KILRUSH PARISH NEWSLETTER-SUNDAY 30TH JULY 2023 INIS CATHAIGH PASTORAL AREA



Co Parish Priests: Fr Pat Larkin - Tel 0659051093 Mob 087-2300627 Fr Tony Casey - Tel 0659059008 Mob 087-9936950 / Fr. Des Hillery Tel: 0659062729 Assistant Priest: Fr Peter O'Loughlin - Mob 086-8250016

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THANK YOU: A very sincere thanks to all who gathered on Wednesday morning last after 10 a.m. Mass to meet & greet Fr. Des. Thanks to all who provided and supplied home baking & brought food, to all who helped out on the morning & to all who helped with the setting up.

Míle Bujochas.

FIRST FRIDAY CALLS

Friday next is the First Friday in August. Fr. Pat will visit his Communion Calls on Thursday 3rd& Friday 4th August. If anyone would like a visit please contact Fr. Pat or parish office 089-4026161

BASKET & ENVELOPE COLLECTION 23/7/23 Envelope: €930 Basket: €955 Online: €90

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS ROTA

Sat 29th July 7pm Mary Watson, Michael Hogan Sun 30th July 9.00am Mary Clancy 12.00 noon Teresa Lyons, Carol Clynch Sat 5th Aug 7pm Stephanie Roughan Sun 6th Aug 9.00am Madeline Smyth 12noon Emer McGrath, Dolores Blunnie

INIS CATHAIGH PASTORAL AREA

(Parishes of Cooraclare, Killimer, Kilmihil& Kilrush) In the recently published Diocesan Appointments by Bishop Fintan, the Pastoral Area of Inis Cathaigh sees the announcement of Fr. Des Hillery to the Imeall Boirne Pastoral Area and of the retirement of Fr. Peter O'Loughlin. This announcement sees just two priests under 75 years of age active in the Pastoral Area, namely Fr. Tony Casey and Fr. Pat Larkin. Fr Peter O' Loughlin, while retired, will be available for the coming year for baptisms and funerals in Kilmihil parish. Fr Tonyhas been advised to focus on the parish of Cooraclare, but will be available for weekend Mass rota across the pastoral Area of Inis Cathaigh. Fr Pat will take responsibility for the administration of Kilmihil parish and the preparation for First Holy Communion and Confirmation. The Pastoral Area of Cois Fharraige (Parishes of Carrigaholt, Cross, Doonbeg & Kilkee) with Frs. Michael Casey & Ger Kenny are available to assist when possible in Inis Cathaigh Pastoral Area. In response to this reality the priests have agreed: 1. To continue the current schedule of Masses until October 29th

- 2. In the meantime, discussions with each Parish Pastoral Council in the Inis Cathaigh Pastoral Area to take place to plan for this new scenario.
- 3. That a new schedule of Masses will come into effect on October 29th. Adjustments to the current administration of parishes in the Pastoral Area will also be part of the discussions.

WEEKDAY READERS 30th July Frances

6th Aug Peggy

50/50 DRAW

Congratulations to Lourda & Pat McInerney who won €238 in last weekends draw. Next draw Saturday 5th August. Be in it to win it!!

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Killaloe Diocese Autumn Pilgrimage to Lourdes takes place from 2nd to 7th October. €780 full board. Limited seats available. Booking to Joe Walsh Tours 89 Harcourt Street Dublin 2 D02WY88. Tel: 01-2410800 www.joewalshtours.ie

RECETNLY BAPTISED

We welcome into the Christian Community Finn William Byrne

Mary's Meals Annual Walk

The 11th Annual Step by Step to Feed the Next Child Walk will leave seven locations around Ireland on August 7th and converge on Knock Shrine on August 15th. Walks passing through Clare, Limerick, Galway, Tipperary, Laois and Offaly. If you would like to get involved, we'd love your support! Accommodation, drivers and general help required. Please contact Fr Eamonn Kelly at 087-9077985 or check out www.marysmeals.ie

