Parish Newsletter

Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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GIVING IT ALL UP

If your house was on fire and you could save one thing, what would it be? We often hear this question posed, and our response is supposed to tell us something about ourselves and our priorities. Many say they would choose to save treasured family photos, letters, gifts or heirlooms. Others might rescue a laptop or their music or book collection. The question makes us think about what is really important to us. Often people conclude that once their loved ones were safe, they would be happy. Everything else is just stuff. And yet we accumulate so much of it! Of course, we need to feed and clothe ourselves and our families, and to keep a roof over our heads, and we all have our little luxuries and indulgences. But where do we draw the line? How important are possessions to us? What would we give up easily – and what would be more difficult?



For the man who approaches Jesus in today's Gospel, the stakes are too high. He is living a good life and keeping God's commandments, but he is unable, or unwilling, to make the final push and give up his attachment to wealth and possessions. There is no doubt that it is a radical demand that Jesus makes of him. It might seem impractical to us who hear this message today. How do we give everything away to follow Jesus?

Start today: think about your contributions to charity or to your parish – do you really give as much as you can afford? Is there some luxury – a daily take-away coffee, for example – that you could forego and give the money to charity? Could you spare some time for a good cause? Start heading down this path and who knows where it will lead!

Tríona Doherty

St. Peter's Church, Milford

Saturday 10th

7:30pm Liam Campbell (Anniv)

Sunday 11th Twenty-Eight Sunday in Ordinary Time

11: 00 am Paul & Patrick Mc Gettigan (Anniv)

Tuesday 13th

10:00am Intention

Thursday 15th

10:00am Intention

Friday 16th

10:00am Intention

Saturday 17th

7:30pm Mary & Bernard Mc Laughlin (Anniv) **Sunday 18th Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time**11: 00 am Frances & Eddie Green (Anniv)

Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesdays - Kerrykeel
9: 00 am - 8: 00 pm
Thursday's - Milford
10: 00 am - 10: 00 pm
(Directed Holy Hour
from 9: 00 pm every
second Thursday of
the month)

Confessions

Milford

After 7: 30 pm Mass every Saturday

Kerrykeel

5: 30 pm on Saturday's

Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Kerrykeel

Saturday 10th

6:00 pm Gerard Mc Carron (Anniv) **Sunday 4th Twenty-Eight Sunday in Ordinary Time**9:30 am John Doherty (Anniv)

Wednesday 14th

10:00am Intention

Saturday 17th

6:00 pm Annette Mc Ginley (Anniv) **Sunday 18th Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time**9:30 am Paddy & Vincie Ferry. (Anniv)

Please Remember in your Prayers

Katie O Donnell, Rossgarrow, Months Mind Mass takes place in the family home on Friday 16th.

And also all those whose anniversaries occur at this time, especially:

Gerard Mc Carron, Liam Campbell, John Doherty, Paul & Patrick Mc Gettigan, Eddie Mc Morrow, Charles Donnelly, John Crerand Jr & Phil Friel



St. Vincent De Paul

The local St. V De Paul 086 0611040.

Two Hand & Old Time Dancing

Two hand and old time dancing has recommenced in the Milford Hall on Thursdays from 8:30pm—10:30pm Admission €5. All welcome

Rosary

There is a rosary every Tues at 3pm in St. Peter's Church. All welcome, tea served.

Mass Cards

A variety of Mass Cards signed by Fr. Adrian for deceased and also Mass Bouquets are now available at Parochial House, Milford.

Dates to Remember in 2016

Ash Wednesday 10th February
Easter Sunday 27th March
Confirmation

Saturday 14th May 2016 in St. Catherine's, Oughterlin @ 11am

Kerrykeel & Milford First Communion Saturday 23rd April 2016 @ 11am in both Churches.

Graveyard Mass in Tully Cemetery Sunday 31st July 2016 @ 3pm Graveyard Mass in Milford Cemetery Sunday 7th August 2016 @ 3pm

Glenvar School

Cards will commence in Glenvar school on Thursday 15th October at 7pm. All welcome.

