

Parish Newsletter

**The Most
Holy Trinity
Year C**

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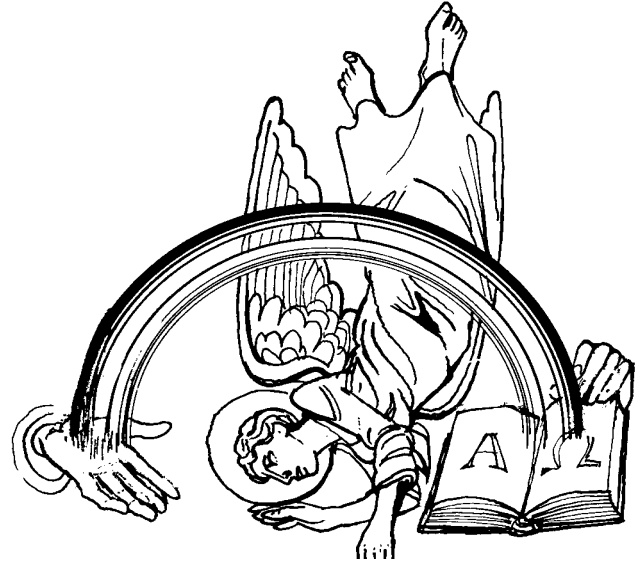
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Making Space

*Do not try to save
the whole world
or do anything grandiose.
Instead, create a clearing
in the dense forest of your life
and wait there
patiently,
until the song
that is your life
falls into your own cupped hands
and you recognize and greet it.
Only then will you know
how to give yourself
to this world
so worthy of rescue.*
'Clearing' by Martha Postlewaite



There is deep wisdom in this poem. The advice to 'create a clearing in the dense forest of your life' particularly resonates with me. It can be difficult, with our hectic lives and all the noise of the world around us, to have time to take stock of things. Of course we feel a calling to be good people, to be a positive force in the world, but where do we start?

Well, Jesus tells us to start small. In today's Gospel, he is careful not to overburden his disciples. He has lots more to say and to teach them, but it would be 'too much' for them now. Instead he gives them space. After he is gone, when the time is right and they have had time to reflect, he will send his Spirit to lead them in the right direction. That same Spirit is with us now, if we can make space to listen.

Triona Doherty

St. Peter's Church, Milford

Saturday 21st
7:30 pm PJ Crerand (Anniv)
Sunday 22nd **The Most Holy Trinity**
11:00 am Paddy Toye (Anniv)

No Weekday Masses

Saturday 28th
7:30 pm Margaret Mc Gettigan (Anniv)
Sunday 29th **The Most Holy Body
and Blood of Christ**
11:00 am Dominic Mc Ginley (Anniv)

Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesdays - Kerrykeel
9:00 am – 8:00 pm

Thursday's - Milford
10:00 am – 10:00 pm

Confessions

Milford
After 7:30 pm Mass
every Saturday

Kerrykeel
5:30 pm on Saturday's

Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Kerrykeel

Saturday 21st
6:00 pm Intention
Sunday 22nd **The Most Holy Trinity**
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Please Remember in your Prayers:

Margaret Hagan, Limerick/Glenvar whose funeral took place on Friday in Limerick.

All those whose Anniversaries occur at this time:

P.J Crerand & Paddy Toye.

Local SVdeP number 086 0611040

This is a dedicated confidential number, just leave a voicemail and a trained SVdeP volunteer will be in touch.

Rosary

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

Baptisms—Milford and Kerrykeel

Baptisms in Milford can be arranged for a Saturday at 4pm only and Sunday after 11am Mass. In Kerrykeel on a Saturday at 5pm.

Lough Derg Pilgrimage

A 3 day Parish Pilgrimage to Lough Deg will take place from the 4th July.
More details later.

Milford Care of the Aged

A date for the diary - Our Annual Summer Trip away will take place on Wednesday June 22nd, 2016. We are heading to East Donegal (Inishowen) Way with a few stops along the way to take in the beauty of this side of the County. We will give you more details over the next few weeks but if you would like to book, please call either Grace or Bridin on 91 53624 or 086 8283153.

