KILRUSH PARISH NEWSLETTER-SUNDAY 26TH FEBRUARY 2023 INIS CATHAIGH PASTORAL AREA



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BASKET & ENVELOPE COLLECTION 19th February 2023

Envelopes: €1,075 Basket: €920
Priest Collection: €120 Online: €35
Thank you for your continued support

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



RECENTLY BAPTISED

We welcome into the Christian Community **Molly Aisling Keogh**

TROCAIRE BOXES

for Lent are available at the back of the Church this weekend. In these difficult times we invite and encourage you to collect one for your home & during the season of Lent through your financial support Trócaire this year will helpthe devastating situation of families in Somalia. Last year our Parish Community contributed €5,601

PRAYER TO ST. SENAN

Lord, when a darkened sky surrounds me,
Let me find hope; In quiet hurts & sorrows,
Let me find hope; In my struggling hours &
moments, Let me find hope; To those whose
hearts are weary, Let me reach out with
hope;

ST. SENAN Wed 8th March is the Feast of St. Senan. Senan offered the light of hope to the people of West Clare in difficult times. To help rekindle the light of hope in our times we invite you to light a candle of hope and place it on the window. We extend a warm welcome to join with us in St. Senan's Church, Kilrush for a liturgy of prayer & reflection on 8th March at 7pm

LENTEN SERIES

Killaloe Diocese invite you to An Adult Faith Formation Lenten series. Date is March the 13, 20th and 27th @ 8.00-9.15 pm sharp in the Maria Assumpta Community Hall, Cathedral of St. Peter & Paul, Ennis.

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS— DAILY MASS ROTA

Mon 27th Feb: Teresa Lyons Mon 6th Mar: Mary Moody Mon 13th Mar: Ann Vaughan Mon 20th Mar: Mary Downes Mon 27th Mar: Lorett Maher Mon 3rd April: Mary O'Mahony

WEEKDAY READERS

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

EARTHQUAKE APPEAL -SUPPORTFOR TURKEY & SYRIA

The earthquake in Syria and Turkey on 5th February has had a devastating impact on millions of people in both countries. There will be an opportunity as you leave Mass this weekend 25th /26th February to contribute to an emergency appeal organized by Trócaire. Thanking you for responding to the cry of the poor. We ask your generous support.

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 starting on Monday night 27th February at 7p.m. Fr. Des Hillery Co-P.P. 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

FIRST FRIDAY OF MARCH

next Friday 3rd March 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. Fr. Pat will visit his calls on Thursday 2nd March & Friday 3rd March.

STRUCTURES OF THE KILLALOE DIOCESE IN THE FUTUREOn January 19th priests and representatives of parishes in the Clare

section of the Killaloe diocese met to hear inputs about the future structures in the diocese of Killaloe from Bishop Fintan Monahan, Fr Ger Godley, Diocese of Kerry and Fr Albert Mc Donnell, Diocese of Killaloe. Those inputs can be viewed on the Diocese of Killaloe website on the web link below: https://www.killaloediocese.ie/conversations-about-the-future-killaloediocese/ There will be a meeting from 7.30-9.30pm on Thursday 9th March in the Community Centre, Kilrush for the people and priests of the Inis Cathaigh Pastoral Area (Parishes of Kilrush, Killimer, Kilmacduane and Kilmihil) to have a more in-depth discussion on those presentations and to listen to the views of parishioners in our pastoral area. All are welcome to attend & make our voices heard.

