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<u>Twenty-eight Sunday in Ordinary Time</u> In the readings, cleansing from leprosy is seen as a sign of Messianic salvation and gratitude in response to the gifts of faith and salvation is advocated.

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Castleconnell 6:30pm 11th Oct

Donal Hynes (Month's Mind).

Castleconnell 11:30am 12th Oct

Brendan Barry (Month's Mind), Isla Devlin (Ann), Josephine Ahern (Ann)

Ahane <u>10:00am</u> <u>12th Oct</u>

Siobhán Conran (Ann), Mary McKeogh (Ann).

Mass intentions next week

Castleconnell 6:30pm 18th Oct

Pat (Pa) Fitzgerald (Ann)

<u>Castleconnell</u> <u>11:30am</u> <u>19th Oct</u>

Thomas & Mary O'Shea & deceased family members, Knockbrack (Ann).

Ahane 10:00am 19th Oct

Bernie Quirke (Ann), Eamon Lawlor & deceased family members,

Cora Collins (Ann).

<u>Community Led Liturgy with Communion</u> Every Monday. All are welcome.

<u>Eucharistic Adoration</u> Every Thursday from 10am to 1pm. You are welcome to visit the Blessed Sacrament during these hours.

<u>Money Matters</u> Offertory collection €1,330. Many thanks for your on-going generous support.

<u>Pray for the repose of the soul</u> of Sam Brennan, Garraun, who was buried during the week. May his soul rest in peace.

<u>Mission Month</u> Next weekend we will celebrate World Mission Sunday, the Holy Father's annual appeal to support overseas mission and missionaries.

<u>A sincere word of thanks</u> to all who contributed towards the October Priests' collection. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

Masses from St. Joseph's Church Castleconnell are being streamed for live viewing on our Webcam @ www.castleconnellparish.ie. Mass can also be heard on Radio 106.3fm.

<u>Lisnagry National School</u> open night: Wed 15th Oct 6.30 – 7.30 pm. Before/after facilities available. Enquiries 061 331011 or email info@lisnagryns.ie.

Charitable Donation Scheme Thank you to all parishioners who returned forms for the Charitable Donation Scheme. We have completed the return for 2022 and received €12,300 in refunds from the Revenue Commissioners. We are planning to now complete the 2023 and 2024 return. As you may be aware, if an individual donates €250 or more in a year to a particular Parish, that Parish can claim a refund of tax paid on that donation. For every qualifying €250.00 donated, the Parish can claim an additional €112.32 back from Revenue at no extra cost to the parishioner who made the donation. Forms are available at the back of the Church today from members of the Parish Council, or in the Parish Office, for anyone who may not have already completed one.

The <u>BUG's Annual Ukulele Fundraiser</u> will take place on Sunday 12th October in Bradshaw's Beer Garden at 3.pm. This year it is in aid of our local Cancer Support Group, CAM. Entry is €5 with tea/coffee and sweet treats provided. Raffle on the day for great prizes such as hampers and a signed Munster jersey. Come along for a great afternoon's entertainment of music and song with up to 40 ukulele players in attendance.

Mass Times

St Joseph's, Castleconnell:- Mon – Fri 9.30 am, Sat 6.30 pm, Sun 11.30 am

St Patrick's, Ahane:- Sun 10.00 am **St Vincent's, Lisnagry:-** Sat 4.00 pm

Prayer for Prisoners

We pray your grace Lord Jesus for prisoners and their families,

who walk their sentence with their loved one.

We pray your healing Lord for the trauma

That has caused them to hurt themselves,

their families and their victims.

We pray they will turn to You and begin their journey of recovery,

finding compassionate support in our Christian society.

Jesus, we trust in you. Amen.