Dates To Remember:

Graveyard Mass in Tully Cemetery

Sunday 31st July @ 3pm.

Graveyard Mass in Milford Cemetery

Sunday 7th August @ 3pm.

Table Quiz— Milford Tennis Club

A table quiz will be held in aid of Milford Tennis Club in The Traveller's Inn, Milford on Friday 27th May @ 9pm.
Support appreciated.

Scoil Mhuire Milford

Scoil Mhuire Milford Parents Association are running a fundraiser -The Kube on Sunday 5th June in The Mulroy Woods Hotel. Door's open at 7:30pm, commences at 8:00pm.
Please come and support.
A night not to be missed.

Praying for Students

We invite Junior & Leaving Cert Students, their families, teachers, school staff and parishioners to Mass on Monday evening 6th June at St. Eunan's Cathedral, Letterkenny.

Rathmullan Football Club

There will be a club committee meeting on Tuesday 17th May @ 8.00 p.m. in the Meeting Room, RDRC. The PITCH will be CLOSED for use until AUGUST 2016 for repair and maintenance after the last game on Tuesday 17th May Kilmacrennan V Swilly (U14) - Kick Off - 7.30 p.m

Family Carers Ireland

Family Carers Ireland are providing Patient Moving and Handling training in Letterkenny on the 09/06/2016. If interested kindly contact our training department on 0579370221.

Decoupage Workshop

Rossnakill Activity Center,
Mon30th May @7pm
Create something beautiful with the fantastic art of decoupage. Decoupage is the art of transforming a project into something wonderful with the process of using images, glue and varnish and a very specialised technique. With this workshop you will be taught the basics by a qualified artist leaving you with two wonderful projects to take home plus the knowledge to take it even further.

Healing & Renewal Retreat

John Pridmore international speaker and author of 'From Gangland to promised Land' and St. Patrick's Community will be leading a weekend retreat in the wonderful setting of Ards Friary in Co Donegal. This is an opportunity to receive immense healing and spiritual renewal. All are welcome. A weekend that can change your life! For bookings or further information, ph: Ards Friary on 074 – 913 8909 or email info@ardsfriary.ie.
Venue: Ards Friary Retreat Centre, Creeslough, Co. Donegal. Dates: Friday 16th to Sunday 18th September 2016.

Milford Summer Camp

A Summer Camp will take place in Milford Park Development - Moyle from Mon 18th—Fri 22nd July form 10am - 2pm daily. Age 3-10 years. Cost: €50 for 1st child, €45 any additional children in the same family.
Contact Jackie 086 3818943.

Church Collections for last weekend were:

Milford: €1,245.00
Kerrykeel: €225.00

Many thanks for your contributions to the Parish.

Thought for the Week

*It is our business
to see that we do
right:
God will see that
we come out right*

Milford Hall Bingo

Bingo Sunday Night at
8:30pm, in the Hall.
Snowball tonight is:
€8,000. 00
Second Snowball
€3,650. 00



Church Ministries



Milford

Ministers of the Word

Sat 28th May

J. Mc Grory & N. Rodgers

Sun 29th May

G. Mc Gee & C. Sweeney

Ministers of the Eucharist

Sat 28th May

M. E. Gillespie, E. Dyke
& H. Doherty

Sun 29th May

S. O Donnell, K. Ferry
& C. O Sullivan

Children's Liturgy

Sun 29th May Team C

The most
Holy Body and Blood of Christ
Year C

Sun 5th June Team D

Tenth Sunday in
Ordinary Time
Year C

Kerrykeel

Ministers of the Word

Sat 28th May

Kay Mc Grory
Megan Gibbons

Sun 29th May

Joe Ferry

Ministers of the Eucharist

Sat 28th May

Noreen Mc Fadden

Sun 29th May

Gretta Mc Fadden