

Cranny/Coolmeen Newsletter

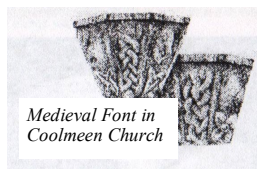
26th/27th August 2017

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Medieval Font in Coolmeen Church

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9.00am – 1.00pm Mon/Tue/Wed/Thurs/Fri
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Offertory Collection: 20th August €592.00

Mass Cards: Available from Community Office Coolmeen and Margaret Haugh.

Mass Times: Cranny -Saturday 8pm
Coolmeen -Sunday 9.45am

Monday	10am (Kildysart)
Tuesday	9.30am (Cranny)
Wednesday	10am (Kildysart)
Thursday	10am (Kildysart)
Friday	10am (Kildysart)

Baptism: We welcome Orla Kate Eustace into the family of faith. Orla was baptised in St. Michael's Church, Kildysart on Saturday 19th August, 2017. We congratulate her parents Michelle and Thomas, Effernan and pray God's blessing on the family.

Pastoral Council: The next meeting of our parish pastoral council will take place in the Parochial House, Coolmeen on Thursday, 14th September at 8.30pm. If any member of the parish would like to have an issue discussed by the pastoral council they are welcome to contact any member of the council.

Pilgrimage to Lourdes: The Killaloe Autumn Pilgrimage to Lourdes leaves Shannon on Sunday, 1st October and returns on Friday, 6th October. €667 for flight and full board accommodation. €10 discount for online booking to joewalshstours.ie. Booking forms are available from Fr Tom Ryan, Shannon 061 364133

The Grouped Anniversary Masses for September
Cranny - Saturday 23rd September. Names to be given to Mary O'Dea, Susan King or written into the book in the Church.
Coolmeen - Sunday 24th September. Names to be given to Margaret Haugh or written into the book in the Church.

Come celebrate The Great Irish Garden, at Irish Seed Savers on Sunday August 27th from 11am - 5pm. Entry includes free talks, tours and gardening demonstrations. Our guest speakers this year are RTE presenter and environmentalist Duncan Stewart, Brown Envelope Seeds founder Madeline McKeever and renowned Organic Gardening guru Jim Cronin. We will have treasure hunts for children, garden and orchard tours and our café and cob pizza oven will be serving delicious food. Free for supporters & children, €10 for general admission. Contact Irish Seed Savers, Capparoo, Scariff, Co. Clare - 061-921866 - [in-fo@irishseedsavers.ie](mailto:info@irishseedsavers.ie)

The Annual National Legion of Mary Pilgrimage to Knock takes place on Sunday, 24th September with Bishop Fintan Monahan as Chief Celebrant & homilist.

Care of Creation Day: Next Friday, 1st September is the 2017 day of prayer for the care of creation, our common home. Pope Francis established this day of prayer in 2015. In his letter on creation, 'Laudato Si', the Pope asks us to 'reaffirm [our] personal vocation to be stewards of creation, to thank God for the wonderful handiwork which he has entrusted to our care and to implore His help for the protection of creation, as well as his pardon for the sins committed against the world in which we live'.

A Prayer for the Care of Creation by Pope Francis

God of love, show us our place in this world as channels of your love for all the creatures of this earth, for not one of them is forgotten in your sight.

Enlighten those who possess power and money that they may avoid the sin of indifference, that they may love the common good, advance the weak, and care for this world in which we live.

The poor of the earth are crying out. O Lord, seize us with your power and light, help us to protect all life, to prepare for a better future, for the coming of your Kingdom of justice, peace, love and beauty.

Praise to you! Amen.

Community Employment Scheme has 3 General Maintenance vacancies in Kildysart, Ballynacally Cranny/Coolmeen and Labasheeda. Interested persons may contact the Community Office, Coolmeen 065 6832070 / 086 8513077

Coolmeen GAA Fundraiser: A night at the Races with BBQ, in aid of Coolmeen GAA will take place on Saturday 2nd September at 9pm in Tir -na -nOg. Horses are now on sale from intermediate & junior players. Race sponsors would be very welcome and much appreciated. Please contact club officers for further information. Great night is assured so look forward to seeing you all there.

