

KILRUSH PARISH NEWSLETTER

SUNDAY 31ST JULY 2011

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PRAY & PLAY ROTA

Sunday 31/07 Angela Bolton, Kay Deloughrey, Angie Bermingham, Blanaigh Troy

Sunday 07/08 Fiona Honan, Karen Honan, Kathleen McKiernan, Aisling Corcoran

Sunday 14/08 Linda O'Gorman, Siobhan Lyons, Mary Lyons, Bernie Crotty

Sunday 21/08 Helen Crowley, Nuala Flavin, Shirley Gilligan, Mary Gilligan

Sunday 28/08 Mary O'Sullivan, Marie Brew, Niamh Murray, Noreen Lynch

Sunday 04/09 Karen Soffe, Mary Bolton, Michelle Johnson, Mairead McInerney

Sunday 11/09 Susan Bermingham, Avril Bolton, Rita McAnaspie, Mary Maguire

Sunday 18/09 Helen O'Brien, Fiona O'Brien, Deirdre Hehir, Lisa O'Sullivan

Pray & Play at the 10.00am mass every Sunday morning

PRAYER

I stand before You today, Lord ready for the challenges that this new week will bring.

Help me to keep the spirit of Your word alive in my heart and to remember that You are always with me, at home or at work, among strangers or friends, faced with struggles or joys.

Be with me, Lord, and guide me, wherever I go.

Amen

Basket & Envelope Collections Sunday 24th July 2011

Basket :€1,108 Envelope:€1,790 Total: €2,898

DROUGHT IN EAST AFRICA

A sincere thank you to all who contributed to this collection last weekend. **A TOTAL OF €6,870** was collected and a cheque has been forwarded on to Trocaire for that amount.

BAPTISMAL COURSE

will take place Thursday 4th August 2011 @ 8.30pm in the Community Centre. If you would like to put your name down, please contact the parish office @ 9051093 at least one week prior to the course date.

PRIEST COLLECTION

The Priest Collection for August will be taken up at all masses this weekend 30th/31st July.

WALKING THE CLARE PILGRIM WAY

A project aimed at developing a Clare Pilgrim Way around the periphery of Clare, linking the significant 'holy' places of Clare has been in discussion for some time. For four days this August, a group will undertake Stage 1 of this pilgrim way, walking from St Senan's Well in Mollougha, Killimer, the birthplace of Senan of Scattery, to Kilfenora, the city of the High Crosses and the site of the early monastic settlement founded by St. Fachtna in the sixth century.

Day 1: Thursday 11th August: St. Senan's Well, Molougha, Killimer to St Senan's Altar, Doonbeg, via Kilrush.

Day 2: Friday 12th August: St. Senan's Altar, Doonbeg to Spanish Point, via Killard: coastal walk to Spanish Point.

Day 3: Saturday 13th August: Spanish Point to Cathedral, Kilfenora via Kilfarboy, and Cahersherkin

Day 4: Sunday 14th August: Cathedral, Kilfenora to St Brigid's Well, Liscannor, via Kilshanny and Kilmacreehy.

In conjunction with the pilgrim walk, on Thursday night, August 11th, a radio documentary on the life of St Senan, focusing especially on his journeys to Europe, will be presented by its producer Mr Ray Conway in the Kilkee Bay Hotel, beginning at 8 p.m. Contact: Brian Mooney @ 065 683 5698, Maura Egan @ 086 087 126 4527, Maureen Kelly @ 087 289 0942 or email pastoralwestclare@gmail.com

FR. MARTIN BLAKE

This weekend we extend a warm welcome to Fr. Martin Blake who is our new curate here in Kilrush. We hope he will be very happy in his Ministry here and will be made welcome by all.

LOURDES PILGRIMAGE

The Autumn Pilgrimage from the Diocese to Lourdes takes place from Sunday 2nd October to Friday 7th October. Direct from Shannon Airport the cost is €650 pps which is the cheapest pilgrimage to Lourdes this year from Ireland. Booking forms are available from Joe Walsh Tours @ 01 2410810 or from Fr. Tom Ryan, SS John & Paul Presbytery, Shannon Co. Clare.

YOUTH 2000

invites you to their Summer festival in Clonmacnois, Co Offaly from 4th – 7th August. This is a lively 4-day Catholic festival for 16-35 year-olds with great music, workshops, prayer, concert, inspiring talks, games, and plenty of time for relaxing and meeting new people. Come along for a fantastic weekend filled with many new experiences. The festival is donation-only with free buses from around the country, just bring a sleeping bag. To book online and for information on free buses please visit www.youth2000.ie, telephone 01 6753690/085 8289231

GOSPEL REFLECTION

Lord, the reason why there is not sufficient food in the world today is that people are not concerned for one another. When the prosperous see others in need they respond like the disciples. They want to send them away and tell them to go to the villages to buy themselves some food, although they know perfectly well that in fact there is nothing in the villages for them to buy. Send us leaders like Jesus who will tell us that there is no need for the crowds to go away, since we can give them something to eat ourselves. Even if all we have with us is five loaves and two fish, we can bring them to you and raise our eyes to heaven in thanksgiving for what we have. All will eat as much as they want, & in fact there will be basketfuls of scraps remaining.

This week we pray for: Cissie Lynch late of Henry Street who was buried during the week.

