

# KILRUSH PARISH NEWSLETTER- SUNDAY 31ST OCTOBER 2021

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## PRAYER FOR VISITING A GRAVEYARD

May perpetual light shine upon the faces of all who rest here. May the lives they lived unfold further in spirit. May all their past travail find ease in the kindness of clay. May the remembering earth mind every memory they brought. May the rains from the heavens fall gently upon them. May the wildflowers and grasses whisper their wishes into light. May we reverence the village of presence in the stillness of this silent field.

*J O'Donohue.*

## ALL SAINTS, ALL SOULS

Remember those who kept the faith, who always turned to pray,  
Who showed the love of Jesus in their lives from day to day.

Remember those this special time, who live with God above,  
All Saints, All Souls, and all our own, Who live with God in love.



## RECENTLY BAPTISED

We welcome into the Christian Community  
**Méabh Fitzpatrick**

***Don't for to put your clock back this weekend***



## FEAST OF ALL SAINTS

Next Monday 1st November is the Feast of All of Saints. It is a Holy Day of Obligation. Mass is 10am as usual

## 50/50 DRAW RESULTS

Congratulations to this weeks winner: **Alan Moody**



## FIRST FRIDAY OF NOVEMBER

Next Friday 5th November is the First Friday of the month. Sick and housebound parishioners will receive the Sacraments at home. If you know of any sick or housebound parishioners who would like to receive the Sacraments, please contact the Parish Office @ 089 402 6161

## EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS ROTA

**Sat 30th Oct. 7.00pm**

Caroline Bolton, Brian Clancy

**Sun 31st Oct.**

8.30am Mary Clancy

10.00am Emer McGrath, Mary Moody

12noon Nuala McNamara, Caroline Howard

## REMEMBERING OUR DEAD

This year we will celebrate Two Masses of Remembrance- one for those who died in 2020 & another for those who died this year 2021. The Mass for all those who died during 2020 in the Parish will take place on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> November at 7 p.m. & the Mass for those who died during 2021 will take place on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> November at 7 p.m. If you would like to pray for a family member, relative or friend who died away from the Parish in either of the Two years, please give their name to the parish office @ 089 402 6161 or you can email the details to: [kilrushparishoffice@gmail.com](mailto:kilrushparishoffice@gmail.com) before Monday 15<sup>th</sup> November.

## BLESSINGS OF GRAVES

Blessing of Graves will take place on Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> November --Breaffa 2 p.m.; Kilcarroll 3p.m.; Church Yard 4 p.m. Dates & times for other Graveyards will be arranged shortly. People who gather at the ceremonies are asked to be respectful of social distancing and all other guidelines. Families are asked to bring a bottle of water with them which will be blessed during the prayer service. They will then be invited to sprinkle it on their family grave and a neighbour's grave if there is no one present.

## NOVEMBER REMEMBRANCE OF OUR DEAD

November is the month associated with praying for all our beloved dead. It is the time when we invite you to place the names of your loved ones on lists so that they can be included in the Masses during this special Month. Envelopes for these lists of names can be picked up at the back of the church & there are some available in Corner Shop, & in the Post Office. All envelopes can be left in baskets on Altar Rails at Mass Times or placed in the box at the Post office.

## ALL SOULS DAY

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> November is a day set aside to remember & pray for all our beloved Dead. Mass on Tuesday Morning at 10 a.m.