Community Hedgecutting Grant available – €50 per km. Closing date is 30th October, 2017. Application forms available online at www.clarecoco.ie or from Áras Contae an Chláir, New Road, Ennis.

Burren Peaks Weekend of Walking Festival Saturday Sept 9th & Sunday Sept 10th, Ballyvaughan, Co. Clare: An unforgettable way to explore the Burren limestone landscape. Groups, clubs, and individual walkers welcome. Choice of guided grade A, B & C walks each day. Pre-booking of walks essential.

Community Games: Many congratulations to Tia Attwell who won a bronze medal in the cycling event at the All Ireland Community Games final in Dublin last weekend. Well done Tia.

Coolmeen GAA invites any CLUB MEMBERS who wish to have their names included in draw for All Ireland Hurling Tickets, to please contact club secretaries Antoinette 0871264066 or Marie 0861741343 by 6pm on Monday 28th August. Owing to limited allocation of tickets, only club members are eligible for draw.

St John Bosco Community College: Return to school dates are as follows;

Monday 28th August – First year students for induction
Tuesday 29th August – 6th, 3rd, TY & 1st year students
Wednesday 30th August – All students

CÜIL MÍN/KILDYSART G.A.A. LOTTO DRAW

Next Draw : Monday 28th August 2017 at The Alders

Last week's winning numbers **04, 12, 21, 24**

Jackpot **€14,200**

€50 Dermot & Catherine Pender
€30 Des & Kathleen Murphy
€30 Mary & Sheila O' Donnell
€30 Thomas Corry
€30 Niall Fitzgerald
€30 Brian Moloney

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Cüil Min GAA Club appreciates your support. Remember On-line lotto available to play no matter where in the world you may be www.localotto.ie

Grouped Anniversary Mass for Cranny takes place on Saturday 26th August. The following loved ones will be remembered.

Eugene Hanrahan	Carrowreagh East
Mary King	Caherea
Patrick, John & PJ Brooks	Shessive
Francie Kelly	Cranny
Ambrose O'Dea	Craghera
Thomas & Margaret O'Neill	Carrowreagh West
Tommy, Dan & Norah Reidy	Boloughera
Forgotten Holy Souls	

Grouped Anniversary Mass for Coolmeen takes place on Sunday 27th August. The following loved ones will be remembered.

Michael Murphy	Clondrina
Michael (Mickie) Kenny	Clondrina
Bridie Corrigan	London & Newbridge
Tom Galvin	London & Newbridge
Noran & James Mc Mahon	Daughnieve
Jimmy O' Donnell	Erribul
Bridget O' Brien	Coolmeen
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Vandeleur Walled Garden Kilrush are thrilled to be hosting a second weekend of summer fun for children on the 26th and 27th of August, from 1pm to 4pm daily. We have an incredible two days of fun and entertainment to keep all the family entertained including facepainting, tattoos, balloon twisting, disco with fun and games and amazing magic shows running throughout the day. Dress up as your favourite princess, pirate or superhero for even more fun. Come along to two great days of summer fun in our wonderful gardens. Lovely day out before the children go back to school. Only €8 per child.

Declan Hayes Memorial Event will take place in Doonbeg, Co. Clare on Saturday 2nd September at 11am. This year we are only having the 10Km Walk/Run. Lots of great prizes. Proceeds in aid of Clare Suicide Bereavement Support and The Alzheimer's Society of Ireland. Contact Claire on 0864033648 or email: declanhayesmemorialevent@gmail.com. You can also register online on Eventbrite: <https://www.eventbrite.ie/e/declan-hayes-memorial-event-tickets-34779037036?aff=eac2>. Stay up to date with our Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/Declan-Hayes-Memorial-Event-504974016560542/>

Coláiste Mhuire Ennis - 50th Anniversary

Reunion: Attention Coláiste Leaving Certificate Class of 1967. We are having a get together on Saturday 7th October at the Old Ground Hotel, Ennis. If you are interested in attending, contact Mary Horan (Campbell) at marybhoran@yahoo.co.uk. Please let your fellow classmates know. Teachers also very welcome.