p.m. Martina Murphy
12.15 p.m. Mary Jo Fennell Clarke

Next Sunday is the Third 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 for John Paul Collins
Knockliscrane (Months Mind)

MASS: 12.15 p.m. Sunday for Mary Skerritt
Church Street (Months Mind)

MOY:

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

Eileen Cullen, née Vaughan, Moy

Paddy O'Connell, Moy

REMEMBRANCE: Our prayers are asked for the
Repose of the Soul of Bridie Meade, Fintramore who
died during the week. Rest in Peace Bridie

ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION:

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the Most Holy
Sacrament. I love you above all things, and I desire to
receive you into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment
receive you sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my
heart. I embrace you as if you were already there and unite
myself wholly to you. Never permit me to be separated
from you. Amen

PRAYER TO ST. ROCH:

St. Roch by the ministry of an Angel, God gave you a
promise engraved on a Tablet, that whoever would invoke
your name, would be preserved from all contagious diseases
and illnesses. St. Roch pray for us that we may be preserved
from all contagious diseases and illnesses – especially the
Corona Virus

CHILDREN WITH AUTISM ATTENDING MASS:

A Sensory Kit is available in each church for children
attending Mass with autism. Please come to the sacristy
before Mass to receive the kit. We thank Susan Crawford
for making the kit available.

REFLECTION:

Jesus brought the wine of God's love into the world.
Everywhere he went the old was made new.
For the couple at Cana he changed water into wine.
For the widow of Nain he changed tears into joy.
For Zacchaeus he changed selfishness into love.
For the thief on Calvary he changed despair into hope.
And on Easter morning he changed death into life.
Lord, be present with us today and throughout our
lives.
And when through human weakness
the wine of love is found wanting,
touch our hearts and strengthen our wills,
so that we may taste the wine of unselfish love.

PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING on Tuesday
January 18th at 8 p.m. in the Church

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION:

Scoil Iosef Naofa, Moy Saturday 14th May – 11am
Rockmount & Rineen Saturday 14th May – 2pm
Miltown N.S. Saturday 21st May – 11am

CONFIRMATION: Friday 1st April – Rockmount,
Rineen and Miltown N.S. at 11am in Miltown Church

COVID-19 SUPPORT LINE FOR OLDER

PEOPLE ALONE manage a national support line
and additional supports for older people who have
concerns or are facing difficulties relating to COVID-
19 (Coronavirus). If you or someone you know needs
support this Christmas, please call our National
Support and Referral Line on 0818 222 024 from 8am
– 8pm, seven days a week. ALONE operates 365 days
a year so we will be there to take your call when you
need us most.

MILTOWN GAA AGM: St. Joseph's Miltown
Malbay AGM will take place on Tuesday January 18th
at 8.30pm in the Clubhouse. All club members are
strongly encouraged to attend and Non Members are
also very welcome. It's important that everyone have
their say and help develop the future direction of the
Club.

SCHOOL RETREATS AVAILABLE AT KNOCK SHRINE

We are delighted to announce that the Youth Ministry at Knock Shrine will resume school retreats throughout 2022.

School retreats are available to both primary and secondary schools and offer students a meaningful, spiritually uplifting day to reflect within themselves and experience quality time with their fellow students.

Retreat programmes are flexible and can be tailored to suit your group's needs or time limitations.

If you would like to plan a school retreat, please get in touch with a member of our Youth Ministry team:

T: (094) 93 75321

E: youthministry@knockshrine.ie

or find out more at www.knockshrine.ie/news

CONCERTINA CRUINNIÚ, 2022: This 10th Cruinniú will be held on February 18-20, comprising classes for all grades, lectures and recitals, and free public sessions. A special **Celebration Concert** will take place on Saturday, February 19 at 8.30 pm in the Community Centre, featuring the premiere of newly composed music, *Ceol ón Earrach Thiar*, specially commissioned, with generous support from the Arts Council, by Oidhreacht an Chláir from the master of the concertina, Noel Hill, to mark the 10th holding of the Cruinniú. The music will be performed by the renowned musicians Liam O'Connor, Seán Talty, Claire Keville, Jack Talty, Ultan O'Brien and singer Eoghan Ó Ceannabháin, with Noel Hill himself. The second half of the Concert will feature the flute and fiddle duet of the famed Matt Molloy and John Carty. Tickets for this Celebration Concert at €20 (€10 for Cruinniú students) are strictly limited, in line with public health regulations, and are available from Áras OaC, Flag Road (065-7085785) or on line at <https://concertinacruinniú.ie/concert/>. The fee for students, covering tuition and all events except the Celebration Concert, is only €60 for those who register and pay by January 31; €75 thereafter. Please register and pay online for classes at www.concertinacruinniú.ie.

Clothes Recycling

St. Joseph's N.S. Miltown Malbay is holding a clothes recycling collection on Friday 18th February. 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 February 18th. Contact Aidan on 087-6909605.

New Enrolments for Sept. 2022

St. Joseph's N. S. is now accepting enrolments for new students for September 2022. Registration forms are available from Trish in the school office or can be downloaded from our website. Please spread the word about enrolment for Sept. 2022.

FCJ Spirituality House, Spanish Point.

January – Join us online for meditation, stargazing, poetry, centering prayer (Christian meditation) and reflections on love!

Journey of the Universe Online from FCJ Spirituality House, Spanish Point

A 20 week free online reflection on our marvellous universe, earth and human transformation. We are delighted to share these resources, created by Brian Swimme, Mary Evelyn Tucker and team together. This is a great chance to hear experts, watch in amazement, and then step out into our world with renewed enthusiasm for this fantastic planet we are on! Starting Jan. 19th 3-4pm

February – Join us in person to make St Brigid's Crosses, to celebrate St Brigid, for a Spring Circle Dance, Introduction to Somatics or for Movie nights by the Sea. All the details are online at <https://www.eventbrite.ie/o/fcj-spirituality-house-spanish-point-35764429733> or call 087 447 9115. Many courses are free, any paid courses have a suggested donation, but give as you are able please.

APPLICATIONS are being sought by B.O.M. of Mullagh N.S. for the role of bus escort. This entails assisting a student to and from school, mornings and afternoons on transport provided by Bus Eireann and a handover to school staff. Garda clearance will be required. For further information please contact principal@mullaghschool.ie Applications to the same email address. Closing date is Wed. 19th January 2022.

THANK YOU: Thank you to Chris Keena, his son Dan and all the cyclists who took part in SVP fundraiser who raised a very generous amount for St Annes Conference of St Vincent de Paul. Also thanks to everyone who donated with the Blue envelopes over the Christmas period & the Church gate collection, and to the local schools who donated so generously - greatly appreciated and all monies will be used locally and will make a big difference to many....

TIDY TOWNS Sráid na Cáthrach are looking for volunteers. We would love for you to join us on our many activities around the town. Please email us at mmtidytownsgroup@gmail.com/wildaboutmiltownmalbay@gmail.com or visit our facebook page [wildaboutmiltownmalbay](https://www.facebook.com/wildaboutmiltownmalbay) to register your interest.

3 part webinar (zoom) training on invasive species for members of the community/farmers. Dates Wed. 9th 16th & 23rd February from 7-8 followed by question time 8-8.30. Contact f.giaquinto@outlook.com before 20th January for further information and to sign up. This is part funded by CEAF (Community Environmental Action Fund).

MILTOWN/MOY DEFIBRILLATOR 065 7050199
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