

KILRUSH PARISH NEWSLETTER— SUNDAY 23RD OCTOBER 2022

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THE OFFERTORY COLLECTION 16/10/22

Renovation Fund: €1,050

Online donations: €95

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS ROTA

Sat 22nd Oct @ 7pm Caroline Bolton, Fiona Honan

Sun 23rd @ 9am Joan Lyons

12noon Seamus Burke, Caroline Howard

Sat 29th Oct @ 7pm Mary Watson, Michael Hogan

Sun 30th @ 9am Mary Clancy

12noon Ann Hogan, Caroline Howard

MISSION SUNDAY This weekend parishes worldwide celebrate World Mission Sunday. The kindness shown will help overseas missionaries to continue to share the love of God with some of the world's most marginalised and vulnerable people. Thank you for supporting in whatever way you can, and please remember it is more than an appeal for financial help. Missionaries also need spiritual support. On World Mission Sunday missionaries take great strength in knowing that the faithful of the world are keeping them in their thoughts and prayers. All support would be greatly appreciated.

RETURN OF THE BASKET COLLECTION In recent weeks parishes have been returning to basket collection at weekend masses. We will return to the basket collection on the weekend 29th /30th Oct. For this to happen efficiently at all our masses we need people to help with the collections. We are seeking volunteers to help. If you can oblige, please leave your name and mass preference into the sacristy after mass. We thank you in anticipation of your help.

DATE FOR DIARY Annual Mass of Remembrance for all who died during the past year will take place on Friday 11th November at 7p.m. During this Mass we will pray for all who died in our parish community during the past year & any family members who died away from the parish in the past year

REMEMBRANCE TREE CARDS Are now available at all local shops & the parish office. Remembrance Tree Service will take place this year on Wednesday 7th December @ 7pm in St. Senan's Church. The remembrance tree will remain lit until Sunday 8th January 2023. The money raised from the cards goes to two very worthy charities Temple Street Children University Hospital and the Special Needs Unit of our local Primary School St Senan's School Kilrush.

CHRISTMAS MASS BOUQUETS

Will be available in the following shops: Corner Shop, Pen2Paper & the Leisure Centre. They can also be purchased from the Church shop & the parish office. Just €4 & all proceeds go to the church fund.

MISSION PRAYER

God has created me to do Him some definite service. He has committed some work to me which He has not committed to another. I have my Mission: I may never know it in this life, But I shall be told it in the next.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS—DAILY MASS ROTA

Mon 24th Teresa Lyons **Mon 31st** Ann Vaughan

Mon 7th Nov Mary Moody **Mon 14th** Mary Downes

WEEKDAY READERS

24th—28th Oct Frances

*31st—4th Nov Peggy 7th—11th Nov Gearoid
14th—18th Nov Sr. Mary 21st—25th Nov Zennie
28th—2nd Dec Frances 5th—9th Dec Peggy
12th—16th Dec Gearoid 19th—23rd Dec Sr. Mary
26th—30th Dec Zennie*

BLESSING & PRAYERS AT GRAVEYARDS A

Prayer Service & Blessing of Graves will take place at our graveyards for the month of November. The following dates & times- Sun 30th October (weather permitting) Breaffa 2pm Kilcarroll 3pm Churchyard 4pm Sun 6th November (weather permitting) New Shanakyle 2pm. All Saints 3 p.m.; Sun 13th November (weather permitting) Old Shanakyle 3pm.

CONCERT IN ST. SENAN'S CHURCH

Thanksgiving by Candlelight

Featuring Dana, Chloe Agnew, Brian Grane, John McNicholl, Philomena Begley & Simon Casey. Concert takes place on Tuesday 29th November @ 8pm. Tickets are €30 and are on sale from the Church shop & from the parish office.



50/50 DRAW RESULTS

Congratulations to Maeve & Niamh McGrath who won €222 in last week draw.

Insights into Dementia – Informing and Empowering Family Carers

Are you caring for a family member who has dementia? If so, The Alzheimer Society of Ireland is running a short course soon in The West Clare Family Resource Centre, Kilrush. Topics include – Understanding Dementia, Communication, Personal Care, Safety in the Home, Changes in Behaviour, the Caring Role. Please email: familycarertrain-ing@alzheimier.ie or phone 1800 341 341.

