

### KILRUSH PARISH NEWSLETTER

#### SUNDAY 31ST MAY 2020

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#### A PRAYER OF HOPE

Help us Lord Jesus, to hold steadfast to prayer. Relying on the word of God, in all despair. That our hopes in you will ever increase, while our doubts and fears slowly decrease. Help us Lord, to be a light of hope to those who are in need. To be an example of your love and mercy, and to tell others of Your great grace and glory.

**Amen** 

#### **RE-OPENING OF CHURCHES:**

A sincere thanks to all who took time to visit our Church on Wednesday & Friday last for private & personal prayer. Our church 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.

# PENTECOST Prayer for the Gifts of the Holy Spirit

Loving God, by water and the Holy Spirit you freed us from our sin and gave us new life. Send your Holy Spirit upon us to be our helper and guide. Give us the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of

right judgement and courage, the spirit of knowledge and reverence.

Fill us with the spirit of wonder and awe in your presence.

#### **ENVELOPE COLLECTION FOR LAST WEEK**

Priest collection: €600 Weekly Envelopes: €1,745 Special Fundraiser: €575 *Thank you* 

#### **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.

#### **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.

No Rosary at 8 p.m. on Monday 1st June

#### **GRAVEYARD CARE**

It would be greatly appreciated that at the time of burials in our graveyards that people would be conscious Not to walk on the graves of other families & also concern was highlighted in relation to bicycles crossing over the graves in All Saints Cemetery. Please respect the resting place of all our loved ones.

#### **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 Safeguarding Representatives: Aisling Horgan

#### REMEMBERED IN MASS THIS WEEK

Pray this week for the repose of the souls of: Doreen Howard late of Frances Street & Luke Nolan, Kilkee & Galway who died in Melbourne, Australia recently May they rest in peace

Saturday 30th May 10.00am

7.00pm Anthony Morahan late of Mayo

Margaret & Michael McInerney late of

Donogrogue Killimer

Sunday 31st May

**10.00am** Paddy Durack late of Ballyurra

**12noon** Thomas, Nellie, James, Delia & Willie

McMahon late of Moyadda

Monday 1st June—10.00am

Peig Morgan 100th Birthday (Mother of Peggy & Agatha) Kilmurry McMahon

Tuesday 2nd June—10.00am

Special Intention

Jim Vaughan late of Doonbeg Road

Wednesday 3rd June—10.00am

Joe Griffin late of Carnaun

Thursday 4th June—10.00am

Friday 5th June—10.00am

Teresa Casey late of Crawford Street

Saturday 6th June 10.00am

7.00pm Lourda

Lourda Devine late of Monmore

Anna Fitzpatrick late of Lisdeen

Paddy Austin late of St. Senan's Terrace

Sunday 7th June

10.00am

**12noon** Tony McCarthy late of Moore Street

#### KILRUSH FOOTBALL CLUB-ONLINE LOTTO

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Numbers Drawn: 1, 2, 7, 28

No Jackpot Winner. €100 shared by 3 winners: *Deirdre Hehir, Caroline Bolton & Marie & Alannah Carey*. Jackpot is

€3,800 next draw will be Sunday 31st May. Cut off time to buy your tickets online is 6.30pm on Sunday evening.

#### HOME DELIVERY BOOK SERVICE

Kilrush Library have launched a housebound book service to provide book stock and other materials to adults cocooning or housebound. Please ring 065 9051504 to arrange a home delivery.

#### "LOCKDOWN" ART EXHIBITION

Pauline Dunleavy's exquisite art exhibition is on show for the next 3 weeks in the window of Anchor Crafts, Henry Street. If your passing do make sure to have a look.

#### A SONG FOR WEST CLARE CD

Featuring Kilrush RNLI & Marty & Bernard is now on sale in O'Sullivan's Moore Street & Crowley's Garage Ennis Rd. All proceeds are going to the Kilrush RNLI station.

## KILRUSH COMMUNITY SCHOOL STAFF & STUDENT CHALLENGE

Run, walk or cycle 5km in aid of Happy Feet, Happy Minds. Click on their gofundme page link below:

https://www.gofundme.com/f/rmqsvx-happy-feet-happy-minds...

#### **KEY FOUND**

A key was found on the way from Shanakyle Graveyard after the funeral on Tuesday last week. Anyone who may have lost same can contact Fr. Pat.



Wishing all our parishioners a happy & safe Bank Holiday weekend.