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

CHURCH OF IRELAND - CHRIST CHURCH, SPANISH POINT

Feast of The Most Holy Trinity Year B 26th May, 2024

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In Miltown Malbay Church

Readers for Next Sunday: 6 p.m. Martina Rynne

12.15 p.m. Flann O'Keeffe

Next Sunday is the Feast of Corpus Christi Year B

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

Tim & Bridget Crowe, Leeds

Nancy Crowe Fitzgerald, Dungarvan

Jimmy Considine, Rineen

Margaret & Tom Crowe, Moybeg Margaret & Thomas O'Rourke & Deceased Members of the O'Rourke

Family, Glendine

MASS: 12.15 Sunday

MOY:

MASS: 9.15 a.m. Sunday – Grouped Anniversary

Masses

Gerard & Tone Hennessy, Cloneyogan

Paddy Vaughan, Moy Seán O'Connell, Moy

John & Susan Whelan, Aylebrack, Son Joe and Sr. Mary and Sr. Bernadine, Australia

REMEMBRANCE: Our Prayers are asked for the Repose of the Soul of Michael Meade, Milford who died during the week. Rest in Peace Michael

LOURDES INVALID FUND: The annual collection to help support and finance sick and seriously ill pilgrims on this year's Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes is being taken up this week-end. Your generosity to this appeal will enable sick people to experience peace and blessings at the Grotto of Lourdes. Envelopes for this collection are in our boxes.

REFLECTION:

O Great Spirit, whose voice I hear in the winds and whose breath gives life to the world, hear me. I come to you as one of your many children.

I am small and weak;

I need your strength and your wisdom.

Make my eyes ever behold the red and purple sunset. Make my hands respect the things you have made

and my ears sharp to hear your voice.

Make me wise so that I may know

the things you have taught your children, the lessons you have hidden in every leaf and rock. Make me strong, so that I may not be superior to

other people, but able to fight my greatest enemy, which is myself. Make me ever ready to come to you with straight eyes, so that when life fades as the fading sunset, my spirit may come to you

without shame.

SPECIAL PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK

to participate in the All Ireland Rosary Rally.

Date: 1st June - Bus leaving from: Quilty - Miltown - Lahinch - Ennistymon - Lisdoonvarna - Ballyvaughan Please contact Lourda Dunne 0872237191 or

Annette Howley 0863836670

MAY IS SAFEGUARDING MONTH IN THE DIOCESE OF KILLALOE:

In the Diocese we have a safeguarding committee, made up of lay members and Diocesan personnel, they meet approx. 4 times a year and who work along side the Director of safeguarding in ensuring safeguarding standards are maintained in the parishes as well as producing and updating policy, plans and guidance. On the safeguarding page of the Diocesean website www.killaloediocese.ie/safeguarding you will find our safeguarding plans, policies and guidance.

KILLALOE AND FERNS DIOCESAN

<u>PILGRIMAGE</u> to Knock Shrine, takes place on Sunday July 7th 2024.

PRAYER SERVICE FOR EXAM STUDENTS KIB/MILTOWN MOY PARISHES

We warmly invite all or Junior Certs, Leaving Certs and LCA Students to a Prayer Service to remember all who are doing exams in the next few weeks at the Mullagh Sports field on Thursday 30th of May at 8 p.m. A Special Welcome also to Parents and Grandparents.

MEDJUGORJE PILGRIMAGE 2024:

Direct flights to Mostar, Shannon to Medjugorje in half the time. 28th Aug − 4th Sept 2024 or 4th − 11th Sept 2024. €855− 7 night group pilgrimage with James Considine. Fr. Martin Shanahan as Spiritual Directors. Contact James 065 9059328 or 085 7385385.

