ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH MILTOWN MALBAY ST. MARY'S CHURCH MOY
CRÍOCHA CALLAN PASTORAL AREA
CHURCH OF IRELAND – CHRIST CHURCH, SPANISH POINT
Thirty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A 15th November, 2026

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In Miltown Malbay Church
Readers for Next Sunday: 6 p.m. Rita Murphy
12.15 p.m. Mary Jo Fennell Clarke

Next Sunday is the Feast of Christ the King Year A

LITURGIES FOR THIS WEEK:
Miltown: (www.miltownmalbayparish.ie webcam)

Monday: 9.30 a.m. – Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion

MASS: 9.30 a.m. Tuesday in Mullagh
MASS: 9.30 a.m. Wed. in Mullagh

MASS: 9.30 a.m. Thursday in Miltown
MASS: 6 p.m. Friday in Miltown for Crissie O'Connor née Fitzpatrick, Mullagh Road (1st Anniversary)

Please note no 9.30 a.m. Mass in Friday

MASS: 6 p.m. Saturday in Miltown
Grouped Anniversary Masses
Michael Fitzpatrick, Main Street
Mary Higgins (McGee) Main St. & U.S.A,
John & May Smyth & their Daughter Nuala Kelly
Marian Lynch, Clonbony
Mary & Siney Talty & Deceased Members of the Talty Family, Carhuduff
Paddy McCaw & Deceased Members of the McCaw Family
Denis & Mary Curtin, Son John, Daughter Mary & Grand Daughter Sharon
Thady Boohan & Deceased Members of The Boohan Family, Ballard Road

MASS: 12.15 Sunday in Miltown for Michael Doyle, Spanish Point (1st Anniversary)

MOY:
MASS: 9.15 Sunday in Moy
Grouped Anniversary Masses
Eileen & Patrick Devitt their Son
Michael & Deceased Members of The Vaughan & Devitt Families
Pat & Mary Commane, Aylebrack

REFLECTION:

You entrusted me with two talents;
Here are two more I have made.

We are familiar with the story of the boy who wanted to bring a gift to Jesus at his birth.
He saw others bringing expensive gifts of
Gold, frankincense and myrrh;
He wondered what he had to offer,
and thought of his drum,
and how he could play a song
for Jesus, Mary and Joseph.

A simple story, and isn't it true about
our gifts and talents?

Each of us has different qualities, gifts:
all are given by God and are valued in God's love:
gifts of music, sport and art, of conversation and humour, of compassion and leadership;
Gifts of friendship, prayer and caring for others,
of listening and encouraging; whatever your gift, your talent;
your gift of being a caring parent,
of being able to help a younger generation in any way; be grateful, each of us has a 'bit of God' within us: and each of us can offer to God in our love and care for others what he has given to us.

He looks on us, and loves each of us; sees us as we are and loves us, sees us as we can be and calls each of us, in our own personality and talents, to grow in love, to offer our talents in his service, and to become more like him.
Donal Neary S.J.

REMEMBRANCE MASS FOR ALL WHO DIED IN MILTOWN since last year on this Saturday 14th of November at 6 p.m. We warmly invite you to a cup of tea after Mass.

BLESSING OF GRAVES – SUNDAY 15th NOVEMBER
Mullagh after 11 a.m. Mass
Quilty 12.45
Kilmurry 1.30 p.m.

1st ANNIVERSARY MASSES:
At a recent meeting of the Pastoral Council, it was agreed that First Anniversary Masses from January 2027 will now be with the Grouped Masses for that particular month. It will no longer be possible to have 1st Anniversaries on their own. We apologise for any inconvenience caused.

MANAGING YOUR MONEY: LCETB are running a four-week course called Managing Your Money starting on Friday 13th November in Miltown Malbay Campus. This course will help you to explore the world of money management and to improve your personal and household budgeting skills. This course will help develop essential money management skills. You will also learn practical tips for reducing expenses and explore potential sources of additional income. To book a place or find out more email arlene.doris@lcetb.ie or call 0860319160

IRELAND'S 3rd NATIONAL FIRST SATURDAYS CONFERENCE: This year's conference will take place in Knock on Saturday November 28th. The day begins at 10am and finishes at 5pm. It includes Holy Mass, adoration, talks, and a healing service. Speakers include: Fr Patrick Cahill, Geraldine O'Donnell, Fr Leon Pereira OP, Nikki Kingsley, Fr Marius O'Reilly, Fr. Jaimie Twohig, Christine O'Hara, Fr. Mark Quinn, and Fr Philip Kemmy, Fr. John Keane will lead a Eucharistic Healing Service. More information and the list of buses are available on www.firstsaturdays.ie. At Fatima Our Lady promised that if we did what she asked there would be peace in the world and that many souls would be saved.