**Parish Safeguarding Representatives:** Aishling Horgan

## REMEMBERED IN MASS THIS WEEK



**Pray for:** Pa Brennan late of O’Gorman Street,  
Simon Lynch late of Moyadda & Michael Scully, late  
of Crawford Street who died recently in London  
*May they rest in peace*

### 1st Anniversary Mass

Gina Garvey late of London

Mass Monday 1st November @ 10.00am

### Saturday 30th October

7.00pm

Jackie & Dotie Blunnie late of Burton Street  
Maura & Sino Clancy late of Nagle’s Terrace  
Frank Nolan late of Moyne Court  
Esther Sullivan  
Senan Canny late of Derha

### Sunday 31st October

8.30am Mary & John Flaherty late of Gowerhass

10.00am

12.00pm John McInerney & deceased family late of  
High Street  
Michael Maloney late of Shannon Heights

### Monday 1st November—All Saints 10.00am

Gina Garvey late of London

### Tuesday 2nd November—All Souls 10.00am

Stephen Purtill late of Monmore

John & Theresa Mangan late of O’Gorman Street

John Moroney late of O’Gorman Street

### Wednesday 3rd November—10.00am

Deceased O’Shea families late of Breaffa

### Thursday 4th November— 10.00am

### Friday 5th November— 10.00am

### Saturday 6th November

7.00pm Martin & Breda Brassil late of Burton Street

### Sunday 7th November

8.30am

10.00am

12.00pm Liam, William, Ann-Marie & Joseph O’Shea

*May our loved one’s souls and the souls of all the faithful  
departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.*



## KILRUSH FOOTBALL CLUB—LOTTO

Winning numbers: 09, 23, 26, 28



**Match 3 Winner:** Caroline Broderick & Ann

Hennessy. Next Jackpot €6,500. Draw Sunday 31st

Oct @ 7pm.

### REMEMBRANCE TREE SERVICE

This years Remembrance Tree service will take place on  
Wednesday 8th December @ 7pm in St. Senan’s Church,  
Kilrush. Cards for the tree are available from the Parish  
Office, O’Halloran & Griffin, Pen2Paper, Leisure Centre,  
Gbeauty, Central Shoes, Duffy’s chemist, & Dee’s beauty.

### SPECIAL COLLECTION FOR TROCAIRE

6<sup>th</sup> / 7<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER

In the countries where Trócaire works, less than 5% of the popu-  
lation have been vaccinated for Covid and infection rates are up  
to 50%. An additional 200 million people have fallen into pov-  
erty globally as a result of the Covid crisis. Bishops highlighted  
that wealthier countries, while protecting their most vulnerable  
citizens, also have a moral responsibility to ensure that the popu-  
lations of developing countries have equal, rapid and effective  
access to Covid vaccine coverage. Bishops are asking parishes  
throughout Ireland to undertake a special Church collection on 6  
& 7 Nov to invite the public to support Trócaire in its work to  
alleviate this humanitarian crisis in East Africa.

### UN CLIMATE CONFERENCE

The 26th UN Climate Conference (or COP26 for short) begins  
today in Glasgow and will go on until Nov. 12<sup>th</sup>. We are already  
seeing signs of climate breakdown. Parts of the world are under  
threat because of rising sea levels due to global warming. Severe  
extreme weather events are causing devastation, destroying lives,  
homes, lands and livelihoods, especially in the poorest parts of  
the world which are most at risk. At COP21 in December 2015,  
the Paris Agreement was reached which committed countries to  
try to limit global warming to 1.5°C above pre-industrial levels  
and not to allow it to go above 2°C. Six years later, global tem-  
perature rises are on track to reach a catastrophic 3°C. Pope  
Francis, along with other religious leaders has called on those  
attending COP26 to renew their commitment to keep global tem-  
peratures below 1.5°C and to take action to make this possible.  
“We have inherited a garden: we must not leave a desert to our  
children,” the statement says.

### **We are asked to pray for the success of COP26 during these days.**

Loving God, We praise your name with all you have created.  
You are present in the whole universe, and in the smallest of  
creatures. We acknowledge the responsibilities you have placed  
upon us as stewards of your creation. May the Holy Spirit inspire  
all political leaders at COP26 as they seek to embrace the  
changes needed to foster a more sustainable society. Instil in  
them the courage and gentleness to implement fairer solutions for  
the poorest and most vulnerable, and commit their nations to the  
care of Our Common Home. We ask this through Our Lord Jesus  
Christ your Son. **Amen**