

# KILRUSH PARISH NEWSLETTER SUNDAY 24TH MAY 2020

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## PRAYER

Rise today with God's Spirit to teach, God's power to pilot me, God's strength to sustain me, God's wisdom to guide me, God's eye to look ahead for me, God's ear to hear me, God's word to speak for me, God's hand to protect & carry me, God's love to prosper and complete me. Amen

### RE-OPENING OF CHURCHES:

As a follow up to Bishop Fintan's Pastoral letter & after feedback from Pastoral Council members it was acknowledged that it would be great to see Churches reopened. The feed back also highlighted the responsibility we have as a church community to ensure the care of each other through putting in place the proper safety & hygiene guidelines. Our church will re-open on Monday 25th May on a phased basis. In practice this will mean we will open for private prayer on Monday, Wednesday, Friday from 12 Noon to 3 p.m. on those days. All who wish to visit the church on those days are very welcome, but we also urge people to be responsible in following proper safety guidelines. We ask you to observe the following guidelines during your visit—Enter the Church by the Main Door Only & Exit by the Side Doors;

Use Hand Sanitiser at Main Entrance & at Exits again; Observe Social Distance; Sit in designated FRONT SEATS only in the Church; If lighting a Candle take light from Big Candle which will be Lighting- Use Hand Sanitiser afterwards while observing Social Distance; If praying the Stations of the Cross, pray them while sitting. Be responsible in our care for each other. Please respect the Seating Plan of the Church

12 Persons in Church at a time. We will revisit the opening hours & days after two weeks, as we continue to move forward.

#### **MILE BUIOCHAS**

We wish to acknowledge the contributions that we received from parishioners during the week for church funds, priests' collections & Trócaire. Thank you for your continued support & care in these difficult times. Contributions can be dropped into the sacristry after 10 a.m. Mass any morning or after 10 a.m. or 12 noon mass on Sunday (via back door of Church) Also there is a box available in the post office where people can place their parish envelopes while observing proper social distance & hygiene guidelines only if people wish to make them. May God bless you all & keep each one safe in body and mind.

#### TRÓCAIRE

Every year Trócaire asks for your help during Lent to fund lifesaving programmes around the world. This year, of course, it was not possible to return Trócaire boxes through schools or parishes in the usual way. This is the worst possible timing coming just as the world's poorest people need us most. Therefore, Trócaire are appealing to you to return your Lenten donation. Simply count or estimate what is in your box and donate in the following way- Trócaire Boxes or Envelopes can be dropped into the Sacristy after 10 a.m. Mass during the week or after 10 a.m. & 12 Noon on Sunday. The contents of each and every Trócaire box, no matter how small, come together to make a significant difference. This virus knows no borders, but neither does our compassion.

## PARISH FINANCE

Trócaire collection so far €2,320. Weekly Envelopes: €3,890 Priest Collection: €2,265

#### **ROSARY- INTENTIONS**

The rosary is prayed Monday – Saturday after 10 a.m. Mass & again Monday – Friday at 8 p.m. each night. If anyone would like to have the rosary prayed for a particular intention; please feel free to contact the parish office 089-4026161 or Fr. Pat 087-2300627 and let us know.

## Parish Safeguarding Representatives: Aisling Horgan

REMEMBERED IN MASS THIS WEEK 🛛 斗		KILRUSH FOOTBALL CLUB-LOTTO
<b>Pray for:</b> Bridie Lynch nee Sullivan late of Shannon &		Has gone online!!! So now you can buy your tickets
Monmore, Senan Conway late of Pella Road, Robert		from the comfort of your own home.
Coleman late of Wood Rd & PJ Kelly late of Griffin Road		Just click on the link
May they rest in peace		https://play.clubforce.com/play_newa.asp?
FIRST ANNIVERSARY MASS		<u>11_id=2274#Anchor</u> on our facebook page.
Raymond Clancy late of Vandeleur Street		Jackpot is €3,700 and the first draw will be
Mass Sunday 24th May @ 12noon		Sunday 24th May. Winner(s) will be announced
Saturday 23rd May		on Monday 25th. Good Luck !!
10.00am	William & Catherine Williams, Carnacalla	HOME DELIVERY BOOK SERVICE
7.00pm	Michael Gilligan late of Moyne	Kilrush Library have launched a housebound book
-	Gerry Brennan late of Cappa	service to provide book stock and other materials to adults cocooning or housebound. Please ring 065
	Sheila Roche late of New Ross Michael Clohessy late of Tullabrack	9051504 to arrange a home delivery.
	Michael Clonessy late of Tuliablack	
Sunday 24th May		KEY FOUND
		A key was found on the way from Shanakyle Grave-
10.00am	Bridget & Patrick Hayes late of Inch Aiden Cahill late of Dooneen Park	yard after the funeral on Tuesday. Anyone who may have lost same can contact Fr. Pat.
	Ann Cullinan late of Monmore	nave lost same can contact FL Pat.
		A SONG FOR WEST CLARE CD
12noon	Raymond Clancy late of Vandeleur Street	Featuring Kilrush RNLI & Marty & Bernard is now on
	Tom O'Brien late of Moyne Leaving Cert Intentions	sale in O'Sullivan's Moore Street & Crowley's
		Garage Ennis Rd. All proceeds are going to the
		Kilrush RNLI station.
Monday 25th May—10.00am		ONLINE RETREAT Join the Lough Derg Team at www.loughderg.live
		during May for an online retreat.
Tuesday 26th May—10.00am		Sunday 24th May
Sean Cleary late of Miltown Malbay		Wednesday 27th May
Paddy Cooney late of The Glen		A GUIDE TO YOUR ONLINE RETREAT 10:30am Go to www.loughderg.live
Wednesday 27th May—10.00am		10:45am Welcome from the Prior, Msgr La Flynn
weanesday 27 m May—10.00am		11:05am The Word of God –
		Reflection on the Good Samaritan with Mary
Thursday 28th May—10.00am		11:30am Prayer of Intercession with Rosary 12 noon Angelus followed by Way of the Cross
		1:45pm Jesus the Healer with Deacon Martin
Friday 29th May—10.00am		2:00pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Violet & Tommy Houlihan late of Vandeleur Street		2:20pm Time of Contemplation
		2:40pm Closing Prayer
Saturday 30th May 10.00am		
7.00pm	Anthony Morahan late of Mayo	
	Margaret & Michael McInerney late of	
	Donogrogue Killimer	
Sunday 21st May		COVID-19
Sunday 31st May		CORONAVIRUS
10.00am		alamy stock photo
12noon	Thomas, Nellie, James, Delia & Willie	If you must leave your home or meet people outside,
	McMahon late of Moyada	remember to keep at least 2m from others. Please contin-
		ue to follow the Government guidelines and stay at home
		unless your journey is essential.
		#HoldFirm #StayHome