Parish Safeguarding Representatives: Aishling Horgan

REMEMBERED IN MASS THIS WEEK

Pray for: Bill Murphy late of Ennis Rd & Martin Hehir late of Monmore. **May they rest in peace**

1st Anniversary Mass

Simon Lynch late of Moyadda
Mass Sunday 23rd October @ 12noon
Pauline Madigan late of Ballynote West
Mass Sunday 23rd October @ 12noon

Saturday 22nd October—7pm

Francis Meaney late of Ennis Road
Thomas Hall late of Crawford Street
Martina Moynihan late of Shannon Heights
Kathleen Dunleavy late of Moore Street

Sunday 23rd October

9.00am Special Intention
Matthew & Kathleen O'Donnell late of Kerry

12noon Simon Lynch late of Moyadda
Pauline Madigan late of Ballynote West
Jack, Eily & Patrick O'Sullivan, Nagles Terrace
John Conway & deceased family, Kilcarroll
Mary & May McMahon late of Vandeleur St &
Kilmurry McMahon

Monday 24th October— 10.00am

Madge & Jimmy Gilligan late of St. Patrick's Terrace

Tuesday 25th October—10.00am

Wednesday 26th October—10.00am

Thursday 27th October—10.00am

Antoinette (Toni) Ryan late of Chapel Drive
Chrissy Danaher late of Pella Road & The Glen

Friday 28th October—10.00a

Saturday 29th October

11am Memorial Mass for Sean Johnson
7pm Maura & Sino Clancy late of Nagles Terrace
Frank Nolan late of Moyne Court
Senan Canny late of Derha

Sunday 30th October

9.00am Mary & John Flaherty late of Gowerhass
Richard Whalley late of St. Patrick's Terrace

12noon James Pender late of Einagh
Esther Sullivan late of Sycamore Drive

ANNUAL KILLALOE DIOCESAN IN-SERVICE

The Priests of the diocese will be on annual diocesan in-service in Loughrea from Sun evening Nov 6th to Wed lunch time Nov 9th. This is a very important time for priests to be together and engage in on-going personal and skill development. It is hoped that all priests in active ministry would be completely free from pastoral engagements during this time. Fr. Oliver Ryan will cover 10am Mass on Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday. In the event where funerals may occur, we ask that these be arranged to take place after Fr. Pat returns on Wednesday afternoon.



KILRUSH FOOTBALL CLUB—LOTTO



Match 3 Winner: Jillian Ryan.

Next Jackpot **€7,900**

Draw Sunday 23rd Oct @ 7pm.

NATIONWIDE SWIM/SPLASH On Mon 31st there's a major fundraiser being held for Breast Cancer. Its happening at the pier in Cappa @11am. Lots of great people, survivor's and supporters jumping in the water to raise much needed funds. Come along. [#swiminpink](#) [#breastcancer](#)

SELF—DEFENCE TRAINING Beginners Self—Defence classes will commence in the Community Centre Monday 7th & Monday 14th Nov from 7pm—9pm. Contact: 087 673 0928

LUKA BLOOM AND THE FIDDLE CASE Sunday October 30th Knockerra Church will host Luka Bloom & The Fiddle Case for a fantastic evening of music and song. All proceeds going to Killimer Parish. Tickets can be booked online on eventbrite.ie and will also be available at the door.

KILRUSH RNLI Tony Henchy from Doonbeg is doing 100 swims (in the sea) around Clare for the month of October & donating all proceeds to the RNLI Lifeboat at Cappa. This Saturday 22nd October @ 4pm Tony will dip in Cappa. He would like as many people as possible to join him for a splash. Sponsorship cards are available from Therese Young & O'Halloran & Griffin. Come along & show your support.

WEST CLARE FAMILY RESOURCE CENTRE are running the following courses, contact 065-9052173 to book.

Seasons For Growth, Coping with loss and changes in life, Including grief. Starting 1st Nov to the 20th Dec, Tuesday morning's 10am to 12.30pm

Managing stress, Working through daily stresses and learning new tools to help manage easier. Starting 3rd Nov to the 22nd December, Thursday morning's 10am to 12.30pm

THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT OF BURRANE N.S. is seeking expressions of interest from people who would like to set up a Childcare Service/Preschool in Burrane N.S. Please email childcare.burrane@gmail.com for further info

DOONBEG DRAMA GROUP Presents:

'TWILIGHT' a one act play by John McDwyer on Sunday October 23rd and Monday 24th at 8pm in Doonbeg Community Hall. Please support.

INTRODUCTION TO ONLINE LIBRARY SERVICES

Kilkee Library at 2pm Thursday 27th October. Discover how to access electronic library books and audio books; Download e-magazines; Access online language and e-learning courses; Renew library books online; Request books online, view loans, connect to online newspapers. Bring your phone or tablet and your library card enable access to the apps. All are welcome, please contact the library @ 065-9056034 or Email: kilkee@clarelibrary.ie

Smartphone Classes for Older People

Kilkee Library Smartphone classes for older people in Kilkee Library. The classes are held on Wednesdays, from 1.30pm to 2.30pm and from 2.30pm to 3.30pm. Participants will be shown how to use WhatsApp, install Apps, use Zoom. Tel: 065 9056034 or kilkee@clarelibrary.ie

SOCIAL DANCING/CONCERT at Teach Ceoil on Fri 28th Oct @ 9pm. Music by Atlantic Sound. Admission is FREE