



KILRUSH PARISH NEWSLETTER

SUNDAY 27TH JANUARY 2019

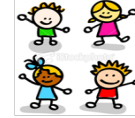
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PRAY & PLAY ROTA—10.00am every Sunday

27th Jan Caroline Bolton, Anna O’Dea, Grace Mahoney & Marie Browne
3rd Feb Susan Young, Helena Crowley, Carmel McMahon & Colleen Galvin
10th Feb Anne-Marie Crowley, Carmel Grogan, Patricia Coughlan & Croidhe Crowley
17th Feb Grace Murray, Siobhan Lyons, Tanya Canny & Barbara Soffe
24th Feb Therese Wallace, Mary McMahon, Eileen Mulqueen
3rd Mar Meadhbh Lillis, Jackie O’Brien, Mary Williams & Emily Williams
10th Mar Mairead McInerney, Brid Crowley, Michelle Johnson & Orla Cahill
17th Jan Ornaith Crowley, Mairead Crowley & Mary Lyons



BASKET & ENVELOPE COLLECTION
 Sunday 20th January
 Basket: € 755
 Envelope: €1,120
 Total: €1,875
 Thank you for your continued support



BAPTISMAL COURSE

Thursday 7th February
 8pm in Kilrush
 Community Centre. Tel
 the parish office @
 9051093 to book your place.



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..
Amen

CANDLEMAS

Saturday 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

FEAST OF ST. BLAISE Blessing of Throats



Sunday the 3rd February is the Feast of St. Blaise. Blessing of the Throats will take place after all masses on Saturday 2nd & Sunday 3rd February.

BISHOPS CONFERENCE

Thanks to all who contributed to this collection last weekend. Your support is greatly appreciated.

MEDJUGORJE PILGRIMAGE

11th September 2019. Departs Shannon, 7 nights accommodation, breakfast & dinner included. Spiritual Directors: Fr. Martin Shanahan & Fr. Martin Blake. Price €675. Contact James Considine @ 9059328

50/50 DRAW



Congratulations to this weeks winner of the 50/50

draw **John Donnelly** who won €267. Next draw Saturday 26th January after 7pm mass.

Safeguarding

For Parish Safeguarding Representatives, Leaders of any children’s groups in the parish, safeguarding personnel and those undertaking Youth Ministry. The date is; **Saturday March 2nd 2019 at Oakwood Hotel Shannon.** There will be a further date TBC in Sept / Oct in Bellbridge Hotel, Miltown Malbay, Co. Clare. Anyone wishing to go can obtain a booking form from the parish office.

St. Brigid’s Day



is celebrated on the first day of February. St Brigid’s crosses are sought after. They are placed over the door in honour of St. Brigid to ask God’s blessings for the year ahead. This is a prayer to Saint Brigid: *Brigid Mary of the Gael let your mantle pass over me and keep me under its protective covering until I am with you in Heaven.*

Events at Glenstal Abbey Luke the Artist

- 5 Saturdays over 5 months beginning 2nd Feb. Explore selected scripture passages as interpret through icons, art, drama, music, liturgy and cinema.
Day Retreat for Young Adults - Sat 9th Feb. Spend the day with us to Rest, Refresh, Reflect & Meditate.
 Contact: events@glenstal.com / 061 621005 / Full information - www.glenstal.org

DAY OF CONSECRATED LIFE

Feb 2nd as we celebrate Candlemas Day next Saturday, we also celebrate a Day of Consecrated Life which we acknowledge and give thanks to God for the witness and example of both women and men who consecrate their lives to God as sisters and brothers in various religious communities

“Next Friday 1st February is the First Friday of the month. Priests of the Parish will be visiting the sick.

