

**KILRUSH PARISH NEWSLETTER— SUNDAY 5TH FEBRUARY 2023
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PRAYER TO OUR LADY OF LOURDES



O ever immaculate Virgin, Mother of Mercy, Health of the Sick, Refuge of Sinners, Comfort of the Afflicted, you know my wants, my troubles, my sufferings; deign to cast upon me a look of mercy. By appearing in the Grotto of Lourdes, you were pleased to make it a privileged sanctuary, whence you dispense your favours, and already many sufferers have obtained the cure of their infirmities, both spiritual and corporal. I come, therefore, with the most unbounded confidence, to implore your maternal intercession. Obtain, O loving Mother, the grant of my requests. I will endeavor to imitate your virtues, that I may one day share your glory, and bless you in eternity. Amen

BASKET & ENVELOPE COLLECTION 29th January 2023

Envelopes: €1,055 **Basket:** €740 **Bishops Conference:** €100 **Online:** €35 **Thank you for your support**

WEEKDAY READERS

Frances Mon 6th Feb
Peggy Mon 13th Feb
Gearoid Mon 20th Feb
Sr. Mary Mon 27th Feb
Zennie Mon 6th March
Frances Mon 13th March
Peggy Mon 20th March
Gearoid Mon 27th March

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS—
DAILY MASS ROTA**

Mon 6th Feb: Mary Downes
Mon 13th Feb: Lorett Maher
Mon 20th Feb: Mary O'Mahony
Mon 27th Feb: Teresa Lyons

MARY'S MEALS

We are appealing to you for your copper coins, old punts/pence, old sterling & other currencies that are lying around the house in jars & tins. You don't need to count it! We are willing to collect it from you if your willing to donate it!. Please contact Angela Moore @ 0894339592 or angela.moore@marysmeals.org

The Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes

is celebrated on 11 Feb. In 1858 Our Lady appeared for the first time to Bernadette Soubirous a poor girl. Many come to the Sacred Shrine each year from all over the world seeking healing and spiritual grace. We are all aware of people who are ill and we remember them especially on this feast day.



**KILRUSH PARISH GRAVEYARD
MASSESS**

Once again we are able to hold our annual Graveyard masses in June. Below is a list of the dates for this year:
Mon 12th June Breaffa @ 7.30pm
Tues 13th June Kilcarroll @ 7.30pm
Wed 14th June Churchyard @ 7.30pm
Thurs 15th June Old Shanakyle @ 7.30pm
Fri 16th June New Shanakyle/All Saints @ 7.30pm

KILRUSH YOUTH MINISTRY

We are delighted to welcome back our youth ministry. The group meets every Tuesday @ 7pm in Kilrush Community Centre & is open to all 5th & 6th year students.

PASTORAL COUNCIL

The next meeting of the Parish Pastoral Council will take place Tuesday 7th February @ 8pm in Kilrush Community Centre. We extend a warm welcome to all members to join with us on the night.

LITURGY GROUP

Will meet next Tuesday 7th February @ 7pm in Kilrush Community Centre.

**PILGRIMAGE TO
POLAND**

4th - 11th Oct 2023 Direct from Shannon Airport, led by Fr Brendan Quinlivan Cost €995 includes flights, all taxes and baggage fees etc. Please phone Kieran or Laura on 057 9355050 to book, or email info@myriam.ie

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PRAYER RITUAL On Saturday 11th February at 7 p.m. Mass we extend a warm welcome to the Boys & Girls who are preparing for their First Holy Communion along with their parents & families. They will lead us in prayer & reflection

MATT TALBOT TRIDIUM

Save the dates in your Diary—Matt Talbot Tridium praying for all who live with addictions and any other difficulties in life will take place in St. Senan's Church, Kilrush on Monday 27th February, Monday 6th March, Monday 13th March starting each night at 7p.m. We look forward to welcoming you back again for this special time of prayer. More details to follow.



**RECENTLY
BAPTISED**

We welcome into the Christian Community
Aoibhin Cussen O'Leary

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS ROTA

Sat 4th Feb @ 7pm Mary Watson, Michael Hogan
Sun 5th Feb @ 9am Mary Clancy **12noon** Ann Hogan, Carol Clynch
Sat 11th @ 7pm Stephanie Roughan, Susanne O'Shea
Sun 12th @ 9am Madeline Smyth **12noon** Emer McGrath, Dolores Blunnie

Parish Safeguarding Representatives: Aishling Horgan



Pray for: Martin Griffin late of Leadmore East
May he rest in peace



KILRUSH FOOTBALL CLUB—LOTTO

Winning numbers: 20, 23, 03, 08

Match 3 Winners: Paul Gleeson, John Ryan,
Lorraine Browne & Tommy O'Brien. Next Jackpot
€3,900 Next Draw Sunday 5th February @ 7pm.

