

St. Colman's Parish 26<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time 24<sup>th</sup> /25<sup>th</sup> September 2022

## You'll learn more from that than anything I can tell you

The story is told of a Franciscan monk in Australia assigned to be the guide and 'gofer 'to Mother Teresa when she visited New South Wales. Thrilled and excited at the prospect of being so close to this great woman, he dreamed of how much he would learn from her and what they would talk about. But during her visit, he became frustrated. Although he was constantly near her, the friar never had the opportunity to say one word to Mother Teresa. There were always other people for her to meet. Finally, her tour was over, and she was due to fly to New Guinea. In desperation, the Franciscan friar spoke to Mother Teresa: "If I pay my own fare to New Guinea, can I sit next to you on the plane so I can talk to you and learn from you?" Mother Teresa looked at him. "You have enough money to pay <u>airfare to</u> New Guinea?" she asked. "Yes," he replied eagerly. – "Then give that money to the poor," she said. "You'll learn more from that than anything I can tell you." Mother Teresa understood that Jesus 'ministry was to the poor, and she made it hers as well.

The parable in this weekends Gospel teaches that we are all rich enough to share our blessings with others. God has blessed each one of us with wealth or health or special talents or social power or political influence or a combination of many blessings. The parable invites us to share what we have been given with others in various ways instead of using everything exclusively for selfish gains.

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Recent Death: Please pray for Brendan Clifford, Slievegaura, Ballymalis Daniel Clifford, Galway/Milltown Baptism: We welcome into our Christian community: Sophie O' Leary, Annagh					
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament takes place every Friday in Milltown Church from 5:00p.m7:00p.m. <i>Masses &amp; Intentions</i>					
Mon. Sept. 26 <sup>th</sup>			No Mass		
Tues. Sept. 27 <sup>th</sup>	Listry	7:00 p.m.	Con, Mary & Dan O' Callaghan & Mike, Nellie & Susan Kalo, Lahard		
Wed. Sept. 28 <sup>th</sup>	Milltown	10:00 a.m.			
Thurs Sept. 29 <sup>th</sup>			No Mass		
Fri. Sept. 30 <sup>th</sup>	Milltown	7:00 p.m.	John Griffin Castlemaine Road, Milltown		
Sat. Oct. 1 <sup>st</sup>	Listry	6:00 p.m.	John & Teresa O' Sullivan Ardmelode		
Sun. Oct. 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Milltown	11:15 a.m.	Joan & Jeff Fleming Woodville		

Eucharistic Ministers					
Listry Saturday Oct. 1 <sup>st</sup>	Eamon Donnelly				
Milltown Sunday Oct. 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Josephine Twiss				
Readers					
Listry Saturday Oct. 1 <sup>st</sup>	Tom O' Sullivan				
Milltown Sunday Oct. 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Rosemarie Healy				

Mass is broadcast on 106fm, and all Weekend Masses will be streamed online via <u>www.milltownlistryparish.com</u> or <u>churchmediatv.ie</u>. The webcam in Milltown and Listry church captures images of individuals who sit in the first two seats of the church. Please sit in another part of the Church if you do not wish your image to be broadcast in this way.

**Flower Arranger:** Mary Aspell 1<sup>st</sup> October – 14<sup>th</sup> October

Monthly Prayer Meeting: takes place in the Nagle Rice community Hall on Sunday October 2<sup>nd</sup> from 8-9.30pm. All most welcome.

<u>Discerning a Religious Vocation?</u> Poor Clare's Cork are hosting a zoom meeting on Saturday October 1<sup>st</sup> at 3pm. Please email <u>vocationspoorclarescork@gmail.com</u> to receive the link for the meeting.

Kerry Diocesan Eucharistic Adoration Retreat: takes place at St Brendan's Pastoral Centre, Upper Rock Street, Tralee on Sat. Oct. 22<sup>nd</sup> Further information later with full Retreat details.

<u>Kerry Pro-Life</u> are holding a Pro-Life Rally in the Square Tralee on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> of October. Assembling in the Square at 2.30pm. Further Information ring (087)6590551.

<u>**Coastal Rosary for Faith & Life in Ireland:**</u> On Sunday October 9<sup>th</sup> the annual Coastal Rosary will take place at 2.30pm. Join thousands of people from around Ireland to pray the Rosary for Life and Faith at our coasts, grottos, rivers, churches, and other suitable places. Sign up at <u>www.coastalrosaryireland.ie</u> or text your location to (087)2786552.

**TUSLA, the Child and Family Agency:** are currently recruiting new foster carers to meet the growing demands for placements given the ongoing humanitarian crisis and the impact of Covid-19 in communities across Ireland. To find out more, please call (066) 7184513.

**<u>Recovery Haven Kerry</u>** will host an online children's workshop celebrating all children, Thursday the 29th of September at 6:30-7:15pm. This is a creative and confidence boosting workshop for any child impacted by cancer. Please ring 066 7192122 for further information

**Killorglin Archive Society Presentation:** The Civil War play, *Hunger Strike*, by Killorglin native Máirín Cregan, will be performed at the CYMS Hall, Killorglin on Thursday, Friday & Saturday, Oct 13<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> at 8pm nightly. Bookings: 066 9762053, also available at door. Tickets €15.

<u>Killorglin Family Resource Centre</u> is running a FREE 6-week Healthy Food Made Easy course, starting Thurs. Oct. 6<sup>th</sup> at 7pm in The Downtown Hub. To book please call 066 97 61816.

<u>Coláiste Íde, An Daingean, Co Chiarraí,</u> All Irish Boarding School for Girls are hosting an Open Day on the 8<sup>th</sup> of October from 10am–4pm. They would love to have any possible students attend, Further details on (066) 9151211 or email info@colaisteide.com We should always remember; Our choices here in this world determine the kind of eternity we will have. It has been put this way: **"Where we go hereafter depends on what we 'go after, 'here!"** Where we will arrive depends on what road we travel. We will get what we choose, what we live for. We are shaping our moral character to fit forever in one of two places.

> The more you give, the more you get The more you laugh, the less you fret The more you do unselfishly The more your live abundantly The more of everything you share The more you'll always have to spare The more you live, the more you'll find That life is good, and friends are kind For only what we give away Enriches us from day to day

Weekend's collection - €900.00 Special collection – Diocesan Needs €190.00 Thank you for your generous support

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