

KILRUSH PARISH NEWSLETTER

SUNDAY 19TH JUNE 2011

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FAMILY PRAYER

We give you thanks Lord God,
who has blessed us with life
and love.

You have given us the gift of
the family.

Help us to nurture and protect,
to guide and to love each
other.

Amen

PRAY & PLAY ROTA

Sunday 19/06 Linda O’Gorman, Siobhan Lyons, Mary Lyons, Bernie Crotty
Sunday 26/06 Helen Crowley, Nuala Flavin, Shirley Gilligan, Mary Gilligan
Sunday 03/07 Mary O’Sullivan, Marie Brew, Niamh Murray, Noreen Lynch
Sunday 10/07 Karen Soffe, Mary Bolton, Michelle Johnson, Mairead McInerney
Sunday 17/07 Susan Bermingham, Avril Bolton, Rita McAnaspie, Mary Maguire
Sunday 24/07 Helen O’Brien, Fiona O’Brien, Deirdre Hehir, Lisa O’Sullivan
Sunday 31/07 Angela Bolton, Kay Deloughrey, Angie Bermingham, Blanaigh Troy
Sunday 07/08 Fiona Honan, Karen Honan, Kathleen McKiernan, Aisling Corcoran

Basket & Envelope Collections Sunday 12th June: Basket :€1,099 Envelope:€1,670 Total: €2,670

BAPTISMAL COURSE The next Baptismal Course will take place Thursday July 7th 2011 @ 8.30pm in the Community Centre. Please contact the parish office @ 9051093

ORDINATION TO THE PRIESTHOOD: Bishop Kieran O’Reilly SMA, will ordain Rev Ger Fitzgerald in Castleconnell Co. Limerick today Sunday 19th June. Ger will serve as a priest in the Diocese of Killaloe after his ordination. Ger Fitzgerald is a native of the parish of Castelconnell, Co. Limerick which is the only parish in Co. Limerick which is in the Killaloe Diocese.

JUNE 20TH—INTERNATIONAL REFUGEE DAY: On this day we are asked to remember all those who are forced to leave their countries due to war or repressive governments in their home countries. Many were imprisoned or tortured or had relatives murdered. Today we also remember those who work to aid and protect refugees.

SCATTERY ISLAND MASS: The Annual Graveyard Mass has been re-scheduled for Sunday June 26th @ 4pm. Guided tours available. Sailings @ 1.15pm, 2.15pm & 3.15pm. Bookings at Scattery Island Ferries Tel: 065 9051327

ANNUAL OUTDOOR MASS: at St. Senan’s Altar, Bansha at 8pm on Thursday 23rd June to celebrate Midsummer. Refreshments in Downes’ after Mass. All are welcome

PETER’S PENCE: Will be taken up at all masses next weekend. Traditionally this collection is taken up close to the Feast of St. Peter & Paul on June 29th. It is used to make an annual contribution to the Holy See and for our own Diocesan recurring expenses e.g. diocesan administration, salaries for full & part-time personnel in areas such as catechetical, parish renewal, youth work, social services etc. as these costs are of necessity there is a levy on every parish proportionate to its size. Envelopes for this collection can be found in your box.

CONCERT IN ST. SENAN’S CHURCH: We will be welcoming the Chamber Philharmonia Cologne (Germany) to our Church on Sunday 21st August @ 5pm. More details later. See the poster on the Church notice board.

GRAVEYARD MASSES: Thanks to everyone who made the effort to attend the annual graveyard masses this year.

Why are we getting a new edition of the Roman Missal?

The new edition will come into full use over a period of time between September & the First Sunday of Advent 2011. The new edition is necessary for a number of reasons. Firstly, in the years since 1975 when our current Missal was published, a number of additional texts have been made available for use in the Mass. These include additional Eucharistic prayers, some new Masses of the Blessed Virgin Mary & Masses for over 20 new Feasts of Saints. Secondly, in recent years Rome gave new directions for the translation of the Latin texts. Translators were asked to make the English text follow more closely the original Latin in its working & structure. They were also asked to strengthen the Biblical language & images in the texts and to re-introduce some theological vocabulary that may have been lost over the years. Across the English speaking world the new edition of the Roman Missal will, therefore contain both new material and a new style of translation.

Continues next week..

