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For sunlight after showers
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For luck and laughter too,
And a host of friends that never ends
Each day your whole life through!

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May the dreams you  
Hold dearest be those  
Which come true  
And the kindness you  
Spread keep returning to you!

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A Chairde,

We are clearly in the home stretch with the pandemic.
Not fast enough for most of us but enjoying life along the way is
key until "back to normal" is realized. *Stay safe.*

Opportunity! Boston Comhaltas Music School virtual class
registration is open online now through March 10th. Beginner,
intermediate and advance options available and introductory
classes in concertina, fiddle and whistle available too...ten
Saturdays beginning March 27th through June 5th (no class April
3rd). Visit bostonirishmusicschool.com for more info. Use the
contact form on the website to direct your class registration
issues or general inquiries to me or send me a direct email
tara@bostonirishmusicschool.com (As of this writing there is a
glitch in the registration system.....keep checking back.)

Thanks to those of you who joined us on Zoom for the St.
Stephen's Day virtual social tea. The next one is planned for Sunday,
February 21st at 5 p.m. Hope to see many of you there sharing
poems, jokes, stories, music/singing talent, etc. Smiling faces always
welcome too. *Watch your email for the Zoom invitation from me.*

Watch your email, as well, for a Zoom invitation from NE
Region Chairman, Tim Quinn inviting you to view Region Virtual
Sessions. RHC Branch's virtual session is scheduled for Sunday,
March 28th, 3-5 p.m. If we don't have your email address, send it
to Maureen Conway mauconway@aol.com

A virtual NA Provincial Convention is in the planning
stages for April 9-11, 2021. *Stay tuned.*

God bless everyone . . . **TARA Lynch, Chairperson**

EVENTS/NOTICES

- ♦ RHC Virtual Tea Social - Sun., 2/21, 5 p.m.
Watch your email for Zoom invitation.
- ♦ **Boston Comhaltas Music School - Spring Semester 2021** registration open Feb. 8th
Virtual Classes ~ ten Saturdays beginning Mar. 27th through June 5th (no class Apr. 3rd). bostonirishmusicschool.com
- ♦ **NE Region Virtual Sessions 3-5 p.m.**
Feb. 28 ~ Croibh-Dugan-O'Looney ~ Utica, NY
Mar. 28 ~ Reynolds-Hanafin-Cooley, Bos.
Apr. 25 ~ MartinWynn, Buffalo, NY
Watch your email for Zoom invitation from Tim Quinn, NA Region Chairman

PRAYERS AND GET WELL WISHES

- ♦ Please keep Joe Harney Jr and his extended family in your thoughts and prayers. Sally, Joe Sr, Joe Jr, Liam and Margaret extend their heartfelt appreciation for your overwhelming support. Their sincere thanks too, for all the prayers, private and GoFundme donations and, much more, from so many CCE members. Liam tells us, Boston Comhaltas has always been a great sense of pride for their family and their gratitude to this beloved community knows no bounds as they navigate through a very difficult time.

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CONDOLENCES AND SYMPATHY

- ♦ To family and friends of Ellen Buegling on her passing...a longtime branch member
- ♦ To Noel Daly, family and friends, on the loss of Noel's beloved brother Michael in Ireland
- ♦ To Frank and Mary Bane, family and friends, on the passing of Frank's dear mother Barbara

COMMUNITY EVENTS

The Musical Legacy of the Travellers
A workshop with stories and music featuring Oliver O'Connell and Micky Dunne:
Feb. 13, 2-3 p.m. EST on Zoom
from Ireland. Tickets \$5
<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/the-musical-legacy-of-the-travellers-tickets-137812738611>

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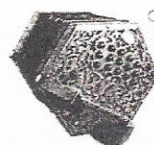
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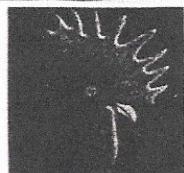
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