CAHERCALLA HOSPICE DRAW 30/01/23

1st Prize €650— Doora Barefield ladies football club

2nd Prize €200—Anthony Carrig, Kilfenora

Visit: www.cahercalla.ie

AGE-FRIENDLY SMART PHONE CLASSES

Kilrush Library, which is one of Co Clare's Age Friendly Libraries, in partnership with the LCETB, will facilitate an 8 week series of Smartphone classes for older people, starting on Tuesday 14th February at 2.30pm. Learn how to install Apps, how to use email, WhatsApp & Zoom as well as the suite of Library online resources. Classes are Free, but places are limited and booking is necessary. To book a place, contact Kilrush Library on 065 9051504 or kilrush@clarelibrary.ie

PATRICIA CORBETT MEMORIAL WALK/RUN 2023

The 18th annual 'Patricia Corbett Memorial Walk/Run' will be held in Labasheeda, on Sunday Feb 12th starting at the Community Centre at 1pm. The course is 6 miles/10km around Labasheeda peninsula, entry fee of €10. Online donations can be made through PayPal @LiamWoulfeLab. All proceeds will go towards Sláinte an Chláir and St. Kieran's Church fund. Light refreshments will be served and all are welcome to take part.

FAMILY CARERS IRELAND

are recruiting Home Care Workers all across Killaloe. If you'd like to join our team please contact jobs@familycarers.ie to find out more about our great rates and excellent benefits package.

DO YOU NEED SUPPORT!

Counselling available at Accord Ennis and Nenagh. Everyone welcome.Tel: 065 6824297E-mail: accordennis1@gmail.com

INTERESTED IN BECOMING A SAMARITAN VOLUNTEER?

Samaritans Ennis and Clare are currently seeking new volunteers for the Spring 2023 training programme. For information log onto their website samaritans.org/ireland/branches/ennis or phone 085 1763491

NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF LOURDES

The novena begins in Ennis Cathedral on Friday 3rd February concluding on Saturday 11th February, feast of our Lady of Lourdes and World Day of Prayer for the sick. Weekdays 7.30pm, Saturdays 11am, Sunday 11.30am.

www.EnnisParish.com Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes on 27th June and 2nd October.

REMEMBERED IN MASS THIS WEEK

Months Mind Mass

Sean Madigan late of Kilrush, Cork & London
Mass Saturday 4th February @ 7pm
Margaret Synan late of Moore Street
Mass Sunday 5th February @ 12noon

Saturday 4th February

7pm Sean Madigan late of Kilrush, Cork & London
Eileen O'Connor & family late of Henry Street
John Kilner late of England
Patsy, Cissie, John & Michael Roughan Hector St
Derek Brennan late of Chapel Drive
Anna, Peter & Michael Casey late of Wilson Road
Catherine & Connie Sullivan & family St. Senan's tce
Bridget & Martin Casey & family, St. Senan's Tce
Madge & Mick Flynn late of Moore Street

Sunday 5th February

9.00am Christy Enright, Ballykett

12noon Margaret Synan late of Moore Street
Aidan McCloskey late of Woodfield
Liam Maher late of Monvana
Caroline McMahon late of Dublin
Michael Flynn late of Moore Street

Monday 6th February— 10.00am

Jane Anne Grogan Hendrick
Kathleen Darcy late of Cappa Cove

Tuesday 7th February—10.00am

Barbara Carey
The O'Donnell family late of Henry Street
Jack Dunleavy late of Moore Street

Wednesday 8th February—10.00am

Michael & Pat Lillis late of Kilcarroll

Thursday 9th February—10.00am

Friday 10th February —10.00am

Saturday 11th February

7pm John Coughlan late of Cappa
Gerry McMahon late of Pella Rd & Kilkishen
Margaret Cullinan late of Crawford Street
Christina Campion late of Monvana & Swords Dublin

Sunday 12th February

9.00am

12noon JJ Kelly late of Cragg House
Kevin O'Gorman late of Gowerhass
Veronica Moran, Island View & Portarlington