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#### Fifth Sunday of Easter

No one can come to the Father except through Christ. The Church must work so that all peoples may come to the Father. Working together in love, all God's people can build up the kingdom in the name of Jesus Christ, our High Priest.

#### Mass intentions this week

Castleconnell	<u>6.30pm</u>	6 <sup>th</sup> May		
Breeda Hardiman (Month's	s Mind) John McC	Cormack (Ann)		
Mick Moloney (Ann) Haulie Byrnes (Ann)				
Castleconnell	<u>11.30am</u>	7 <sup>th</sup> May		
Pat Collins (Month's Mind) Felix and Barry Lynch (Ann) Timmy Murphy (Ann)				
<u>Ahane</u>	<u>10.00am</u>	7 <sup>th</sup> May		
William (Curley) and Eileen Connolly (Ann)				

#### Mass intentions next week

Castleconnell	6.30pm	13th May
Peg Lynch (Ann)		Maurice O' Shea (Ann)
Castleconnell	<u>11.30am</u>	14th May
Private Intention		
<u>Ahane</u>	<u>10.00am</u>	<u>14<sup>th</sup> May</u>
Noirin Harnett (Ann)		

Nomin Harnett (Ann)

**<u>Lay led Liturgy</u>** Every Wednesday Morning at 9.30am.

<u>Eucharistic Adoration</u> every Thursday from 10am to 1pm. You are welcome to visit the Blessed Sacrament during these hours. If you would like to volunteer one hour each Thursday contact 085- 8222782.

<u>Pray for the repose of the soul of</u> Alphonsus Clifford, Garryowen, father of Richard Lisnagry. May he rest in peace.

**St. Vincent's Lisnagry** - Mass at 4.00pm every Saturday. All are welcome.

<u>Money Matters Offertory Collection</u> €1,295. Many thank you for your generosity.

**Extra Trocaire Donations** €1285. Overall total €4,320.Cheque has been send to the Diocese. Sincere thanks for your very generous contributions.

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. Facemasks to be worn in Church during Masses.

<u>Congratulations</u> to the children in Ahane N.S. School, who received the Sacrament of Confirmation in St. Patrick's Church this weekend. Many thanks to their parents, teachers and all who supported the children throughout the programme for Confirmation.

<u>Congratulations</u> to the children in St. Vincent's N.S. Lisnagry who receive their First Holy Communion this weekend. We extend our prayers and blessings to each of the children on this very special day in their lives.

# <u>Castleconnell N.S. - First Holy Communion</u>

Children from Castleconnell N.S. will receive their First Holy Communion next Saturday May 13<sup>th</sup> in St. Joseph's Church at 11.00am.

<u>Killaloe Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes</u> Bishop Fintan will lead the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes from Shannon Airport on Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> June, returning Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> July. €809 includes flight, airport transfers, full board, sanctuary levy. October Pilgrimage takes place 2<sup>nd</sup> October to 7<sup>th</sup> October €780 per person. Contact Joe Walsh Tours 01-2410800 or email info@ joewalshtours.ie

<u>Pilgrimage to Fatima</u> Archbishop Eamon Martin is leading a pilgrimage to Fatima from 20<sup>th</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup> July 2023. He would like pilgrims from all dioceses in Ireland to travel with him. Cost for 7 days is £799/€899 per person sharing. Flights depart Dublin at 6.05am Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> July arriving in Fatima 11.00am. Single room supplement and insurance is additional. For further information phone Joe or Maureen McLaughlin at 00442890701606.

# Milford Care Centre - Annual Service of Remembrance

Milford Care Centre will hold its Annual Service of Remembrance next Sunday 14th of May commencing at 3pm in Our Lady Help of Christians Church Milford Limerick 94DK44. We will remember all those who died under our care between 2019-2022. Further information on the service can be got from the Pastoral Care Team, Tel 061 485907 or 485908

# May a month for raising Safeguarding awareness

During our safeguarding month in the Diocese, we ask you to keep in your prayers those affected by abuse, violence and war. Using the words of Khalil Gibran 'Safeguarding the rights of others is the most noble and beautiful end of a human being.' The Diocesan Adult safeguarding Policy (adults at risk of abuse) is available on the Safeguarding pages of the Diocesan website. <a href="https://www.killaloediocese.ie/safeguarding">www.killaloediocese.ie/safeguarding</a>

<u>Castletroy Blood Donation Clinic</u> - Castletroy Park Hotel, Monday 8<sup>th</sup> & Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> May 4.15 – 7.30pm Please call 1800 222 111 to book an appointment. New and existing Blood Donors welcome.