

# Kincasslagh Parish Newsletter, March 21<sup>st</sup>, 2021

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### Schedule of Masses

Online Masses Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> @ 5.30 p.m. Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> @ 11.30 a.m. Monday @ 11.00 a.m. Tuesday @ 10.00 a.m. Wednesday @ 11.00 a.m. Thursday @ 11.00 a.m. Friday @ 10.00 a.m. Saturday 27th @ 5.30 p.m. Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> @ 11.30 a.m. Palm Sunday

## Anniversaries and Masses

Mary Sweeney, Mullaghderg, Saturday Daniel (Donal) Anthony O'Sullivan, Inisfree, Sunday

Patrick Houston, Birminaham & Lackenaah, Monday

Gracie (Hannah Phetie) Ferry, Luton and Roshine, Tuesday

Evelyn O'Donnell, Wednesday Hannah (Phetie) Ferry, Luton and Roshine, Thursday

Máire Boyle Dinny Gerrard, upper Belcruit. Months mind. Friday

Annie Gallagher, Chapel Gate, Saturday Neil McGonagle, Owey & Cruit, Sunday **Recent Deaths** 

Muredach Dynan, Newry, Co. Down, brother-in-law of Bishop Alan McGuckian Celia Sidonio, Cruit months mind

Margaret O'Donnell, Point Pleasant, New Jersey who died on Thursday. Aunt of Terry Boyle. Funeral at St. Catherine's, Spring Lake, New Jersey on Tuesday 23rd at 10.30 a.m. EST.

Mary Whyte, nee Sweeney, Dunfermline & Lackenaah who died durina the week.

Charles M Conaghan (Charlie) who died in at his home in point pleasant on Tuesday 16 March 2021. Burial at St. Peter's church Point Pleasant Beach on Thursday. May he rest in peace. Son of John J Conaghan and Grace Bonner, Leffin.

#### Anniversaries

Joe O'Donnell, Sheskingrone and Perth Scotland Doalty Sharkey, Mullaghderg

## For the sick...

For Mary, who is seriously ill in hospital with cancer. For Ann Marie, who is ill. Maeve Carson, recovering well.

## Help feed 100 hungry children for a year

An online guiz to support Mary's Meals will be held on Friday, March 26 at 8pm. Entry fee/donation is €10. To enter: 1) log on to Mary's Meals website 2) go to start fundraising 3) click on search for friend's project 4) type in quiz.



COVID-19/ CORONAVIRUS SUPPORTLINE FOR OLDER PEOPLE 0818 222 024

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## Threshold of Hope

Tuesday March 30th, 8pm http://www.churchservices.tv/deirdrenichinnei de

Deirdre Ní Chinnéide invites you to cross the Threshold of Hope with her in this exciting and inspirational response to the challenges of this past year of COVID-19.

Threshold of Hope a unique online musical gathering with gifted and creative singer, facilitator and spiritual director Deirdre Ní Chinnéide on March 30<sup>th</sup> – coming from the Aran Islands on the west coast of Ireland, into vour own home.

In these times, when the Covid-19 pandemic has radically disrupted our lives, Deirdre invites us to venture a few steps to cross a threshold of hope. Rooted in the Aran Islands and drawing on ancient Celtic culture, Deirdre's music soothes the soul and stirs the spirit to courageous new beginnings of hope and possibilities of light during this Holy Week. Sit back, relax and allow yourself to be inspired with Deirdre's heart-felt music in these times of uncertainty.

#### Our student Knights of St Columbanus at

Queen's University have asked me to share with you news of an upcoming online event they're organising. They would be grateful if you would circulate for inclusion in parish newsletters and social media channels. See notice below and poster attached. Fr Dominic McGrattan, Chaplain



An online talk by Editor of The Irish Catholic Michael Kelly

Tuesday 23rd March 6.30 pm

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## Could it Be You?

For details email

"Jesus said to them, 'Come, and you will see.' So they went and saw where he was staying, & they stayed with him that day." - John 1:39 https://vocations.ie/2021/03/02/virtualdiscernment-evening/

Tuesday 23rd March @ 7:30 pm IS GOD CALLING YOU TO BE A PRIEST? Perhaps you're longing for something more in your life? Perhaps God is calling you to live your life as a diocesan priest? Perhaps you are uncertain, but would like to learn more? Just as Jesus invited his followers to "come and see," you are invited to a short virtual "zoom

and see" on Tuesday 23rd March @ 7:30 pm.



**Exploring Priesthood** 

For some, it is a moment of discovery. For most, it is a growing awareness that develops over time. For all, it is a moment in time when an internal stirring suggests the next step toward a clearer focus on "God's call in my life." It is not necessarily a call to priesthood, but a call to consider the possibility.

This virtual discernment evening is aimed at Catholic men aged 18 and over, who are beginning to explore if they have a calling to be a priest. The 90 minute zoom will provide you with an opportunity to hear priests and seminarians share about how they heard their call, how they discerned what God was asking of them and what is involved being a priest and of seminary formation.

This event is being hosted by the dioceses in the Ecclesial Province of Cashel and is open only for men resident and living in Ireland.

Thanks on behalf of the Community to those women who are spending time picking up litter along the roadside from passing cars who chuck them out their windows. Please help them and ourselves by bringing all litter home and disposing of it properly. A little thought goes a long way.