SPIRITUALITY AND ENVIRONMENT TALK

The last of a series of talks and discussion on spirituality, faith and ethics takes place this Monday 20 June in the chapter room of Ennis cathedral. Derek Poole’s subject is: The Power of the one: turning Ireland green. Derek is a retired Methodist minister active on clean energy and environmental issues. All welcome. Further details from 087 9888 508

WEDDING BELLS

*Congratulations to
Shane McCauley & Karen McNulty
From Donegal
Who were married in St. Senan’s Church on
Saturday 11th June 2011*

This week we pray for: PJ Kennedy late of Moore Street who died during the week & Nan Hodgins who also died recently.

Months Mind Mass

Margaret Hehir late of Glen Court
Mass Sunday 19th June @ 12noon

1st Anniversary Mass

Caroline Crowley late of Carnanes
Mass Sunday 26th June @ 10.00am

Sunday 19th June

8.30am

10.00am Jack McInerney late of Moore Street

12noon Edel Kelly late of Kilrush & Kilkee
Tommy Keating late of Burton Street
Margaret Hehir late of Glen Court
Elizabeth Hehir

Monday 20th June—10.00am

Tuesday 21st June—10.00am

Frank, Bridget & Dan McMahan late of Kilnamona
Private Intention

Wednesday 22nd June-10.00am

George & Ciss Carey, Patrick & Bridget Lynch
Daisy Griffin & John & Mary Magner

Thursday 23rd June –10.00am

Peggy O'Donnell late of Dooneen Park

Friday 24th June—10.00am

Josephine Cates
Tommy Houlihan & deceased family members

7.30pm Mary Frances Frawley late of Gowerhass

Saturday 25th June—10.00am

7.00pm Sonny & Rose Carey late of Ballykett
William Williams late of The Square
Michael Nicholls late of Dooneen Park

Sunday 26th June

8.30am

10.00am Caroline Crowley late of Carnanes

12noon

NOEL CHARITY SHOP

Fr. Selestine—the priest with the +30 kids in his orphanage—writes in response to your being so wonderfully generous to him. (We sent 13 packets of clothing & footwear) "Michael, your volunteers and your people have done great things to me, and holy is your name. I proudly walk my children through the village last week. The people of West Clare wont necessarily know that you have helped me financially on many occasions. I noticed how deeply touched you were that these kids have both parents lost to Aids. May God be good to you all, and you Michael—favourite messenger boy. Thank you"

KILRUSH TIDY TOWNS

The Judging for Tidy Towns 2011 has started so we ask everyone to make an extra effort, to ensure Kilrush is presented at its best. The results will be announced in September. We have won gold medal each year since 1997 & feel the major prize is within our sights. This is a community project & we are asking everyone for a special effort & ensure the Town is LITTER FREE. Many thanks for your help over the years.

FÉILE SONA

Family Festival will take place from 1 - 3 July. Volunteers needed through out weekend to steward. 15 volunteers need to steward duathlon and Fire works 30= required for Sunday activities. Volunteers are required for one hour only Community support needed Call or txt Ian 0862253549 or Christine 0871362714

TEA DANCE

As part of the Kilrush Family Festival, The West Clare Community Services Programme will be holding the next Tea Dance at Teach Cheoil on Sunday July 3rd from 3pm to 6pm.

CHEQUE PRESENTATION

The West Clare Kidney Support Group will hand over proceeds from the annual walk held on May 1st on this Saturday June 25 at Tubridy's Bar, Cooraclare. All walkers are reminded to please return sponsorship card with lodgment slip to committee members before this Monday. All welcome

LOURDES PILGRIMAGE—SEPTEMBER 2011

2 September for 5 nights - Available

7 September for 5 nights - Full

12 September for 5 nights - Available

17 September for 5 nights - Available

€ 639 per person fully inclusive

We also offer a free place for every 10 paying pilgrims, allowing small groups in the parish to have their separate pilgrimage with their own Spiritual Director, while still being part of the large Marian Pilgrimages 'family'.

For groups enquiries please contact Mary Kelly on 01 878 8159 or www.marian.ie

ST. SENAN'S SUPER LOTTO DRAW

NUMBERS DRAWN: 16 20 23 25 (5 x €25)

1. Michael Meehan, c/o Garrihy's
2. Shane McMahan, Caherea
3. Eileen Grant, c/o M Grogan's
4. Lily McMahan, Henry Street
5. Margaret Clancy, Ennis Road

Next Draw @ O'Brien's Monday 20th June 2011

NEXT JACKPOT €4,300

KILRUSH SHAMROCKS WEEKLY DRAW

30/05/11 Jackpot €3,200

WINNING NUMBERS: 08 13 15 24

Match 3 winners: Mary O'Dea & Lily McMahan

Next weeks draw at CROTTY'S SUNDAY 19TH JUNE

JACKPOT €3,300