



KILRUSH PARISH NEWSLETTER

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PRAY & PLAY ROTA—10.00am every Sunday

29th Jan Tara Flynn, Ornaith Crowley & Mairead Crowley
5th Feb Deirdre Hehir, Eileen O'Dea, Anna O'Dea & Grace Mahoney
12th Feb Anne-Marie Crowley, Carmel Grogan & Patricia Coughlan
19th Feb Mary Lyons, Caoimhe Lyons, Tanya Canny & Barbara Soffe
26th Feb Therese Wallace, Mary McMahon, Eileen Mulqueen & Ellen Bolton
4th Mar Meadhbh Lillis, Jackie O'Brien, Mary Williams & Caroline Bolton
11th Mar Mairead McInerney, Brid Crowley, Michelle Johnson & Shauna Gleeson
18th Mar Susan Young, Helena Crowley, Carmel McMahon & Colleen Galvin



**A PRAYER
TO
ST. BRIGID**
St. Brigid of
Ireland help us
we pray,

To be kind and loving in our
work and our play.
You always lent a helping
hand to those who came your
way,
Help us now to understand
how we should live each day..

BASKET & ENVELOPE—Sunday 22/1/17

Basket: €1,120 Envelope: €1,330 Total: €2,450

CANDLEMAS

Monday 2nd February is known as the Feast of Candlemas. It is a day for blessing candles.

Candles for use in the home & church should be left on the front seats of the church & will be blessed at mass that morning.

Faith in the Church has traditionally been regarded as a light. At baptism a lighted candle represents the faith the newly baptised child has received. We use them in our liturgies down through the ages

BISHOPS CONFERENCE

Thanks to all who contributed to this collection last weekend. If your were away or forgot you can still hand in your contribution to the Parish Office.



BAPTISMAL COURSE

will be on Thursday 2nd February @ 8pm in Kilrush community centre. Please book your place by phoning the parish office @ 0659051093

50/50 DRAW

Congratulations to **Anne Griffin c/o Revenue** who won €310 in last weeks draw. Next draw this Saturday 28th January after the 7pm mass.

FEAST OF ST. BLAISE -Blessing of Throats

Friday the 3rd February is the Feast of St. Blaise. Blessing of the Throats will take place after all masses on Friday.

PARISH MISSION

A Parish Mission is being organised for Mid September 2017. It's 10 years since our last parish mission. The parish mission offers all of us an opportunity to be renewed, encouraged and stimulated in our faith. The parish is having a preliminary meeting to organise this Mission on Tuesday next January 31st @ 8pm in the Community Centre. All parishioners, groups are invited to come to that meeting with suggestions, ideas etc for the Mission.

CHARITY SHOP

The Charity Shop (Noel) at the back of Kilrush Youth Centre is now being taken over by the Parish. We thank Michael Carmody for his years of commitment & dedication to the Missions. The newly revamped charity shop will open on Mon 6th February. There is also a clothes bank for clothes donations. Please support.

Apostolic Work Collection

The Local Branch would like to say a Big Thank You to all those who contributed so generously to our recent Annual Collection. We would also like to thank those who gave so generously of their time in helping out. All proceeds will be donated to the Missions

READERS

Thank you to Bríd Canny Abbott, Alwin Joseph and Jeffin Varghese for their help with the Sunday 10am Mass readings

ENROLMENT FOR ST. SENAN'S PRIMARY SCHOOL

Enrolment is now taking place for September 2017. Application forms are available from the school. Closing date is January 31st 2017

COME AND SEE

Thinking about the priesthood?
17th/18th February 2017
Pallottine House, Thurles
This event is for men aged 18 –40 to “come & see”. Advanced booking is required @ 0504 21202 or email pallottinefathers@gmail.com

MASSES FOR THE COMING WEEK

Please remember in your prayers this week:

Rita Griffin late of Nagles Terrace & TJ Leonard late of Fahy's Rd who died in England

May they rest in peace



Saturday 28th January
10.00am

7.00pm Special Intention
Mary, Thomas & Denis Quinlivan, Carnacalla
Catherine & Connie Sullivan & family late of
St. Senan's Terrace
Martin & Bridget Carey & family St. Senan's Tce
Jimmy Bermingham Tullycrine & Ballykett
Domhnall Bermingham Ennis & Ballykett

