

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

CHURCH OF IRELAND – CHRIST CHURCH SPANISH POINT

Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C 20th February, 2022

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In Miltown Malbay Church

Readers for Next Sunday: 6 p.m. Caroline O'Rourke

12.15 p.m. Mary Jo Fennell Clarke

Next Sunday is the Eighth 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 Francie Kennelly,
Leeds (1st Anniversary)

MASS: 12.15 p.m. Sunday – Grouped Anniversary

Masses

Michael Cleary 'Doon Varna' Spanish Point
Michael & Margaret Cleary, Gerald &
Fr. Brendan Cleary, Ennis Road
John & Bridget Curtin, Knockbrack
John Kennelly, Dunsallagh West

MOY: 9.15 a.m. Sunday – Liturgy of the Word
With Holy Communion

REMEMBRANCE: Our prayers are asked for the
Repose of the Souls of Francie Tierney, The Hand
who died last week-end and Linda Fitzpatrick, wife
of John Fitzpatrick formally of Carhuduff who died
recently in England.

Rest in Peace Francie and Linda

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Talk for parents of the First Holy Communion
children (online) on Monday February 21st at
7pm. Advance registration is essential and can be
completed using the links emailed out to you.
Please note there is only one webinar being
offered on this occasion.

WEDNESDAYS ON THE WEB AT 8 P.M.

On this Wednesday night February 23rd we
welcome the Griffin Family for some good
traditional music. Please log on to the Miltown
Malbay Parish webcam.

REFLECTION:

I lived on the shady side of the road
and watched my neighbours' gardens across the way
revelling in the sunshine.

I felt I was poor

and from door to door went in my hunger.

The more they gave me from their careless abundance
the more I became aware of my beggar's bowl.

Till one morning I awoke from my sleep

at the sudden opening of my door

and you came and asked for alms.

In despair I broke open the lid of my chest

and was startled into finding my own wealth.

- Rabindranath Tagore

LOURDES PILGRIMAGES

It is hoped to have two pilgrimages to Lourdes
from Shannon Airport on 28th June and 2nd
October. The pilgrimages this year will not be able
to accommodate sick or assisted pilgrims given
the continued presence of the Covid 19. More
details later.

Clare MABS: Are you struggling to make ends
meet? Are you worried about money you owe to
money lenders, credit cards, banks and mortgage
lenders? For free, confidential and independent
advice please contact the Clare Money Advice and
Budgeting Service on 0818 072 430, or email us at
ennis@mabs.ie

UNICEF COLLECTION

Unicef wishes to thank all who gave so generously
to the Church Collections over the last two
weekends. €3,170 was the total. This will
vaccinate 634 people in developing countries
against Covid. This collection was outstanding
and is a great credit to the people of Miltown and
Moy who gave so generously. Thank you all
again for your kindness.

CONCERTINA CRUINNIÚ, 2022: The remaining events include the *Celebration Concert* which takes place tonight (Saturday 19th) at 8.30 pm in the Community Centre, featuring the premiere of newly composed music, *Ceol ón Earrach Thiar*, by Noel Hill and performed by Liam O'Connor, Seán Talty, Claire Keville, Jack Talty and young Cork concertina player Eimhear Flannery, with Noel Hill himself. The second half of the Concert will feature the famed duet of Matt Molloy and John Carty, with Monaghan guitarist Michael McCague. Tickets are €20 (€10 for Cruinniú students). On Sunday, 2.30pm-5.30pm there is a free *Songs and Tunes* session with Tim Dennehy, Connie O'Connell, Eileen de Paor, Ella Marie O'Dwyer and Pat Sheeran in The Forge @ The Players Bar. On Saturday night there is also the *Cosán Ceoil* – free sessions in selected pubs with some of the leading concertina players and other musicians.

Online Yoga & Mindfulness for Children: Join Yoga teacher, Colette Nagle from Cetz yoga, for 2 online yoga classes for children aged 7+ during mid-term break, on Thursday 24th & Friday 25th February from 10am – 11am. Colette combines mindfulness with yoga and children derive great enjoyment and benefits such as enhanced flexibility, strength, co-ordination and body awareness. Access to zoom is necessary. To book a place for your child, contact Kilrush Library on 065 9051504 or email kilrush@clarelibrary.ie Events are funded by Healthy Ireland at Your Library

GENTLE EXERCISE – Mullagh Hall
Thursdays 11 – 12 o'clock
Come along and learn new ways of limbering up.
Cost €5 all are welcome

Are you over 65 and looking to meet friends old and new?

Ennistymon Day Centre provides Bus service from Miltown Malbay area every Tue, Wed & Thursday.
Door to door service where possible or allocated pick up point. We provide hot lunch, tea, coffee and tasty bites. A range of activities from bingo to light exercise, music & fun. €10 per day includes bus pick up and drop off, scone, tea/coffee and hot lunch and all activities. All welcome. Contact Lesley on 065 7071632 for further info.

PERSONAL ALARMS/SENIOR CITIZENS

We are delighted with the great response from our senior citizens to the personal alarms. If you are interested in getting one of the alarms, please contact Mary 087-6200219.

SSWC@50

This year the 50th summer school will run from the 2-10 July. People seeking accommodation for the Willie Clancy Week, and those who may have accommodation to offer, should contact kilduffmg@gmail.com /089--2320498.

FCJ Spirituality House, Teach Spiorodálta, Spanish Point.

Thanks to the lovely group who gathered with Christina for a wonderful, restorative Introduction to Somatics. I'm sure she'll be back again soon! We are enjoying movie nights here hugely, as well as meditation and our universe exploration! There's always space for a few more if you're interested. Check out details at:

<https://www.eventbrite.ie/o/fcj-spirituality-house-spanish-point-35764429733> or call/text 087 447 9115. We will have details of Lenten workshops, talks and other events next week but for now, these may be of interest:

- Wed, Feb 23rd Reflections on Hope with Donal Dorr. An online discussion, as part of a monthly series.
- Sat, Feb 26th: Spring Circle Dance with Mary Lillis. Mindful Meditative Hope, no experience required.
- Fri March 11- Mon March 14th: Lenten retreat with Martina Lehane Sheehan – Trellis for the Soul. Drawn from the book of the same title, this retreat will launch us into the Lenten journey. It will include reflective input, meditation, scripture, poetry, prayer and more, all in the beautiful calm FCJ house by the sea. Click on the link above for more details.

PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT:

Personal Development focusing on communication skills, starting on Tuesday 1st March, 10am to 12.30pm for 8 weeks. Contact Pauline 065-9052173 at West Clare Family Resource Centre, Community Centre, Kilrush, Co Clare.

COMMUNITY WELLBEING & SUICIDE

AWARENESS MEETINGS IN MARCH:

<u>DATE</u>	<u>WHERE</u>	<u>TIME</u>
Monday 7 th	Kilbaha Hall Eoin	7-9pm
Monday 14 th	Kilmurray McMahon Community Centre	7-9pm
Monday 21 st	Doonbeg Community Centre	7-9pm#
Monday 28 th	Miltown Malbay Community Centre	7-9pm

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BEST OF LUCK to the Clare Footballers as they play Roscommon this week-end

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SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAUL 086 2168749

BASKET COLLECTION – 13/02/2022 – €1,676