

Parish of Inistioge

St Colmcille's, Inistioge | St Brendan's, Clodiagh | The Assumption, The Rower

WEEKEND MASSES

Vigil: The Rower 7.30 p.m.
Sunday: Clodiagh 9.30 a.m.; Inistioge 11.00 a.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES *(weekday masses may occasionally change due to circumstances)*

The Rower: Tuesday & Thursday 9.30 a.m.
Inistioge: Wednesday & Friday 9.30 a.m.

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time - 31 July 2022

Priorities

For many people, money seems to be the most important ingredient of life. This does not happen only today, but took place even in Jesus' time. We're all well aware of how money and inheritance can cause breakups in the best of families. So, what's Jesus' response? Instead of taking a practical decision in the matter, Jesus prefers to point to the principle that should guide our dealings in money matters. "Watch and be on your guard against greed of any kind, for a man's life is not made secure by what he owns, even if he has more than he needs." In the second part of the gospel Jesus tells the parable of the rich fool who messed up his priorities and consequently ruined his life. What makes him foolish is that he spent his whole life storing up earthly wealth and not thinking beyond.

Keep Her Lit

'**Keep Her Lit**' is a new folk and traditional music festival for the village of Inistioge that takes place on August 13th and 14th. It is in memory of Johnny O'Donnell and Dave Donohoe and who spoke at length about organising a festival before their untimely passings last year. There will be free traditional music sessions, a free outdoor concert, a food and craft market and many more events happening throughout the weekend - all are very welcome!

Parking: The festival has organised designated residents and mass-goers parking at the Rower-Inistioge GAA pitch, as parking in the village outside of the two churches will be limited from 12pm Friday 12th to 8am Monday 15th. Please follow signs and stewards for alternate parking. Passes for designated area will be available for the residents of Inistioge. Thank you for your co-operation.

From the: **Keep Her Lit Festival Team**

Bereavements

Recently Deceased: Johnny Malone, Woodlands; Ned Naddy, Kilmacshane.

Anniversaries: Kathy Lyng, Tinnaslatty (7.30pm); Ann Clifford, Emily Clifford & Anna Fennelly (11.00am).

Next w/e: Michael Murphy, Ballinabarna (7.30pm); Patsy Griffin, Mill Road & deceased members of the Griffin & Nixon families (11.00am).

Best of Luck

Best of Luck to Emma and the Kilkenny Senior Camogie Team next weekend, Sunday 7th August, in the All Ireland Final in Croke Park.

Epilepsy Ireland

The Roseblade Family will host a **Cake Sale and Coffee Morning** in Cois Abhann next Sunday 7th, Aug. after 11.00am mass, in aid of Epilepsy Ireland and the Cycle for Shane bike ride. Please support.

First Friday

Friday next is the First Friday of August. Holy Communion visits to the sick and housebound at the usual times.

Vintage Rally

Why not visit the 28th Annual Inistioge Vintage Rally which takes place in Inistioge this weekend? It's always a great day out for all the family in the picturesque setting along the banks of the River Nore

and it also supports local charities.

Lá Saoire I mí Lúnasa

The August Holiday (Irish: Lá Saoire i mí Lúnasa), also called the August Bank Holiday, is observed in Ireland on the first Monday of August. It was first observed in 1871 by a British Act of Parliament. There is no particular feast day associated with the August holiday.

Office Number: 056 775 8581
Tues & Thurs: 10.30am - 2.30 pm

Last Week's Collection
€ 910 - Thank you!

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