EMPLOY ABILITY CLARE:

If you have an illness, disability or any extra support needs and would like some help to find work, Employ Ability Clare can assist you. For further information, contact Karen on (087) 9934423 or email karen@employabilityclare.ie or log on to www.employabilityclare.ie

WRAP (Wellness Recovery Action Plan) - FREE 2 Day Course

- Evidence based wellness program designed to increase your coping skills, identify wellness tools, and manage a mental health crisis
- Identify supports, challenges and strengths to help with everyday struggles
- Identify early warning signs and actions that will help to maintain your wellness and promote healthy choices during difficult times

<u>WHERE</u>: Miltown Malbay Community Centre <u>WHEN</u>: Friday 07th June & Friday 14th June

<u>TIME</u>: 10am to 4:30pm

<u>To Register</u> – Email <u>westclaremha@mentalhealthireland.ie</u> or telephone 085 8559511

FOCUS IRELAND: On the Move: A Higher Calling

Join Focus Ireland's iconic climbs and help us to raise vital funds to support those experiencing homelessness in our communities. Our Carrauntoohil hike takes place on June 15th or Croagh Patrick on June 16th. Alternatively, organise your own hiking challenge with your family or friends. Contact Niamh 087 489 1974 or email events@focusireland.ie

PRAY FOR LIFE NOVENA is an invitation to join thousands of people across Ireland to pray for the protection of human life, from Thursday 23rd May to the Feast of the Visitation on Friday 31st May. Each day's intention is accompanied by a short reflection and suggested actions to help build a culture of life in Ireland. Visit www.prayforlife.ie for the daily novena prayers and to sign up for daily reminders. The prayers will also be posted on facebook.com/PrayforLifeNovena @PrayforLife_ie on X and @prayforlifenovena on Instagram. This is an initiative of the Council for Life of the Irish Catholic Bishops' Conference.

MILTOWN/MOY DEFIBRILLATOR 999 OR 112 SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAUL 086 2168749 BASKET COLLECTION – 19/5/2024 - €1,490 PARISH GRAVEYARDS: An Aerial Photograph of Ballard Graveyard is on display in the long aisle porch. The Graveyard Committee is proud of the current state of our graveyards and wish to thank those who maintain them so well. The Committee also wishes to thank all who donate at Church gate collections, who give privately and those who donate by on line banking. To maintain our graveyards to this high standard the Committee will continue to ask for contributions. Anyone who wishes to donate on line can do so with the following information:

Name of Bank Acc.is: Miltown Malbay Parish Graveyard Committee

Account Number: 12799171

IBAN: IE47 BOFI 9043 3312 7991 71

BIC: BOFIIE2D Please include your Name - Thank You

OPEN INVITATION TO RETIREMENT

<u>CELEBRATION</u>: We warmly invite you all to join us to celebrate Mrs. Genevieve Pender's retirement at Mullagh National School on Friday, June 21st at 7.00pm. We welcome families, friends, parents, pupils (both past and present), people of the community and former teaching colleagues to join us on the night to share memories and well wishes as we celebrate Genevieve's well deserved retirement.

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Genevieve has taught in Mullagh School for the past 34 years. Her dedication and hard work have left a lasting impact and her presence in the school will be dearly missed by everyone.

CLOTHES RECYCLING: St. Joseph's N.S. Miltown Malbay is holding a clothes recycling collection on Monday 10th June. Items for recycling include: clothing, household linen, sheets, blankets, curtains, shoes, handbags. No duvets, pillows 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 June 10th.

ACCORD: Couple Counsellor Unique Training Opportunity University Level 8: Accord CLG is recruiting experienced practitioners to train in the specialism of Couple Counselling. For further information and to obtain an application form please email infor@accord.ie Receipt of applications by 27/5/2024

COMEDIAN PAT SHORTT will return to Miltown Malbay Community Centre on Saturday, May 25th with his new sell out tour "Knuckle Down!". Tickets available online or from the centre. Contact miltowncommunitycentre@gmail.com or phone 0851496963.

ST. JOSEPHS SECONDARY SCHOOL, SPANISH PT.

Congratulations and well done to the Junior Ladies Football Team who won the Junior A County Final in Cooraclare against Kilrush Community School. The girls hard work and never give up attitude saw them defeat a strong KCS side, 7-1 to 3-11. Well done to all the Girls and their Mentors.

<u>BEST OF LUCK</u> to Conor Cleary and the Clare Hurlers against Tipperary on Sunday in Thurles.