MASSES FOR THE COMING WEEK



1st Anniversary Mass

Mary Brigid Smyth late of Pella Road
Mass Friday 1st February @ 10.00am

Months Mind Mass

Stasys Gurlkys
Mass Sunday 27th January @ 10.00am
Martin Cahill late of Griffin Road
Mass Saturday 2nd February @ 7.00pm

Saturday 26th January– 10.00am

Special Intention

7.00pm Private Intention
Thomas, Mary & Denis Quinlivan, Carnacalla
Paddy Keane late of Moyne
Michael McNamara late of Monvana

Sunday 27th January

8.30am

10.00am Stasys Gurlkys
Hilda & David Hilliard
John Blackmore mor
Patrick & Ellen Carey

12noon Breda Cusack late of The Square
Thomas & Margaret Clancy late of Moore St
Mattie Hassett late of O’Gorman Street
Phil Hedderman late of Fahy’s Road

Monday 28th January—10.00am

Private Intention

Tuesday 29th January—10.00am

Holy Souls

Wednesday 30th January– 10.00am

Thursday 31st January—10.00am

May Keating late of Henry Street
Paddy & Mago Honan & family, 28 Burton Street
Foley Family late of Burton Street

Friday 1st February-10.00am

Mary Brigid Smyth late of Pella Road
Private Intention

7.30pm Johnny Sweeney late of Crawford Street

Saturday 2nd February– 10.00am

Breda Neylon

7.00pm Martin Cahill late of Griffin Road

Sunday 3rd February

8.30am

10.00am

12noon Liam Maher late of Monvana
Michael Flynn late of Moore Street

ACTIVE RETIRED PLEASE NOTE THERE WILL BE NO ACTIVE RETIRED MEETING THIS TUESDAY 29TH JAN DUE TO THE WORKS BEING COMPLETED IN THE CENTRE.

IRISH BLOOD TRANSFUSION SERVICE 3,000 units of blood are required every week. 1:4 of our population require blood at some time in their life. The next blood donor clinic in Kilrush is on **Wed 30th & Thurs 31st Jan** from 6pm—9pm in Kilrush Community School.

ST. SENAN'S PRIMARY SCHOOL- Kilrush. We are now taking enrolments for Junior Infants, September 2019. Please contact the school on 089 4616491

ST. SENAN'S SPECIAL CLASS is now enrolling for September 2019. This class welcomes children from Junior Infants - 6th Class with additional needs in the West Clare area.

ST. SENAN'S ASD CLASS is now enrolling for September 2019. This class welcomes children from Junior Infants - 6th Class with autism in the West Clare area. Contact St. Senan's Primary School, on 089 4616491 or kilrushns@eircom.net

KILRUSH CHORAL SOCIETY who are in Rehearsals for the Musical "OKLAHOMA" are holding a Pub Quiz in the Haven Arms Pub on Sat 9th Feb @9.30 Sharp Teams of 4 @ €20. Raffle for Spot Prizes also on the night. And finger food during the interval .Please support as this is our Main Fundraiser for the Society.

HEALTH CARE ASSISTANTS REQUIRED: Full & Part time hours available. QQI Level 5 in Health Care Support/ Community Health or similar. Patient Moving & Handling. If currently studying for this award, applicants will also be considered. Experience required. **Contact:** Bluebird Care Clare on 065-6868222 or Email clare@bluebirdcare.ie

THE WEST CLARE CANCER CENTRE Committee wish to sincerely thank the organising committee of the 3rd Annual Querrin to Lisdeen Charity Walk & Run held on 29th October 2018, for the fantastic sum of €1,140.00 raised for the West Clare Cancer Centre here in Kilkee.

BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND ROBERT MIZZELL is coming back to Knockerra Hall on 21st February 2019 with his band The Country Kings. To Book Call 089 241 2943. All details on Killimer Parish Facebook Page

KILRUSH SHAMROCKS WEEKLY DRAW

Winning numbers: 03 06 09 23



Congratulations!



MICHAEL MCINERNEY, SHRAGH
WINNER OF €12,000

(Ticket Sold in O'Brien's)

Next draw in Johnson's Sunday 27th Jan @ 10pm
NEW JACKPOT €4,800

ST. SENAN'S SUPER LOTTO DRAW

Numbers Drawn: 01 03 13 20

1. Theresa Cahill c/o O'Looney's
2. Margaret Clancy c/o Clancy's Hardware
3. Maureen Burke c/o Ryan's Butchers
4. Gerry O'Malley c/o An Post
5. Mary Durack c/o Mary McInerney

Next Draw in O'Looney's Mon 27st January @ 8pm
JACKPOT €3,000