



# Cranny/Coolmeen Newsletter

## 24th/25th September 2016

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**Community Office**  
 e-mail: [cranny@eircom.net](mailto:cranny@eircom.net)  
**The Office will be closed from Friday 2nd September until Monday 26th September**

**Basket Collection: 17th/18th September €405.00**  
**Mass Cards:** Available from Community Office, Coolmeen and Margaret Haugh.

**Masses Times: Cranny -Saturday 8 pm Coolmeen -Sunday 9.45am—Mass Times for this week.**  
 Monday - 10am (Kildysart)  
 Tuesday - No Mass  
 Wednesday - No Mass  
 Thursday - 9.30am (Cranny)  
 Friday - No Mass

**The Ordination of Fr Fintan Monahan as Bishop of Killaloe** will take place in the Cathedral of Saints Peter & Paul, Ennis on Sunday, 25 September at 3pm. The liturgy will be livestreamed on the diocesan website [www.killaloediocese.ie](http://www.killaloediocese.ie)

**Rest in Peace:** Pray for Gerard (Sparky) Finucane, Kiltrush Road who died on 15 September, 2016. May the Lord grant Gerard eternal rest and console his loving wife Geraldine, his daughters Rachel, Emma, Gillian, Ciara and Ruth, his mother Mary, his brothers Peadar, Brendan, Noel, Declan, his sisters May, Rita, Sheila, Carmel, Eithne and Colette, brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law and all who knew and loved him

**The Grouped Anniversary Masses for September Cranny - Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> September at 8pm.** Names to be given to Mary O'Dea, Susan King or written into the book in the Church.  
**Coolmeen - Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> September at 9.45am.** Names to be given to Margaret Haugh or written into the book in the Church.

### A Prayer for Bishop-Elect Fintan

Eternal God, Shepard and Guide,  
 may Fintan who will serve your Church  
 be a shepherd after your own heart,  
 who will walk in your ways  
 and with loving care, watch over  
 your people.  
 May he be a leader of vision  
 and a teacher of your truth.  
 So may your name be glorified  
 and your Church built up  
 through Christ our Lord.  
 Amen.

**Coolmeen GAA Club** invite any CLUB MEMBERS who wish to include their names in the draw for All Ireland Football Replay Tickets to contact Club Secretaries Antoinette 087 1264066 or Marie 086 1741343 by 6pm on Monday 26th September. Due to limited allocation of tickets, Club Members are only eligible for Draw.

**2017 Sacred Heart Calendar & 2017 Living Prayer.** If anyone would like to order for 2017 please contact Susan King. Sacred Heart Calendar €2.50 or 2017 Living Prayer €1.90 or buy both for €3.50.

**ICA:** Thank you to all who helped and contributed to last weekend's church gate collection for Clare Haven Services. The total amount raised was €493.00.

**Church Cleaning for Cranny:** Six Crosses, Derrynidane, Derryshane for the month of October.

**Grouped Anniversary Mass** for Cranny takes place on Saturday 24th September. The following loved ones will be remembered:

*Mary Meaney, Boloughera  
 Tom Keane, Cranny  
 Kathleen & Martin Mc Grath, Sixcrosses  
 Peter O Connell, Shessive  
 Martin Sonny Frawley,  
 Susan McMahon, Crahera  
 Paki, Una, Michael Walsh, Shessive  
 Flan and John Joe Walsh, Shessive  
 Molly, Sonny, Thomas Donnelly, Cranny  
 All forgotten holy souls.*

**Grouped Anniversary Mass** for Coolmeen takes place on Sunday 25th September. The following loved ones will be remembered:

*Patrick Wilson, Erribul  
 John & Brigid Mc Namara, Moyfadda  
 Mary Ann Normoyle, Newbridge  
 Tom Galvin, Newbridge  
 Bridie Corrigan, Newbridge & London  
 Susan Kenny, Clondrina  
 Claire Kennedy, Stone Park  
 Peggy Moloney, Shanahea  
 Kevin McKeown, Kiltrush  
 Michael Devine, Kilmihil*

May they rest in peace.

**Baptism:** We welcome Tadhg Seamus Power into the Christian family. Tadhg was baptised on 17 September, 2016 in St Michael's Church, Kildysart. We congratulate his parents Eimear and Seamus, Erribul and pray God's blessing on the family.

### CÙIL MÌN/KILDYSART G.A.A. LOTTO DRAW

Next Draw: Monday 26th September

Jackpot €4,600

Last week's winning numbers:  
 08, 12, 23, 28.

€50 Megan Cooney, Kildysart  
 €30 Greene Family, Moyralla  
 €30 Pauline O Connell, c/o John Meade  
 €30 Brendan Price, Moyralla  
 €30 Liza Mc Cann, Clonsaughta  
 €30 Anna-Maria Meaney, Cranny

**Cùil Min GAA Club appreciates your support.**  
 Remember On-line lotto [www.localotto.ie](http://www.localotto.ie)

### Parish Meetings:

**Pastoral Council:** The next meeting of our parish pastoral council will take place in the Parochial House, Coolmeen on Tuesday, 4th October at 8.30pm.

**Finance Council:** The next meeting of our parish finance council is scheduled for Wednesday 12th October, 2016 at 8.30pm to take place in the Parochial House, Coolmeen.

If any member of the parish would like to have an issue discussed by the finance or pastoral council they are welcome to contact any member.

**The Priests' Collection** will be taken up next weekend. We thank you for your unfailing, generous support.

**The Story of Love Concert**, celebrating God's love and His creation and featuring a choir from all five continents will take place in Knock Basilica on 15 & 16 October, 2016. For tickets telephone 094 937050 or

[www.knockshrine.ie/thestoryoflove](http://www.knockshrine.ie/thestoryoflove)

**Cranny/Coolmeen Social Services** have secured a bag pack in Supervalu, Kiltrush for Saturday 1st October from 10am to 6pm. We would be grateful if anyone will be in a position to give one hour of their time to help out. If so, please contact Teresa on 086-1682218 or Margaret on 087-6981841 to give your name.

**THANK YOU:** Friends are God's way of minding us and he has minded me well. To all my kind and loving friends, you gave one such love and support, especially so this year. A special mention and huge and heartfelt thanks to Trish Cleary, Mary O'Connell and Jim Wallace, whose constant, unstinting kindness and attention helped more than they will ever know. Thank you everyone for your many prayers and cards. My love to you all. Jai

**Our Living Parish:** People who are already involved in the life of our parish or would like to become involved are invited to come to a meeting with Maureen Kelly, Pastoral Worker in the Community Centre, Kildysart on Tuesday, 18 October, Kildysart at 8pm. We will focus in particular on keeping Sunday prayer alive in our parish, as the number of priests continues to decline. All are welcome — everyone has something to offer.

**Clare Haven Services Insights Programme** is a free and confidential weekly programme for women who are or have been in an abusive domestic relationship and will commence in Ennis at the end of September. Contact Clare Haven Services on [065 6842646](tel:0656842646).

**The Annual Matt Talbot Novena** will begin in St Senan's Church, Kiltrush on Monday 3 October at 7.30pm. The preacher will be Fr Damian Nolan, Corofin.

**Need help moving to employment or further education?** Clare Youth Service are running a 3 month programme for people living in County Clare who are aged between 18-24 years and would like one to one sessions; CV and further workshops/training to reach their goals. Contact Emily Casey at 089-4621526 or 065-6845350 (Ext. 225) or email: [YEI@clareyouthservice.org](mailto:YEI@clareyouthservice.org)