KILRUSH PARISH NEWSLETTER-SUNDAY 12TH MARCH 2023 INIS CATHAIGH PASTORAL AREA



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BASKET & ENVELOPE COLLECTION 5th March 2023

Envelopes: €1,025 Basket: €800

Priest Collection: €730 Online: €265

Thank you for your continued support

STATIONS OF THE CROSS: will be prayed after 10 a.m. Mass each Friday

KILRUSH APOSTOLIC WORK

provides aid to foreign missions through prayer and by providing material aid. If you would like to order a sacred vessel in memory of a loved one please contact Eileen or Mary on 086 8673876 for further information



ST. PATRICK'S DAY

On Friday next we celebrate St. Patrick's Day, the Patron Saint of Ireland. St Patrick was brought as a slave to Antrim where he spent six years tend-

ing pigs. He tells us he prayed to God a hundred times a day and the same at night. He escaped to France and was ordained a priest and later a bishop. He returned to Ireland and preached Gospel of Christ to the Irish people. We remember to thank God for this precious gift on St. Patrick's feast day. MASS TIMES are as follows- Thursday 16th at 7 p.m. Friday 17th 9 a.m.& 12 Noon

Youth 2000 Retreat in Killarney

The Munster Youth 2000 retreat takes place in St. Brendan's College, Killarney from the 24th - 26th March. Everyone aged 16 - 35 is most welcome to attend for all or part of the weekend. See www.youth2000.ie

EARTHQUAKE APPEAL - KILLALOE DIOCESE SUPPORTFOR TURKEY & SYRIA

A very sincere thanks for your extreme generosity towards the special collection taken up at Mass last weekend. Total contributed to is €5,133.15

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS— DAILY MASS ROTA

Mon 13th Mar: Ann Vaughan Mon 20th Mar: Mary Downes Mon 27th Mar: Lorett Maher Mon 3rd April: Mary O'Mahony

WEEKDAY READERS

Frances Mon 13th March Peggy Mon 20th March Gearoid Mon 27th March

** **YOUTH MINISTRY** **

Our Youth Ministry group will join us at Masses this weekend 11th / 12th March. They will share input in relation to "Mary's Meals" and at the end of Mass people will have an opportunity to financially support the work "Mary's Meals" & our Young People.

LENTEN PRAYER

Lord, I know how much LENT you love me. Help me to use your love as a way to persevere in my Lenten intentions. I am weak, but I know with your help, I can use these small sacrifices in my life to draw closer to

you. **Amen**

"HIS HOMEWARD JOURNEY"

The life and works of Pope Benedict which is the latest publication by Bishop Fintan is on sale for €10 at the church shop.



"An áit a bhuil do Chroí is ann a thabharfas do chosa thú"

PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE

A Pilgrimage to Medjugorje will take placefrom 13th – 20th September.

Direct flights fromShannon to Mostar-Medjugorje Cost €815. Only €100 deposit to secure yourplace. Accompanied by a Spiritual Director. Contact Jimmy Considine on 065-9059328 or 085-7385385 for more details

MATT TALBOT TRIDIUM

Matt Talbot Tridium praying for all who live with addictions and any other difficulties in life, for their families & loved ones will take place in St. Senan's Church, Kilrush continues on Monday night 13thMarch at 7p.m. Mr. John Burke, Spanish Point & Elevation Foundation will lead us in reflection and prayer on this night. Petitions can be dropped in at the shrine in Kilrush Church or emailed to larkpj2019@gmail.com We look forward to welcoming you on the night.

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS ROTA

Sat 4th Mar @ 7pm Mary Watson, Michael Hogan Sun 5th Mar @9am Mary Clancy 12 Ann Hogan, Teresa Lyons Sat 11th Mar @ 7pm Stephanie Roughan, Susanne O'Shea Sun 12th Mar @ 9am Madeline Smyth 12 Emer McGrath, Dolores Blunnie

KILLALOE DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES: Bishop Fintan will lead the Diocesan pilgrimage to Lourdes from Shannon on Tues 27th June, returning Sun 2nd July. €809.00 Tel: Joe Walsh Tours 01-2410800

Parish Safeguarding Representatives: Aishling Horgan

REMEMBERED IN MASS THIS WEEK

Pray for: Pat Flynn (brother of Kitty Flynn) late of Cashel &

Marie Casey late of Crawford Street

May they rest in peace

1st Anniversary Mass

Ann Galvin late of Fahy's Road Mass Sunday 19th March @ 12noon Fr. Senan Mahony late of Caldy Island Mass Sunday 19th March @ 12noon

