

Cranny/Coolmeen Newsletter

10th/11th January 2015

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Medieval Font in
Coolmeen Church

Community Office
e-mail: cranny@eircom.net
Opening Hours
9.30am - 1pm Monday to Friday.
Open afternoons 2pm - 5pm on a
limited basis so it is advisable to ring. 065 68 32070
or 086 8513077

Basket Collections:

20th & 21st Dec: €574
24th, 25th, 27th & 28th Dec: €1,371
3rd, 4th, 5th & 6th Jan: €629

Coolmeen Ministers of the Word:

11th January: Marion & Teresa

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

Baptism: We welcome Charlie Matthew
Hanrahan into the Christian family.
Charlie was baptised in St Benedict's
Church, Coolmeen on Saturday, 3rd January
2015. We congratulate his parents
Ann-Marie and Kieran, Erribul and pray
God's blessing on the family.

The next meeting of Coolmeen-Cranny

Pastoral Council: will take place in the
Parochial House, Coolmeen on Tuesday 27th
January 2015 at 8.30pm.

Weekly Offertory Collection: You may
place your weekly collection envelope in
the basket for the offertory collection in any
Church where you happen to attend Mass
and it will be returned to Coolmeen-Cranny
parish. Equally, collection envelopes from
other parishes which are placed in our
offertory collection will be returned to their
own parishes.

Masses Times

Coolmeen - Sunday 9.45am
Cranny - Saturday 7pm

Mass Times for this week.

Mon/Tues /Wed /Fri - 10am Kildysart
Thurs - 9.30am Cranny

The Grouped Anniversary Mass for January will be celebrated as follows:

Cranny - Saturday 31st January at 7pm.

Names to be given to Mary O'Dea, Susan
King or written into book in the Church.

Coolmeen - Sunday 1st February at 9.45am.

Names to be given to Margaret Haugh or
written into book in the Church.

The Killaloe Diocesan Youth Council: are
having an overnight in Spanish Point on
Friday 16th January. The night is to welcome
new members to the Council and to plan for
the year ahead. It promises to be a night of
fun, faith and friendship. It is open to any
young person aged 16 and over. You do not
have to be a member of the Youth Council to
come along. Bus will leave Ennis on Friday
night and return on Saturday afternoon. For
further details contact any one of the
following: Tracy Murray to 065 7087329,
Jerry Carey 086 250 8444, Cora Guinnane
087 2400 135 or Donagh O'Meara 087 232
2140.

Cranny/Coolmeen Parish Social: will take
place on Saturday April 18th 2015 at Tír na
n-Óg.

Senior Citizen's Party: will be held in Tír na
n-Óg on Sunday January 18th. Dinner will be
served followed by music, song and dancing
for the afternoon. Names as soon as possible
to Teresa O'Halloran (086) 168 2218, Claire
McMahon 6832060 or Margaret Haugh (087)
698 1841.

Carol Singing: Thanks to all who took part
and contributed to the Carol singing on
December 21st for the Christmas Tree lights in
Coolmeen. Total collected : €236.

Best wishes and safe journey: to all our
family members and friends who visited with
us for the Christmas season and made the
season extra special. As they return to
England, Australia, Canada and many other
places within and outside Ireland we pray that
God will watch over them and keep them safe,
happy and healthy until their next visit with
us. We pray for all our friends and family who
live and work abroad and ask for God's
blessing for them as they start the New Year.

*'God of the journey,
God of the traveller.*

*We pray for those who leave their homes
in search of new beginnings and possibilities.
May they know your presence with them.'*

CÚIL MÍN G.A.A. LOTTO DRAW NO WINNER

LAST WEEK'S NUMBERS:

01, 18, 25, 27.

€50 Mairead Kelly, Lacknashannagh

€30 Louise Whelan, Kildysart

€30 Ann Ronan, Lissycasey

€30 Ben Reilly, c/o Fiona Garry

€30 Laura O'Brien, Kildysart

€30 Irene McInerney, Mitchell's

NEXT DRAW: Monday 12th January

At: Tír na n-Óg. JACKPOT €6,800

Cúil Min GAA appreciate your continuing support

*And remember On-line lotto available to play no
matter where in the world you may be.*

**Couples planning to celebrate the sacrament of
marriage:** are reminded that in addition to the civil
requirements they need to:

- give at least three months notice to
their parish;
- complete the pre-nuptial enquiry
form with their parish priest;
- and participate in a recognised pre-marriage
course (Accord or Esker Retreat House,
Athenry).

Tax Refund: Recently, members of our parish
received receipts for the contributions you
made to the parish during 2013. You also
received a form which allows the parish to
reclaim the tax you have already paid on your
donation without any additional cost to you.
We would be grateful if you would complete
and return the form to the parish office during
the coming week. Thank you for your generous
and unfailing support.

ICA Meeting: at Coolmeen NS on Wednesday
14th January at 8.30pm.

**Young St. Vincent de Paul at St. John Bosco
CC:** would like to sincerely thank all those
who contributed to their 2014 Christmas food
appeal. It was a great success and your support
is greatly appreciated.

Cranny/Coolmeen Cardiac Responders: next
meeting Tuesday 13th January at Coolmeen NS
from 8.30pm to 9.30pm. All welcome. Details
from Mary Greene on (085) 729 6062 or on our
face book page.

Go For Life: sports and games for over 55's
resumes on Tuesday 20th January in Teach
Cheoil, Kilrush with two one hour sessions
11am and 3pm. Everyone is welcome. Come
make new friends and join in the
fun. The games are easy to play and the craic is
great. Come on your own or bring a
friend. Cost €2. For more information phone
Eliza at the West Clare Family Resource Centre
on 065 9052173.