Cranny/Coolmeen Newsletter

Sunday February 24th 2013 Tel/Fax: 6832070

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Mass Times

Monday 10am (Kildysart) Tuesday 10am (Kildysart)
Wednesday 10am (Kildysart) Thursday 6.45pm (Cranny)
Friday 11am (Kildysart)

Masses March: Cranny - Saturday 6.45pm and Coolmeen - Sunday 9.45am.

Basket Collection: Weekend 16th/17th February €452. Thank you for your generosity

Coolmeen Minister of the Word: Bernadette McNamara - 3rd March.

Grouped Anniversary Mass: Coolmeen - Saturday, 23rd February at 6.45pm.

Names of loved ones to be remembered in this month's grouped anniversary mass in **Coolmeen** are:

Jack & Ann Reidy, Shanahea — Mary & Senan O'Neill, Stonepark
Pat-Joe, Delia & Mary McInerney, Rockmount — John & Tess Madigan, Derryguihy
Michael & Mary Mulconry, Shanahea — Aggie & PJ Moloney, Effernan

Brid McMahon (nee Moloney), Effernan And All The Forgotten Souls

Cranny - Sunday, 24th February at 9.45am

Names of loved ones to be remembered in this month's grouped anniversary mass in **Cranny** are:

Joseph Behan, Daughnieve

Bríd, Kathleen & Bill Shannon, Carrowreagh West — Kay M^cNamara, Carrowreagh West Thomas M^cNamara, Carrowreagh West — Delia M^cNamara, Carrowreagh West

Maura O' Connor (nee Doyle), Sixcrosses & Chicago — Kitty Kennedy, Moyralla Nora Meaney, Boloughera — Michael & Mary Talty, Cragg

Margaret Ryan, Dernadane — Jane Crowley, Cragg

And All The Forgotten Souls.

First Friday: Friday is the First Friday of March. The monthly visits to the sick and housebound will take place on Thursday morning (28th February) and Mass will be celebrated in Cranny Church at 6.45pm also on Thursday 28th February.

<u>Coolmeen-Cranny Parish Council</u>: The February meeting of Coolmeen-Cranny Pastoral Council will take place in the Parochial House, Coolmeen on Tuesday 26th February 2013 at 8.30pm.

Readers In Church: An aftenoon for readers in the parishes in our cluster (Kildysart, Coolmeen-Cranny and Lissycasey-Ballynacally) will take place in the pastoral centre in Lissycasey (at the rear of the Church) on Sunday 3rd March from 4pm to 5.30. It will be led by Fr Vincent Sherlock and will conclude with a light supper.

Breast Check: The National Breast screening programme is a government funded service that provides women aged 50 to 64 with free breast x-ray (mammogram) every two years. Breast Check is currently screening in Co. Clare. Women aged between 50 to 64 will be invited by letter to attend for their free mammogram. Screening will take place in the Breast Check mobile unit, located in the car park of Clare County Council Offices, Clonroad, Ennis. As some women may not be on our register we encourage all women to check that they are registered via the freephone - 1800 45 45 55 or the website www.breastcheck.ie. Screening is by appointment only.

G.A.A. Lotto Results

Winning Numbers: Monday, February 18th 2013: 4 - 14 - 17 - 18

€50 Aggie O'Donoghue, Ennis Rd

€30 - (1) John Burns, New Jersey. (2) Joe Hogan, Kildysart. (3) Tom & Nuala Kelly, Kildysart (4) Donal & Patricia Maloney, Derrylea (5) Joseph Casey, Moyfadda. *Next Week's Draw:* Monday, 25th February at **Tír na n-Óg**. Lotto Sales €445 *Next Week's Jackpot*: - €7,200

<u>Coolmeen-Cranny Website</u>: From its launch in November 2012 until 18th February 2013, there have been 1,936 visits to our parish website (<u>www.kilfidaneparish.com</u>). This is an average of 21 views per day. These visits were made by people resident in the following countries:

Ireland	1,613	Mexico	2
United States	178	France	2
United Kingdom (incl N Ireland)	86	Indonesia	2
Canada	17	Philippines	2
Germany	8	Australia	2
Italy	7	Malaysia	1
Hungary	4	Gibraltar	1
India	3	Kenya	1
Korea	3		

If you have material that you feel might be suitable for inclusion on the website you are very welcome to contact us. People like to see old photographs in particular.

<u>Job Vacancies</u>: 2 General Maintenance Positions available (CE Scheme). Based in Kildysart. Contact Geraldine on 065 6832070 - 086 8513077

Afternoon Tea Dance: At the West County Hotel with Tommy O'Flaherty & Celtic Swing from 3 - 6 pm on Sunday, February 24th. Admission - €8 incl tea/coffee & biscuits Door Prize & Spot Prizes Special Offer - €15 - main course from Carvery & admission to Dancing. More Afternoon Tea Dances Sun, March 17th & 31st, April 14th & 28th.

Coolmeen GAA Club: Membership is open to everyone in our parish and new members most welcome. Registration night Monday 25^{th} February 2013 7-8pm at Clubhouse. Adult player €50. Nonplayer €30. College student €20. Secondary school student €10. National School student €5. Family membership €60 (2 non-player adults & 2 children under 18). **Underage Meeting**. There will be a meeting on Monday 25^{th} February 2013 at 8pm to plan participation in games for 2013. Parents, coaches, players and anyone willing to assist with underage teams are invited to attend.

The 2012 West Clare U-15 A Final. Cùil Mìn / Kildysart and Naomh Eoin / O'Curry's Final was played Sunday last in Coolmeen. Our gallant players lost out on a scoreline of 3-09 to 0-07 points. Playing with the strong wind, Cùil Mìn / Kildysart led early on by 4 points to 2, all from the boot of captain Ben Cleary. Cùil Mìn / Kildysart extended their lead to 4 points after scores by Stephen Sheehan and another by Ben Cleary. Naomh Eoin/O'Curry's scored a goal and point before halftime to leave teams level at break by 6 points to 1-03. Naomh Eoin/O'Curry's used the wind to their advantage in the second half and scored 2 goals and 6 points. Cùil Mìn / Kildysart battled bravely to the end and Ben Cleary replied with his sixth point of the day. Our talented young team will now prepare for the upcoming U-16 County Championship. Please support our players in these matches. Team: Adam Carrigg, Rory McMahon, Kieran O'Brien, Mark Meaney, Conor Donnellan, Darragh Cleary, Cian Murphy, Ben Cleary-Captain (0-06), Sean Wallace, Stephen Sheehan (0-01), Alan Normoyle, David Clancy, Barry Crehan. Subs: Eric Scanlon, Aaron Slobody, Kevin McMahon, Ryan Casey, Luke McGrath, Jack Sheehan.

<u>Meeting</u>: The Peadar Clancy Festival Committee will hold there first meeting of the year on Wednesday, 27th February at 8pm in Cranny Office. New members welcome. This years Festival will be held from the 19th July to 21st July 2013.