

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

CRÍOCHA CALLAN PASTORAL AREA

CHURCH OF IRELAND – CHRIST CHURCH, SPANISH POINT

Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C 6th November, 2022

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In Miltown Malbay Church

Readers for Next Sunday:

6 p.m. Edel Lynch

12.15 p.m. John G. Devitt

Next Sunday is the Thirty-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 All our Dead

MASS: **12.15 Sunday** – Grouped Anniversary
Masses

Patrick Cullen, St. Joseph's Terrace

Maggie Cullen, Dromin

Ellen Woods, Flag Road

Petie Talty, Toureen

Thady Boohan, Ballard Road

MOY:

MASS: **9.15 a.m. Sunday** for All our Dead

REMEMBRANCE: Our prayers are asked for the
repose of the Soul of Christina (Chrissy) Cunniffe,
Church Street who died last week-end.
Rest in Peace Christina

ANNUAL KILLALOE DIOCESAN IN-SERVICE

The Priests of the diocese will be on annual diocesan in-service in Loughrea from Sunday evening November 6th to Wednesday lunch time November 9th. This is a very important time for priests to be together and engage in on-going personal and skill development. It is hoped that all priests in active ministry would be completely free from pastoral engagements during this time. A panel of retired priests have kindly agreed to provide emergency cover during these days, should the need arise. In the event of a Sick Call or a Funeral please contact Fr. Oliver Ryan on 087 4535737.

NOVEMBER MASSES:

If you would like us to remember your beloved dead in the November Masses, you might put their names in the sheet provided in your box and drop it back to us.

REFLECTION:

To him all people are alive

Coming to the end of life
is like travelling through a narrow tunnel
and when we pass through it at its narrowest,
we then emerge into the widest space we have ever
known, wider, brighter than
any of our thoughts, dreams, hopes.

For a true description of God
is the Lover of life,
bringing life to the full,
seeing life when all seems lost,
in despair, hopelessness,
confusion at any age,
or when pain and ill-health
drain the body of life.

God looks on our dying moments
and sees not a person nearly dead,
but a man or woman
on the doorstep of full life.

God looks on our times of illness
and sees us struggling with the limits of earthly life
but growing in the life of the soul.

And this is how people saw Jesus:
a man full of the life
of love and of compassion,
of conviction and energy.

One who lived
in the fullness of God's promise
that life is linked
in the golden string

REMEMBERING ALL WHO DIED SINCE LAST YEAR:

Mass to remember our Departed Loved Ones since 31st October last year will take place in Miltown on Saturday 12th Nov. at 6p.m. and in Moy on Sunday 13th Nov.

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

CARERS MEETING on Monday 7th November at 8pm in The Quilty Tavern.

BLESSING OF GRAVES

Mullagh Church Grounds Sunday 6th November at 1.30pm
Kilbridget 2.30 p.m.

Sunday 13th of November

Graves will be blessed in Moy after the 9.15 a.m. Mass
In Ballard at 2 p.m.
In Kilfarboy at 3.30 p.m. (Weather Permitting)

WEDNESDAYS ON THE WEB:

Starting on Wednesday 7th December
Appeal for Groups/volunteers
Contact Sue at 087 6575575 with whatever Wednesday suits.

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.7th November. Please support this worthy cause. Further details are available on www.teamhope.ie

HOUSE FIRE FUND: 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 you may do it on our Stripe Facility - <https://www.killaloediocese.ie/parish/miltown-malbay-kilfarboy/donate/miltown-malbay-kilfarboy-parish-special-collections/> Mark it House Fire. Thank You

CLARE SUICIDE BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT

require more Volunteers to help in their work of supporting people bereaved by suicide. Open Introductory Evening will be held at our premises in Innovation House, Roslevan Shopping Centre, Tulla Rd., Ennis on Thursday November 10th at 7 p.m. This will be followed by a comprehensive training course, starting in the New Year. Please feel welcome to come along. No appointment necessary. Tel. No. 086 0565373 / 087 3698315. www.claresuicidebereavementsupport.com

PLEDGE FOR NOVEMBER:

Many people offer spiritual support to a relation who is struggling because of alcohol or an addiction problem. Parishioners who wish to take a short-term Pioneer pledge during the month of the Holy Souls are invited to visit www.pioneers.ie/pray.

ALL SAINTS

I know a lot of saints, I do!
So let me mention just a few:
I know someone who runs a team
And teaches kids to play and dream,
Who stands in cold and wind and rain
On days they play and nights they train;
Someone who's there when we are sad,
The best and gentlest friend we've had,
Someone who says, 'Just do your best',
When I am scared to take a test:
A friend who takes the time to show
How things were done so long ago;
A teacher who just always knows
Where that comma always goes;
And others who are kind and good,
Who try to act as Jesus would,
Who show God's love in all they do.
I know a lot of saints, don't you?

UMHL hosts Annual Remembrance Service for families who have experienced loss

University Maternity Hospital Limerick will host its annual Remembrance Service in person this year at The Church of the Holy Rosary, Ennis Road, Limerick, on Sunday November 6th at 3pm.

Fr Des McAuliffe will lead the service, which can also be viewed live at the following link:

<https://www.ourladyoftherosaryparishlimerick.ie/web-cam/>

BAPTISED: We welcome into our Faith Family Oliver Brian Jordan baptised in St. Joseph's Church last week-end.

NEWLY MARRIED:

Congratulations to Aine Fleury our Principal in Scoil Iosef Naofa, Moy who married Seán Feehan last weekend and Lorraine O'Loughlin and David Burke who married in St. Joseph's Church, Miltown during the week. Many Blessings for the future.

West Clare Family Resource Centre activities - For details contact 065 905 2173

- **MEDITATION/MINDFULNESS/WELLBEING Course for over 50's with Sonia Miller from Bear Fruit**, online or in person in Kilrush Community Centre, starting Monday 7th November @10am.
- **WANTED: CROCHETERS and KNITTERS of ALL AGES** to help teaching older adults and children how to knit & crochet.

For details contact 065 905 2173

HAVEN HORIZONS would like to invite everyone to the launch of the book 'Light on the Horizon' in the **Old Ground Hotel, Ennis, at 6.30pm on Thursday 10th November**. The book is the story of the a community's response to domestic abuse.

MILTOWN/MOY DEFIBRILLATOR 065 7050199
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BASKET COLLECTION – 30/10/2022 - €1,777