Sunday 29th January

8.30am

10.00am Hilda & David Hilliard
John Blackmore Mor
Patrick & Ellen Carey
Betty O'Sullivan

12noon Pat McMahon late of Dysart
Phil Hedderman late of Fahy's Road
Breda Cusack late of The Square
Betty O'Sullivan late of The Square

Monday 30th January—10.00am

Tuesday 31st January—10.00am

Sheila Joyce late of Galway who died recently

Wednesday 1st February—10.00am

Thursday 2nd February—10.00am

Private Intention

Friday 3rd February—10.00am

7.30pm Jack Dunleavy late of Moore Street

Saturday 4th February

10.00am Madge & Jimmy Gilligan, St. Patrick's Tce

7.00pm Patsy, Cissie, John & Michael Roughan
Christy Enright late of Ballykett
Anna, Peter & Michael Casey late of Wilson Rd
Eileen O'Connor late of Henry Street
Eileen & PJ O'Brien & family late of Moyadda
Christina Naughton late of O'Gorman Street

Sunday 5th February

8.30am Martin & Frank Dempsey late of Monmore

10.00am Michael Flynn & family late of Moore Street

12noon Kevin O'Gorman late of Gowerhass
Liam Maher late of Monvana

HAPPY FEET HAPPY MINDS are holding a fundraiser



night on behalf of West Clare Mental Health, in The Galleon Inn, Cappa tonight **Saturday the 28th** of January at 9.30pm to raise vital funds to provide support and services in the area. Music by Aileen Downes and Ray Heaney. Fantastic prizes to be won

with mystery envelope raffle prizes. **PLEASE SUPPORT**

ORAL & WRITTEN FRENCH GRINDS given by a native French lady (in Kilrush until June) who has 35 years experience.

All levels catered for. Contact 0899465203

REFRESHER KNITTING SKILLS –6 week knitting class starting Mon 6th February in Kilrush Community Centre. Ideal for people who haven't knit in years!! Make a scarf & a tea cosy.

Contact Lisa @ 0872940985

KDHS Images & photographs of Frances Street are required for an up-coming book about the history of the street & its inhabitants

All items will be returned. Please contact Lisa @ 0872940985

KDHS Kilrush Historical Society Presents "The Role of Turf in family life in West Clare" by Clara Hoyne. Tuesday 31st Jan @ 8pm in Teach Ceoil. €5 non members. New members welcome—€20 annual fee.

THE 19TH ANNUAL WEST CLARE MINI MARATHON

will take place on Sun 29th Jan, route Carrigaholt to Kilkee. All walkers in receipt of sponsorship cards are requested to assemble at the Community Centre in Kilkee at 12 noon and all runners at 1pm. Walkers will leave Carrigaholt at 1pm sharp followed by runners at 2pm sharp.

A COFFEE MORNING will be held on Tuesday 14th Feb at 10am to 11.30am at St Senan's School, Kilrush for parents who are interested in attending our Incredible Years Basic Parenting Programme. Contact Eve Brennan on 065 9052817

TIDY TOWNS Feb meeting will be held on Wed 1st Feb @ 8.00pm in the Haven Arms. If you are interested in joining our team come along to the meeting or contact Paul 086 7726790

SHORTT NIGHT SOON - Yes Pat Shortt is nearly here. This is your chance to see him live in West Clare. For one night only Pat Shortt is coming to Knockerra Hall on Fri 17th Feb with a brand new show called How's Things? **BOOK NOW ON 089 2412943** or at the parish office Kilrush 9051093

PATRICIA CORBETT MEMORIAL WALK/RUN' will be held in Labasheeda on Sun Feb 19th. 10km around Labasheeda peninsula beginning at 12.30pm, registration from 12 noon. Entry fee €10. Contact John @ 087 9672441

KILRUSH SHAMROCKS WEEKLY DRAW

Winning numbers: 6 13 14 15

Match 3 Winner: **Alison Malone c/o Haven Arms**

Next draw Sunday 29th January in Buggle's Bar

JACKPOT €3,400

ST. SENAN'S SUPER LOTTO DRAW

Numbers Drawn: **05 11 16 21**

ONE JACKPOT WINNER OF

€ 8,000

CONGRATULATIONS

AISSLING LYNCH C/O DANNY O'SULLIVAN

Next Jackpot starts at €2,000

Next draw @ Johnson's Monday 30th January @ 8pm