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS ROTA

Sat 25th Feb @ 7pm Caroline Bolton, Fiona Honan
Sun 26th Feb @ 9am Joan Lyons 12noon Carol Clynch, Seamus Burke
Sat 4th Mar @ 7pm Mary Watson, Michael Hogan
Sun 5th Mar @9am Mary Clancy 12noon Ann Hogan, Teresa Lyons

Parish Safeguarding Representatives: Aishling Horgan

REMEMBERED IN MASS THIS WEEK

Months Mind Mass

Patrick Histon late of Cappa Mass Sunday 5th February @ 12noon

1st Anniversary Mass

John McMahon late of Ballynote East Mass Sunday 5th February @ 12noon

Saturday 25th February

7pm Ann Morohan late of Mayo

Nora Comerford late of Moore Street Jack Crowley & deceased family, Tullabrack

Tony, Baba, John & Aidan Frawley Patricia Downes late of Chapel Street

Sunday 26th February

9.00am Michael & Bridget Moloney & deceased family

late of Pella Road

12noon Matt McCormack late of Cappa

Mary Murphy late of Mallow

Thomas, Lilly, Tom & Sr. Mary Byrne, Kilkee Philip Guihen late of Shannon Heights

Monday 27th February— 10.00am

Tuesday 28th February—10.00am

Patrick, Nelly, Patrick Jnr (Sonny) & Billy Cotter

Wednesday 1st March—10.00am

Barbara Carey late of Moyasta

Thursday 2nd March—10.00am

Special Intention

Friday 3rd March —10.00am

Saturday 4th March

7pm Sue Fennell late of Henry Street

Noel & PJ King late of Doonbeg & Surrey Paddy O'Flaherty late of Lower Gowerhass Maura Lewis O'Flaherty, Anna Bottomely O'Flaherty Martin O'Flaherty & Senan O'Flaherty late of Lower

Gowerhass & England

Bridget (Bunty) O'Connor late of Nagles Terrace

Sunday 5th March 9.00am

12noon Patrick Histon late of Cappa

John McMahon late of Ballynote East Robert Welsh late of Pella Road

Danny & Paddy Thompson late of Dublin



KILRUSH FOOTBALL CLUB-LOTTO

Winning numbers: 19, 08, 28, 21

Match 3 Winner: Vincent Crowley.

Next Jackpot **€4,200** Next Draw Sunday 26th

February @ 7pm.

CAHERCALLA HOSPICE DRAW 21/02/23

1st Prize €650– Tom Glody, Shannon 2nd Prize €200– Thomas Ryan, Newmarket on Fergus Visit: www.cahercalla.ie

OAKHILL PLAYERS PRESENT Many Young Men of Twenty by JB Keane

in Knockerra Hall on February 25th/26th. Curtain up at 8pm sharp. Admission €13

THE IRISH SEED SAVERS

Annual Community Seed Share event takes place on Saturday February 25th from 12 to 4pm in Scariff, County Clare. Attend free of charge. Just bring along proof of address.

WEST CLARE MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION

Free weekly Peer Support Meetings in The Lighthouse Centre Kilrush, Tuesday 7-9pm.Friday 5-7pm. Weekly Woodland for Wellbeing Walk Tuesdays Vandeleur Woods 11am. Contact 085 8559511 for details

BROTHERS OF CHARITY SERVICES WEST CLARE

(Triest Community Employment Scheme) are seeking a person who meet Department of Social Protection eligibility criteria to work in the Kilrush/Kileee area, as a support person for people with Intellectual Disabilities. For further information please contact Thomas Gilligan on 065-6823123

Kilrush and District Historical Society

presents 'Always in the Human Consciousness'-Exploring the Memory of Clare's Revolutionary Period by Tomás Mac Conmara. Tuesday 28 February, 8pm, Teach Ceoil. All are welcome. Free for members, €5 for non-members

WEST CLARE FRC'S ACTIVITIES FOR OVER 55's

contact 065 905 2173.

MINDFUL GARDENING: 6-week

course starting Wednesday 1st March @10.30am in Kilrush

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 **BINGO, CARDS & BOARD GAMES** in KILKEE: Wednes-

days @2pm in Kilkee Elliott Centre

TEA DANCE with MORGAN ROUGHAN, Thursday 9th March @2pm in Kilrush. For bookings and enquiries contact 065 905 2173