BEAUTY THERAPY: Start your career in Beauty Therapy with our Free Apprenticeship Programme, starting 11 January 2027. Gain training at the College of FET Ennis, industry experience in a salon / spa, and a Level 6 recognised Beauty Qualification. For more information, contact: beautytherapyapprenticeship@lcetb.ie

WEEK OF WITNESS FOR PERSECUTED CHRISTIANS:
One in ten Christians, 220 million people, live in countries where they are persecuted for their faith. The charity Aid to the Church in Need, which works to support them, is organising a Week of Witness from November 15-22 to highlight their plight with a special appeal for parishioners to pray for the suffering Church on 'Red Wednesday' November 18. More information is available at www.acnireland.org

Upcoming Events @ Design Bank

- **Delicious Multicultural Cuisine**

Every Thursday, Friday, Saturday & Sunday from 12pm **@Kind Kitchen**

- **Autumn Macramé Workshop** with **Lieke** – Sunday November 15th, 10am-12pm
  To book: text 083 3644373 or **email**

And don't forget, Design Bank is open 7 days a week 10am-6pm, **All Welcome so see you there!**

FOREVER FRIENDS PRESCHOOL:
Forever Friends Preschool now have two spaces available immediately. Also currently taking bookings for September 2027. For further information please contact 087-7782538.

GLENSTAL ABBEY: Watchful Hearts 5th December 2026. A one day advent Retreat at Glenstal Abbay guided by Monks through prayer, reflection and the rhythm of monastic life. This Advent Retreat offers a space for stillness, deep listening and spiritual renewal. Email: events @glenstal.com or phone 061 621005.

A POPUPSHOP is being held in the Community Centre over two days, the 21st and 22nd of Nov. There will be approx 40 stands spread out over the two floors of the centre. Lots of clothing, jewellery and accessories for sale. This is a great way to support the circular economy by recycling and reusing.

The Irish Guidedogs for the Blind will be running the cafe on both days with homemade cakes etc available and all proceeds going to the Irish Guidedogs.

C.C.E. ENNISTYMON BRANCH:
Ennistymon Branch of Comhaltas Ceoltoiri Eireann are hosting The Mac Gabhann Family in Concert
On Thursday night 19th November in the Teach Ceoil at 7.30 p.m. Doors open at 7.p.m. €15.00.

MONSTER BINGO in aid of Kilmurry Ibrickane Parish and Kilmurry Ladies football at the Armada Hotel, Spanish Point on Tuesday 24th November at 8.30p.m. Prize money €4,000. Raffle on the night. All are welcome.

KEEP 'ER LIT RUN:
We are delighted to announce that the Annual
Keep 'er Lit Run will be on Friday 18th December, starting from Mullagh Sportsfield! In aid of Mullagh Sportsfield and Mullagh N.S.Tractors/Lorries/Vans/Cars all welcome!
€20 per vehicle – all drivers must hold a valid license
Prizes for best lit up vehicles
Registration from 5.30pm
Kids light up tractor run 6.15pm
Run leaving at 7pm sharp**
Face painting / Special Guests / Monster raffle

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY:
The Kilmurry Ibrickane Annual Senior Citizens Christmas Party will take place in the Quilty Tavern on Sunday, December 13th beginning with Mass @ 12.30. The cost remains at €15 per person. To add your name to the list contact Connie (087) 944 6374 or Betty (087) 823 8998. This is always a great day with lots of chat and entertainment. We look forward to seeing you all there.

Great Win for St.Joseph's N.S.
Well done to the girls from 4th, 5th and 6th Classes in St. Joseph's N.S. who won their Cumann na mBunscol football final in Cusack park this week.

Also Congratulations to St. Joseph's Miltown on winning the U14A Final last week-end.Well done to players and Mentors.

Book: *"In Miltown There's a Pub"* by Gearóid **O Faolean** will be launched in Friels on Saturday night 14th November at 8pm. All are welcome.

MILTOWN/MOY DEFIBRILLATOR 999 OR 112
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BASKET COLLECTION 8/11/2026 - €1,530