Saturday 11th March

7pm Joe & Teresa O'Donnell late of O'Gorman Street Michael Meaney late of Tullabrack Joe, Bridget, Margaret, Dympna, Martin & Peter Cusack late of Cappa Mary Griffin late of Ennis & Tullabrack Senan Downes late of Chapel Street Tomo & Benah Nash Cecilia Mulqueen late of Ballynote East

Sunday 12th March 9.00am

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12noon Michael & Mary Fennell late of Ballykett
Susan & Harry Cahill & family late of Moore St
Patrick Neenan late of Carnacalla
Teresa Neenan Hassett Carnacalla & OGorman St
Pauline & Gerard Finn late of Moore Street
Michael Ryan
Patrick & Christopher Scanlan late of England

Monday 13th March— 10.00am Anthony Kelly late of Crawford Street

Bridget Danaher late of Ennis Road

Tuesday 14th March—10.00am

Wednesday 15th March—10.00am Sean Sullivan late of Crawford Street

Thursday 16th March—10.00am Michael Danaher late of Pella Road

7pm Mary & Paddy Smith late of The Glen

Friday 17th March —St. Patrick's Day

9.00am Gerard Griffin late of Nagles Terrace

12noon Nancy Brennan late of St. Patrick's Day

Oliver O'Connor late of Beal an Inbhir

Saturday 18th March 7pm Family Mass

John Purtill late of Moore Street
Michael Donnellan late of Ballykett
Deceased members of the Mckoen family late of
Dublin & Sligo
Patricia & Lesley Kenny & Dunleavy family Wilson Rd
Packie Burns & O'Sullivan family, O'Gorman Street

Sunday 19th March

9.00am

12noon Ann Galvin late of Fahy's Road
Fr. Senan Mahony late of Caldy Island
Ted O'Sullivan late of Burton Street
Tim, Margaret, Paddy & Frank O'Sullivan
Bride & Michael Madigan late of Carnacalla



KILRUSH FOOTBALL CLUB-LOTTO

Winning numbers: 19, 03, 22, 09

Match 3 Winners: Linda Kelleher/Sarah Cahill & Kevin Burke. Next Jackpot €4,400 Next Draw
Sunday 12th March @ 7pm.

CAHERCALLA HOSPICE DRAW 07/03/23

1st Prize €650- Mary Normoyle, Ennis 2nd Prize €200- Gervaise O'Loughlin, Ennis Visit: www.cahercalla.ie

CELEBRATING ST PATRICK'S DAY

opy Patrick's with our traditional parade at 3 pm on Friday 17th.This year's theme is 'Around the World in West Clare'

Entertainment kicks off at noon with the Kiddies Fun Fair on Frances St. Assembly for the floats and participants commences from 1.30. We will have entertainment starting in the Square at 2.15. with the parade at 3.00pm. Lots of fantastic competitions so everyone can get involved. If you would like to help on the day we would love to hear from you. All enquiries to Kilrushstpatricksday@gmail.com or see your FB page Kilrush St Patricks Day

REGINA DAY CENTRE RE-OPENING

We are happy to inform members of the community that the Day Care Centre at Regina House is to reopen shortly. Numbers will be limited so acceptance will be made on a first come first served basis and on initial assessment of suitability. We will also run a cancellation system for each area. Transport will be available to get from your homes to the centre. Application to attend can be made by filling in a referral form. The form can be obtained from your Public health/Community Nurse, your GPs surgery or by contacting Regina House directly, from Monday to Friday between the hours of 9am to 4pm on 065 9051209 or 9052709. A date will be confirmed once we have names of attendees in place. We are looking forward to see you all soon.

SET DANCING CEILI



On Saturday night 25th March @ 9pm in the Teach Ceoil. Music by Mark Donnellan, Charlie Harris & Jim Corry from the Tulla Ceili Band.

WEST CLARES FRC's ACTIVITIES FOR OVER 55's:

For bookings and enquiries contact 065 905 2173

Singalong in Kilkee with Morgan Roughan, starting
Thursday 16th March @2pm in Kilkee Elliott Centre

Well-being and Meditation: Mondays @10am in Kilrush
Digital skills: Learn to use your phone, tablet or computer, Tuesday and Wednesday @10 & 11am in Kilrush
Thursday Movie: THE BANSHEES OF INISHERIN, Thursday 16th March @2.30pm in Kilrush
Information talk: FAIR DEAL (financial support for those in long-term nursing home care), Thursday 23rd March
@2.30pm in Kilrush Community Centre
For bookings and enquiries contact 065 905 2173