

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

CHURCH OF IRELAND – CHRIST CHURCH, SPANISH POINT

Twenty Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B 22nd September, 2024

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In Miltown Malbay Church

Readers for Next Sunday: 6 p.m. Bernie Mee

12.15 p.m. John G. Devitt

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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 in Mullagh

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MASS: 10 a.m. Thursday in Miltown

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6 p.m. Saturday - Liturgy of the Word with
Holy Communion

MASS: 12.15 p.m. Sunday for John Curtin
Chicago & formerly of Ballyvaskin
(Months Mind)

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 Mick Sexton, Lissycasey, P.J. Kelly, Lissycasey,
Liam Hynes, Emelagh, Quilty and Mullagh Road
and Debby (Cicely) Lemon who died during the week.
Rest in Peace Mick, P.J., Liam and Debby

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION:

MILTOWJN PARISH

Moy – Saturday 17th of May

Miltown/Rockmount/Rineen Saturday 24th of May

CONFIRMATION TALK (For Parents Only)

Talk for the Parents of the Confirmation Children
on Tuesday 1st of October at 7.30 p.m. in Miltown
Malbay Community Hall.

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY:

A Gentle Reminder our Parish Mission takes place
Sunday 3rd November to Friday 8th November
(More details later)

REFLECTION:

Open-Mindedness

Closed-minded people put others down,
Open-minded people are tolerant and understanding.
Closed-minded people cannot see the good
in people who disagree with them,
Open-minded people see some good in everyone.
Closed-minded people mind other people's business,
Open-minded people mind their own.
Closed-minded people are envious and jealous,
Open-minded people are contented and thankful.
Closed-minded people know it all,
Open-minded people realise how little we all know.
Closed-minded people belittle our cultures
and customs,
Open-minded people know the value of diversity.
Closed-minded people are suspicious and
overly cautious,
Open-minded people are trusting and adventurous.
Closed-minded people talk without thinking,
Open-minded people think before talking.
Closed-minded people think they are always right,
Open-minded people realise how easy it is
to be wrong.
Closed-minded people like to judge others,
Open-minded people let others judge them.

AIDS: A Priest's Testament

We will have a special event on Tuesday 24th September in
Miltown Malbay Community Hall at 8pm, we warmly
welcome Bernard Lynch Ennis and part time resident in
Bár Trá to speak. This compelling documentary shot for
Channel 4 in the summer of 1987 tells the story of Fr.
Bernárd Lynch and his ministry to people with AIDS in New
York. The Irish born priest and psychotherapist was closely
involved with the LGBT community and founded the first
pastoral outreach to people with AIDS in the city. He was
subsequently drafted onto the Mayor of New York's Task
Force on AIDS. His ministry and his commitment to civil
rights for LGBT people led him into conflict with the
Catholic Church authorities as well as bringing him into the
most harrowing situations; preparing young people for their
untimely deaths. The documentary profiles the man, his
ministry and the pressures that brought him close to the edge
of his physical and spiritual limits. Followed by some input
from Bernard and then some questions from the floor, all are
welcome and admission is free.

MATT TALBOT NOVENA

This will take place in St. Senan's Church from Mon 30th Sept. – Mon 25th Nov at 7.30 p.m. each Monday night. The list of speakers is as follows:

Mon 30th Sept – Fr. Pat Malone, Clarecastle & Abbey Pastoral Area;

Mon 7th Oct- Bishop Fintan Monahan;

Mon 14th Oct- Ger Fahy, Dublin Counsellor & Psychiatric Nurse;

Mon 21st Oct- Fr. Tony Casey, Cooraclare & Inis Cathaigh Pastoral Area;

Mon 28th Oct – Fr. Martin Blake, Ennis & Abbey Pastoral Area.

Mon 4th Nov- Fr. Michael Geraghty, Shannon & Tradaree Pastoral Area.

Mon 11th Nov- Fr. Michael Collins, Kildysart & Radharc na nOileán Pastoral Area.

Mon. 18th Nov. Joe Queally, Doora –Barefield. RNLI

Mon 25th Nov- Fr. Donagh O' Meara, Mullagh & Criocho Callan Pastoral Area

BAPTISM: We welcome into our Faith Community Finn Michael Curtin baptised in St. Mary's Church, Moy last week-end.

