Scathe Na Sionnaine Pastoral Area – Castleconnell - Clonlara – Killaloe Castleconnell Fr. Willie Teehan 061 377170 Fr. James Michael 089 2370053 Parish Office: Val Foley 061 -372929 - Mon, Tues, Wed, 10am to 12 noon. castleconnellchurch@gmail.com. Mass Times - Castleconnell Saturday 6.30pm, Sunday 11.30am. - Ahane 10.00am - Killaloe Fr. James Grace 061 376137 Bridgetown Fr. Gerry O'Brien 061 580969 Clonlara Fr. Pat Mulcahy 061 354334

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time- Sunday of the Word of God

The call to follow Christ is the call to repent and believe.

Mass Intentions this Week

<u>Castleconnell</u> <u>6.30pm</u> <u>20th January</u> John Hawe (1st Ann), Eileen Joyce (Ann), William & Catherine Joyce and Maureen O'Connor (Ann).

<u>Castleconnell</u> <u>11.30am</u> <u>21st January</u>

Patrick Touhy (Ann), Helen Quinn (Ann), Bernie Bermingham.

<u>Ahane</u> <u>10.00am</u> <u>21st January</u>

Private Intention

Mass Intentions next Week

<u>Castleconnell</u> <u>6.30pm</u> <u>27th January</u>

Bridget Beggleton (Months Mind), Jimmy Ryan (1st Ann), Michael Grace (1st Ann), Paddy Coffey (Ann), Peg & Seamus Power & deceased family members (Ann), Kathleen O'Keeffe (nee O Brien) & all the O Brien Family (Ann).

Patrick Fitzgerald (Ann), Mick MacCurtain (Ann).

Castleconnell 11.30am 28th January

Mary & Nicholas O Connell and Mary Owens (Ann),

Pat & Joan Cooke (Ann), James O Brien, Montpelier, (Ann)

Ahane 10.00am 28th January

Michael Ryan Snr (Ann)

<u>Lay Led Liturgy</u> Every Monday, led by the Pastoral Council. All are welcome.

St. Vincent's Lisnagry Mass @ 4.00pm every Saturday. All are welcome.

Pray for the repose of the soul of Noreen Tierney, Castleconnell,

Ann Behan (nee Flannery), formally of Lisnagry and Timmy Cosgrave, Mulcair Drive, who died recently. May they rest in peace.

<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 - €1,300. Thank you for your continued support.

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>St Vincent de Paul</u> are very grateful to everyone who donated to their recent Church gate collections. They collected a total of €4,055.27. All money collected will be distributed locally by their volunteers.

<u>Ahane National School</u> Enrolment for Junior Infants 2024 in Ahane National School is now open. Closing date is 31st January 2023. Enrolment forms available from the school office, www.ahanenationalschool.ie or email:- office@ahanenationalschool.ie.

<u>Catholic Schools Week</u> Catholic Schools week will take place from Sun 21 to Sat 27 January 2024 on the theme of *Catholic Schools: Communities of Service*. This is a week in which we celebrate and acknowledge the contribution our Catholic Schools make to this community and to society at large. It is a time for us to recognise the gift Catholic education is and the love, generosity and respect our Catholic schools promote. We keep our Boards of Management members, our teachers, the students and the families of our schools in our prayers this week.

Medjugorje Pilgrimages 2024 - Direct from Shannon Airport to Medjugorje - May 22nd to May 29th, 2024 - €795 per person sharing. Price increases to €845 after 2nd Feb 2024. Sept 4th to Sept 11th, 2024 - €805 per person sharing. Price increases to €855 after 2nd Feb 2024. Shannon direct to Mostar-Medjugorje - Only a 30 minute transfer to the Shrine. 7 nights' accommodation near to St. James' Church. Breakfast and dinner each day. Luxury coach transfers accompanied by local guide. Full religious programme operated by Marian Pilgrimages. Assistance of Marian rep. with 24 hour support throughout your stay. Travel Insurance up to 84 years of age. and local taxes. For more information please contact Kathleen or Jimmy Morris on 061 362657 or 086 3271657.

This Week We Offer A Special Prayer For ...safety during icy weather

Dear God our Heavenly Father,

please guide and protect us and let

your angels be our companions as we travel this week on our icy roads;

clothe us with their invisible protection and keep us safe from all dangers, collisions, falls or bruises, from our setting out until our return home.

Through Jesus Christ Our Lord,

Amen.