

KILRUSH PARISH NEWSLETTER- SUNDAY 24TH APRIL 2022

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Easter Prayer

Lord, the resurrection of Your Son has given us new life and renewed hope. Help us to live as new people in pursuit of the Christian ideal. Grant us wisdom to know what we must do, the will to want to do it, the courage to undertake it, the perseverance to continue to do it, and the strength to complete it **Amen**

BASKET COLLECTION 17/04/22

Renovation: €1,540

Trocaire: €505

Priest Collection: €2,995

Online donations: €330



RECENTLY BAPTISED

We welcome into the
Christian Community

Alice Jane Harding

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS ROTA

Sat 23rd April @ 7pm Catherine Miniter,
Mary Moody

Sun 24th April @ 9am Joan Lyons
12noon Caroline Howard, Sr. Noreen

Sat 30th April @ 7pm Susanne O'Shea,
Mary Moody

Sun 1st May @ 9am Mary Clancy
12noon Carol Clynych, Ann Vaughan

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS DAILY MASS ROTA

Mon 25th Apr Mary Downes

Mon 2nd May Loretta Maher

Mon 9th May Mary O'Mahony

Mon 16th May Teresa Lyons

Mon 23rd May Ann Vaughan

LOUGH DERG welcomes Pilgrims again with a full Pilgrimage programme this summer 3 Day Pilgrimage: 1st June - 15th

August. Booking advised. Concessions
available for students, seniors and groups.

1 Day Retreats & guided Pilgrim Path
experience: dates in May and late August
through September. Booking essential.
www.loughderg.org.

SYNODAL PRAYER: We stand before You, Holy Spirit, as we gather together in Your name. With You alone to guide us, make Yourself at home in our hearts; Teach us the way we must go and how we are to pursue it. We are weak and sinful; do not let us promote disorder. Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path nor partiality influence our actions. Let us find in You our unity so that we may journey together to eternal life and not stray from the way of truth and what is right. All this we ask of You, who are at work in every place and time, in the communion of the Father and the Son, forever and ever. Amen.

EASTER GRATITUDE: A sincere word of thanks and gratitude to so many people in the Parish who were involved in the celebration of the Liturgies of Holy Week. Particular thanks to our Sacristan Brendan & those who supported Brendan, James & Catherine, Co-Ordinators of Readers and Eucharistic Ministers, Altar Servers, Choirs, Musicians, Organists, Readers, Eucharistic Ministers, Parish Office Staff, Church Carer, Flower Arrangers, those who take care of the Church linens, James Casey who supplied the Palm, Organisers & Volunteers who took part in the Outdoor stations of the cross, Martin who organised our Paschal Fire at the Easter Vigil & to all who journeyed in prayer with us over the days of Holy Week; to all we say a thank you for your support and co-operation as we start anew once more.

TRÓCAIRE: Trócaire boxes can now be returned. Thanks to all who have done so already. It would be greatly appreciated if your contributions be handed in over the next week as we will be getting ready to send total amount to Diocesan Office who will forward to Trócaire.

PRIEST EASTER COLLECTION: A very sincere thanks to all who contributed so generously to the Priest Easter Collection last weekend. If anyone was away or forgot, your contribution would be still very welcome.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY: Divine Mercy Devotions & Benediction will take place in Kilrush Church on this Sunday 24th April starting at 3pm. All are welcome.

COLLECTION FOR THE HOLY PLACES: A very sincere thanks for your generous contributions in support of all the Christians, Catholic Institutions & schools in the Holy Land which was taken up on Good Friday. **Total amount contributed €800**

LOURDES 2022 Diocesan Pilgrimage resumes again this year from 28th June to 3rd July, direct from Shannon Airport. Sick or assisted pilgrims will not travel this year. Cost €739 to €759 depending on the choice of hotel, Agena or La Solitude. Contact Joe Walsh Tours -Tel; 01-2410800, email: info@joewalstours.ie The autumn pilgrimage will take place from 2nd to 7th October 2022. Enquiries to Fr Tom Ryan Pilgrimage Director 087- 2349816 or tfryan.ennis@gmail.com

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK takes place on Sunday 22nd May led by Bishop Fintan. Bishop Fintan is inviting new members from the Parish and community to consider attending. A bus will be organised by Noel O' Shea 087-2550155. Any questions Contact - Claire 065-6828638

Parish Safeguarding Representatives: Aishling Horgan

REMEMBERED IN MASS THIS WEEK

Pray for: Phylis Trimm late of Kilrush & Cork who died in England.