EVELYN MAC MAHON SCHOOL OF SPEECH AND DRAMA:

Classes resuming. Classes available for primary

and secondary pupils. For further info:

Tel: Evelyn Mac Mahon A.L.C.M.T.D. L.L.C.M.T.D.

F.L.C.M. 085 1884158.

PERSONAL ALARMS:

We hope to apply for a grant to get personal alarms (also known as panic buttons) for anyone over 65 years of age. You don't have to be living alone. A personal alarm gives you the security to press a button to call for help in the event of an emergency. It works on both landline telephones or on mobiles. If you are interested in getting a personal alarm, please contact Mary on 087-6200219.

MILTOWN MALBAY YOUNG TRADITIONAL

SINGERS CLUB is now accepting new members for their monthly singing class in Miltown Malbay Community Centre. Therese McInerney will be running a monthly beginner/intermediate class for young people age 7+ on Saturdays. The new class will only run on demand. Contact Therese via her website: www.theresemcinerney.com or WhatsApp +353833171824.

EVENING CLASSES available at St. Joseph's Secondary School Spanish Point

- Drawing and Painting - 8 weeks course
- Jewellery marking - 8 week course
- Spanish for beginners - 10 week course
- Italian cookery for beginners and improvers –
- 4 week course each
- Crochet for beginners - 10 week course

For further information - contact 087-7782861 or email eveningclasses@stjosephssp.com

OIDHREACTH AN CHLÁIR: Join us for a *Night of Songs and Tunes* on next Friday, September 27, 8.00 - 10.00 p.m. in Áras OaC, Flag Road, to meet the next generation of local singers and musicians: David O'Donoghue (fiddle), Aaron Townsend (box), Andrew Kinsella (banjo), and Caoimhe, Aoife and Caitlin Shannon (songs), with Tim Dennehy as Fear an Tí. Fáilte roimh chách. Admission free.

ST. FLANNAN'S COLLEGE NIGHT CLASSES

and Saturday Workshops for Adults will resume on Wednesday October 2.

Classes include: Collage, French, Beekeeping, Irish Storytelling, Wine Tasting, Cross-stitching, Yoga, Mindfulness, Creative Writing, Felting, Hand-built Ceramics, Mosaic, Paper-Making and Stained Glass . Text/phone 083 1090039 for further details and bookings.

MILTOWN NATIONAL SCHOOL:

The Clothes Collection due to take place in Miltown National School has been postponed for the moment.

(Please don't bring clothes to the school)

GENTLE YOGA & MEDITATION:

Gentle yoga & meditation to rest, relax & restore the body, mind & nervous system & ease into Autumn.

Miltown Malbay Community Centre

6 Week Course begins Wednesday September 18th

at 8pm. Enquiries: Deirdre Devatara Finn 086 8483745

MILTOWN GAA GOLF CLUB:

Miltown GAA will hold their annual Golf Classic at Spanish Point Golf Club on October 4/5th. Teams of 4, any combination ladies & gents at €120 per team. To book a Tee time contact Sean on 087 7742153, great Golf, great prizes, great day out, what more could you ask for.

BEGINNER JIVING & SOCIAL DANCE CLASSES

starting again this winter in Cooraclare comm. hall on Thursday 3rd October at 7.30. For further info. call Senan 086 3709437 or Google: jivewithsenan.ie

EXPERIENCED PRIMARY SCHOOL TEACHER

available in the West Clare area for after school tuition for children who might have fallen behind or lack confidence in a particular subject area.

Registered with the Teaching Council and Garda vetted.

For further details contact 0862049511

STAY AND PLAY PARENT'S AND TODDLERS

GROUP Monday from 10 am till noon

Mullagh Sports Field Meeting Room

Sing songs, play games and get creative with arts and crafts.

Parents, grandparents and caregivers all welcome.

€5 per family. Contact Sinéad on 087 9297038.

TEA AND COFFEE MORNING

in Miltown Malbay Community Centre every Friday from 10.30 to 11.30 am

€2 donation. All welcome!

MILTOWN/MOY DEFIBRILLATOR 999 OR 112

SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT de PAUL 086 2168749

BASKET COLLECTION – 15/9/2024 - €1,464