

MOYVANE PARISH NEWSLETTER

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Vigil and Sunday Masses – Saturday 2nd and Sunday 3rd June

MOYVANE:	Sat	2 nd	7.30pm	James Duggan, Murhur (Anni)
KNOCKANURE:	Sun	3 rd	10.00am	David Dillon, his parents Margaret & Vincent & his aunt Kathleen Stack, Kilmorna
MOYVANE:			11.00am	Michael Flaherty, Glenalappa (Anni)

Church of the Assumption Moyvane: Wednesday 6th to Sunday 9th June

Wed	6 th	7.30pm	Kathleen Dore, Woodgrove (Anni)
Fri	8 th	7.30pm	Hughie Fitzmaurice, Leitrim Middle (Anni)
Sat	9 th	7.30pm	John Kearney, The Village & his parents Dan & Bridie
Sun	10 th	11.00am	Martin Mulvihill, Glenalappa & Nenagh (Rec Dec)

Church of Corpus Christi Knockanure: Thursday 7th to Sunday 9th June

Thurs	7 th	7.30pm	Kathleen O'Dwyer, Listowel (Anni)
Fri	8 th	8.00pm	Eileen Goulding, Knockanure Village (Anni)
Sun	10 th	10.00am	Nancy & Denny Flaherty, Lisanskea (Anni)



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PRIEST ON DUTY THIS SUNDAY: Fr. Brendan Walsh ☎ 087/7913271. Emergencies only.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: **KNOCKANURE:** Tuesday 10am – 5pm; **MOYVANE:** No adoration on Wednesday 6th due to clean up after the concert. Apologies for any inconvenience caused.

LAST WEEKEND'S COLLECTIONS: Offertory €1,344.20; Shrines Moyvane €189.

SECOND COLLECTION: this weekend for your Dues offerings in your green envelopes. Thank you.

DIOCESAN COLLECTION – WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES: will be taken up at all Masses on the weekend of 16th/17th June. Bishop Ray writes as follows about this collection:

"I ask you to consider being especially generous to this collection. With the visit of Pope Francis and the need to plan to accommodate over half a million at the final Mass (hopefully huge numbers from our diocese will be present), costs are enormous. A figure of twenty million euros is being mentioned. It is vital that each diocese makes a significant contribution".

PRAYERS & SYMPATHY: To Mícheal & Esther O'Flaherty & family on the death of Hans Schrewrs, Holland. Hans was a brother-in-law to Frances Schrewrs (née O'Flaherty) – brother to her husband Kasper.

IRISH CANCER SOCIETY: Would like to thank all who helped and contributed to their Church Gate Collection on 26th/27th May. Total raised €700.

CHIROPODIST: in the Marian Hall on Friday 8th June at 10am. To book contact Eileen Quinn 49472.

ACCORD: changed their phone number some time ago. The following is the correct phone number for those who wish to do a Pre Marriage course or enquire about Relationship Counselling ☎ 064/6633612.

MÍLE BUÍOCHAS: A big thank you to the large number of participants who took part in the first practice of the New Choir at Ard Curam. The next gathering will take place on June 11th 1.30pm to 2.30pm at Ard Curam.

CONCERT: For those who are undecided about the Concert, a limited number of tickets will be available at the door on the night. Come early. Doors open at 7pm. Concert at 8pm sharp. As per usual we ask you to co-operate with stewards on the night. We are all looking forward to a great night at our mid-summer concert.

HAPPY & SAFE HOLIDAY WEEKEND TO ALL: In the light of what happened in Ennis two days ago with the death of Jack and Shay, two 15 year olds, we pray for their families and their friends. May they Rest In Peace. We ask the Lord for blessings and protection this holiday weekend. May we all be safe and well in our homes, places of recreation and in our travelling. Best wishes to our young parishioners who are taking part in the Primary Games this month & best wishes to all going to the game in Killarney – Kerry go easy on us!!!

EXAMS: Our prayerful blessings and good wishes to all starting exams this coming week.

ACTIVE PARTICIPATION

We live in a spectator culture. In every realm of life, arts, sports, even religion, 'Observe Only' can be the philosophy. Even when relaxing, singing and dancing is often left to 'experts'. In the latter case, when we're coaxed into action and cease being wallflowers, we're understandably nervous - but glad to be included. The Church invites us to be active participants in our Mass. Most people have an instinctive feel for the Eucharist. They know it's important even if they don't have words to explain it. Corpus Christi, the Feast of the Body and Blood of the Lord makes one thing very clear to us: Eucharist is not a 'spectator sport'. In all the wideness and wildness of life, we find support in celebrating Eucharist. This is why people so often mark particular life events, joyful and sorrowful, with the celebration of Mass. Most of us don't struggle so much with believing that the bread and wine become the body and blood of the Lord, it's the change in our behaviour demanded by His continuing presence in us that poses the problem. If we can accept the presence of Christ in the tabernacle, but not in others, something is very wrong! 'Unless you eat.....you will not have life in you'



NOW IS THE HOUR

Why fear tomorrow, timid heart?
Why tread the future's way?
We only need to do our part,
Today, dear heart, today.
The past is written. Close the book
On pages sad and grey;
Within the future do not look, but live today - today.
This one hour God has given us; Him we now must obey
And it will make our earth His heaven
If we live and love Him today - today.



PARISH BREAK DOWN OF VOTING FROM THE RECENT REFERENDUM

There was four Voting Booths to facilitate our parishioners. Two were based in Murhur N.S. Moyvane, one in Scoil Chorp Chríost, Knockanure and Booth 1 in Duagh N.S. facilitated a number of parishioners as well. Here is a breakdown of the results of the aforementioned Booths.

MURHUR N.S. MOYVANE

BOOTH 1:

574 citizens had the right to vote - 354 voted while 220 did not use their vote
YES 198 NO 156

BOOTH 2:

597 citizens had the right to vote - 332 voted while 265 did not use their vote
YES 172 NO 160

SCOIL CHORP CHRÍOST, KNOCKANURE

BOOTH 1:

337 citizens had the right to vote - 195 voted while 142 did not use their vote
YES 110 NO 85

DUAGH N.S

BOOTH 1:

553 citizens had the right to vote - 338 voted while 215 did not use their vote
YES 170 NO 168

★ Please note this Duagh Booth includes votes from Duagh Parish.

PASTORAL MESSAGE FROM BISHOP RAY IN THE LIGHT OF THE REFERENDUM: result is available at the back of both Churches or can be viewed on the Diocesan website www.dioceseofkerry.ie