Weekday Morning Masses—Milford

The weekday morning Masses will take place in the Church Oratory from Tues 13th Oct at 10:00am.

Ministers Eucharist/Word - Course

The second evening of the refresher/renewal course will take place in St. Peter's Church Milford Tuesday 13th October for all existing and new Ministers of the Word and Eucharist. New Ministers for both Eucharist and Word are welcome to come along.

Parish Social

A special Mass is being held on Friday 30th October with a Parish Social afterwards in The Mulroy Woods Hotel free for all who partake in Church Ministries and others who help out throughout the year. Any of the above who wish to take a friend or partner on the night the cost of the ticket will be €5. Tickets are available from the Parochial House or the St. Peter's Church Sacristy and Our Lady of Lourdes Church Kerrykeel Sacristy.

Little Rascals Children Fun Day

Sat 10th Oct 1-4pm, Come and enjoy something very unique in the Rossnakill activity centre. We are having a day of arts & crafts, teddy pear picnic, messy play and a bear hunt. Fun for all ages. Bring a teddy, a snack and a change of clothes. Donations at the door.

Milford Kids Halloween Art Workshop!

Friday 30th Oct, from 10.00-12.00 for kids 6-12 Years, €8 per child. Materials & Snack included plus they get their spooky creations to take home. Places limited. Contact Bernie 0872744974

Milford Parish Monster Bingo

There will be a meeting on Mon the 12th Oct in the oratory at 8pm to discuss the up and coming Parish Bingo. Anyone interested in helping out this year, please come along to the meeting. The Parish Bingo will take place Sun Dec 6th.

Public Notice

Donegal County Council proposes to hold a public meeting to update progress in relation to the provision of public toilets in Rathmullan. It is proposed to hold this meeting on: Tues 6th Oct at 6.00pm Venue Change to: RDRC, Rathmullan & District Resource Centre.

Milford Slimming World

Do you want to look and feel great this Christmas.? Join us at Milford Slimming World Group every Wed night in the Mulroy Woods Hotel at 7:30pm and if you get the Reveal Magazine out this Tues 13th you can join or rejoin us for €9 instead of €18. Contact Geraldine 086 3348048.

(RADICAL) Rathmullan & District Independent Chicks & Ladies!

AGM –14th October 2015 – 8.00 p.m. Rathmullan & District Resource Centre Radical are holding their Annual General Meeting on Wednesday 14th October'15 at 8.00pm in the Rathmullan & Resource Centre, Coastguard Station Road.

October Rosary —The Month of Our Lady

Tuesday 6:30pm - Mount Marian Grotto
Wednesday 6:00pm - Milford Quay Grotto
7:00opm -Ray Gotto.

Church Collections for last weekend were:

Milford: €1,242.00 Kerrykeel: €345.00

Many thanks for your contributions to the Parish.

Thought for the
Week
No man
knows what he is
living for
until he knows
what he'll die for.
Peter Pertocci

Milford Hall Bingo

Bingo Sunday Night at 8:30pm, in the Hall. Snowball tonight is: €8.000.00

Second Snowball €4.650, 00



<u>Cheorch Ministries</u>

Ministers of the Word
Sat 17th October

L. Ferry & O. Mc Gee
Sun 18th October

S. Greene & A. O Brien

Ministers of the Eucharist Sat 17th October

M. Mc Nulty, O. Gallagher, M.E. Gillespie & E. Dyke. Sun 18th October T. Reynolds, S. Lynch, K. Ferry & C. O Sullivan.

Children's Liturgy

Sun 18th Oct Team C Twenty Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year B

Sun 25th Oct Team D
Thirtieth Sunday
in Ordinary Time
Year B

<u>Kerrykeel</u>

Ministers of the Word
Sat 17th October
Joe Harkin
Sun 18th October
Cabrini Friel

Ministers of the Eucharist Sat 17th October

Noreen Mc Fadden **Sun 18th October** Gretta Mc Fadden