Months Mind Masses

Mary Moynihan late of St. Joseph's Terrace
Mass Friday 5th August @ 7.30pm
Biddy Brew Collins late of Henry Street & Dublin
Mass Saturday 6th August @ 10.00am

Sunday 31st July

8.30am
10.00am Thomas, Maureen & Tommy Egan
late of Kilkee Road

12noon Sean Lyons late of Ballynote
Michael Moroney late of Pella Rd
Flan Crowley late of Cappa Drive
Patti Lynch

Monday 1st August—10.00am

Tuesday 2nd August—10.00am

Wednesday 3rd August-10.00am

Sean Lyons late of Ballynote
Sharon Finn late of Pella Road

Thursday 4th August –10.00am

Michael Kelly late of Merchants Quay

Friday 5th August—10.00am

7.30pm Mary Moynihan, St. Josephs Tce

Saturday 6th August—10.00am

Biddy Brew Collins late of Henry Street & Dublin

7.00pm John & Maura Kemp, Moore Street
Josephine & Hugh Dolan, Carmel
Cusack, Ann Wilde,
Kevin & Ann Coonerty
Martin & Bridget McInerney Einagh
Mary Daly late of John Street

Sunday 7th August

8.30am
10.00am Deceased McMahan family Einagh
Mona Keogh late of Vandeleur St

12noon Teddy & Vera Kelly late of St.
Senan's Terrace
Fintan Cusack late of O'Dea's Rd

WANTED:
ARTISTS & CRAFT WORKERS
The Vandeleur Walled Garden in
Kilrush will be holding a Lunasa Art &
Craft Pop-Up Shop and Plant Sale on
the 28th August. Tel: 065 – 9051760
email info@vandeleurwalledgarden.ie.

KILRUSH TIDY TOWNS
The August monthly meeting will take
place on Wednesday 3rd August 2011
@ 8.30pm in the Haven Arms
All are welcome.

CLARE CRAFTS
Are holding there Summer Craft Fair at
the Community Centre, Kilkee on 7th
August from 11am—5pm. There will
be pottery, jewellery, candles, Artist,
soapmaker, stained glass & many more
Supporting Kilkee Senior Citizens.

DECLAN HAYES MEMORIAL
Doonbeg Half Marathon & 10 K Run/
Walk. All Proceeds in Aid of Suicide
Aware, Dun-Laoghaire Rehab and
Clare Children with Autism
Event takes place on Saturday, 10th
September at 11am Sharp in Doonbeg
Register now at: www.runireland.com
Contact Claire at 086 262 0688

GRADAIM UÍ RHOCHAINN
AWARD 2011
Kilrush Town Council are inviting
nominations for the '*Gradaim Uí Rho-
chainn Award 2011*'. Nominations are
sought for person or persons, not nec-
essarily resident in Kilrush, who,
through their personal leadership, par-
ticipation, courage or achievements
have made an outstanding contribution
to Kilrush society. The final date for
receipt of nominations is **Friday 9th**
September 2011. Nomination Forms
are available from the **Town Clerk**,
Town Hall, Kilrush.

IMECOFARM,
Island McGrath, Clarecastle, Co
Clare. Family Fun daily 11am -
6pm. Water Rocket Fun this
bank holiday Sunday & Monday,
from 2 - 4 pm. Build and Fly
your own Water Rocket!
Ph 065 6841552 / 087 4000393.
www.imecofarm.com "

Yoga Days in Purecamping
Querrin with Trea
Sat August 6th & Sat 13th
10am - 4pm €40 including lunch.
Gentle yoga, relaxation, walk in
the woods overlooking the sea
Booking essential. Contact Trea
on 086 3819216

LOCAL CPC COURSES
For Bus & Truck Drivers: Keep
your Driver CPC up to date with
Clare Accessible Transport.
Training delivered at 3 centres in
Clare: Feakle, Lisdoonvarna and
Ennis. Book now and avoid stress
as the CPC deadline approaches.
All profit goes to support Clare's
Local Bus Service. Please call
061 924 375 and ask for details

THE HISTORIC ELECTION
OF NELSON MANDELA IN
1994
Wednesday, 3rd August at
8.00pm in the Kilkee Bay Hotel.
Admission Free

SUUMER SERENADE
Helen Houlihan (Soprano) and
Owen Gilhooly (Baritone) will
present, A Summer Serenade
Friday 12th August at 8.00pm in
St Senan's Church, Kilkee.
Admission €20

ST. SENAN'S LOTTO RESULT

Numbers Drawn: 03 06 08 15 No Jackpot Winner €4,800
5 x €25

1. Breda Carmody, c/o Flynn's
2. Cllr Paul Moroney, Cappa
3. Aiden Mescall, K&A Electrical
4. Davy Nolan, St. Josephs Tce
5. Ger & Dympna Griffin, c/o Kelly's

NEXT
JACKPOT
€4,900

Next Draw @ Percy French TUESDAY 2nd August '11

KILRUSH SHAMROCKS WEEKLY DRAW

10/07/11 Jackpot €3,700 WINNING NUMBERS: 11 13 18 24
Match 3 winners: David O'Shea, & Neil Galbraith
Next weeks draw at Buggle's : **JACKPOT €3,900**
Thank You for Your Support