May she rest in peace

1st Anniversary Mass

Aiden Tuffy late of Breaffa & Sligo
Mass Sunday 24th April @ 12noon
Pat Galvin late of Fahy's Road
Mass Sunday 1st May @ 12noon

Saturday 23rd April—7pm

Cyril Kennedy late of Cappa
John McDermott late of O'Gorman Street
Mary & Andrew McNamara late of Moore Street
Maisie Behan late of Moore Street

Sunday 24th April

9.00am Phylis Trimm late of Kilrush & Cork

12noon Aiden Tuffy late of Breaffa & Sligo

Monday 25th April— 10.00am

Tuesday 26th April—10.00am

Kathy Browne

Wednesday 27th April—10.00am

Thursday 28th April—10.00am

Friday 29th April—10.00am

Hannah & Patrick Houlihan late of Middleton Cork

Saturday 30th April—7pm

Michael Danaher late of Chapel Drive

Sunday 1st May

9.00am Jack McCloskey
Brendan Campbell & family

12noon Pat Galvin late of Fahy's Road
Michael Crotty late of Henry Street
John Hayes late of Ballykett
Sharon Guerin late of Leadmore East & Cork



KILRUSH FOOTBALL CLUB—LOTTO



Match 3 Winners: Anna Sinclair & Mick

Galvin. Next Jackpot €5,300. Draw Sunday 24th April @ 7pm.

SOUTH FOR SUSAN AND ANTOINETTE Jason Ryan, Kilrush will take part in a Charity Cycle from Malin Head to Mizen Head in memory of two friends, Susan O'Neill, Ballyea and Antoinette Pender, Quilty who passed away from cancer in July and November last year. The cycle will be held from June 6th to 10th and the cyclists will raise funds for Sláinte an Chláir and Cancer Care West. There will be a Flag Day and Church Gate collection on Saturday April 30th. Anybody wishing to support Jason can by sponsorship cards or can donate by Bank Transfer to A.I.B. IBAN. IE71AIBK93538757123183 or on the Go fund me page South for Susan and Antoinette <https://gofund.me/2a5f6549>.

ANNUAL BEACH CLEAN UP on Saturday 30th of April at 11am - 12.15pm. Bags supplied. In conjunction with Kilrush Tidy Towns and Clean Coast Ireland

QUIT MID WEST STOP SMOKING SUPPORT SERVICE

Free HSE service providing one-to-one support to people who are quitting smoking or thinking about quitting. Telephone, video call and face to face support available. Clinic in Kilrush Health Centre (Wednesday mornings) – to find out more or book an appointment please call 065 6865841 or email quit.midwest@hse.ie Research shows that using a stop smoking service is three times more effective than making an unassisted quit attempt – you can QUIT and we can help.

WEST CLARE FRC ACTIVITIES FOR OVER 55'S:

Hatha Yoga, Thursdays at 10.30 starting 21st April
Line Dancing, Wednesdays at 12-noon starting 27th April
Chinese Chair Yoga, Thursdays at 12 starting 5th May
Singalong Group, Thursdays at 10.30 starting 5th May
Aqua Aerobics, Thursdays at 3pm starting 5th May
Also starting soon **Sit Fit in Kilkee** and **Learn to Swim** in Kilkee Waterworld.

For bookings and enquiries please contact us on 065 905 2173 or email groups@westclarefrc.ie

KILKEE WATERWORLD Pre-book Aqua aerobics, Child & adult swimming lessons, junior life guard course or sensory swim @ www.kilkeewaterworld.ie Opening May 5th!

50/50 DRAW

will take place this Saturday evening after the 7pm mass.

Envelopes for the draw are available at all the church doors. Just €2 & put your name & number on the front of the envelope. 50/50 envelopes can also be dropped into the box in the post office for your convenience.

“Everyone may not be good, but there's always something good in everyone. Never judge anyone shortly because every Saint has a past & every Sinner has a future”