SCATTERY ISLAND CELEBRATION

Will be celebrated on Sunday 27th August @ 3.45pm.
There will be two departures from the Marina at 2pm & 3pm.
Contact details.
085 250 5514

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS DAILY ROTA

31st July Mary O'Mahony7th Aug Teresa Lyons14th Aug Mary Moody21st Aug Mary Downes28th Aug Ann Vaughan4th Sept Lorett Maher

YOUTH 2000- SUMMER FESTIVAL

in Clongowes Wood College, Clane, Co. Kildare from 10th-13th Aug. Age 16-35 yrs. Free Buses. Donation only Event. Contact office@youth 2000.ie

Parish Safeguarding Representatives: Aishling Horgan

REMEMBERED IN MASS THIS WEEK

Pray for: Helen Finnegan late of St. Joseph's

Terrace

May she rest in peace



Months Mind Mass

Ann McKiernan late of Cappa Mass Sunday 30th July @ 12noon

1st Anniversary Mass

Bridget Donnellan late of Ballykett Mass Saturday 29th July @ 7pm Michael (Micky) McInerney late of Einagh Mass Sunday 6th August @ 12noon

Saturday 29th July

7pm Bridget Donnellan late of Ballykett

Tom Clarke late of Dooneen Park Aaron Kelly late of Beal an Inbhir

Sunday 30th July

9.00am Baby Clara McMahon late of Dysart

12noon Ann McKiernan late of Cappa

Annie & Michael O'Brien late of Pella Road

Monday 31st July- 10.00am

Michael & Pat Lillis late of Kilcarroll

Tuesday 1st August—10.00am

Christina Lynch late of Ballykett Patrick & Ellen Carey

Wednesday 2nd August—10.00am

Thursday 3rd August—10.00am

Friday 4th August—10.00am

Saturday 5th August

7pm Rita & Sonny O'Flaherty late of Gowerhass Michael (Micky) Kelly late of Merchants Quay

Patrick Frank O'Connor late of Ennis & Moore St
PJ Kennedy & deceased family late of Moore St
Phil & Jerry Sheehan late of Riverville Frances St
John & Maura Kemp & Sylvia McNamara, Moore St

Sunday 6th August

9.00am

12noon Michael (Micky) McInerney late of Einagh

Bridget & Martin McInerney late of Einagh Patrick (Pato) McInerney late of Einagh & England McMahon & Cusack families late of Einagh Teddy & Vera Kelly late of St. Senan's Terrace John Lawson late of Mississippi

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LIGHT THE FIRE: On August 6th Archbishop Eamon Martin Primate of All Ireland will relight the fire on the hill of Slane that was lit by St. Patrick many years ago. He will be joined by Sr. Briege Mc Kenna, Dana and Fr. Pablo. There will be Holy Mass, rosary and a Eucharistic healing service on the day. This is a unique and monumental event. It is an opportunity for each of us to shine our light and witness to our faith in a joyful and spiritually uplifting celebration. If you would like details of a bus from your area please contact hillofslaneaugust6@gmail.com



KILRUSH FOOTBALL CLUB-LOTTO

Winning Numbers: 18 16 23 15

Match 3 Winner: Eoin Shannon
Next Jackpot €2,700.

Next Draw Sunday 30th July @ 7pm.

CAHERCALLA HOSPICE DRAW 25/07/23 www.cahercalla.ie

1st Prize €650- Bernie Gregan, Inch 2nd Prize €200- Anne Walshe, Ennis

KILKEE CIVIC TRUST – AT CULTÚRLANN SWEENEY

Our summer season of weekly KCT Talks continues on Wednesday, 2nd August at 8 pm

Speaker: Joe Coleman Talk Title: House Full

Talk Description: Going to the Pictures -

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Free of Charge Entry and all are welcome.

Request your KCT E-mail Newsletter
from: secretary@kilkeecivictrust.org

ARAN KNITS POP-UP SHOP in aid of the West Clare Cancer Centre

Saturday 5th August from 11—3pm in Kilkee Community Hall. Pure wool aran knit dresses, gilets, tabards, blankets cushions, hats etc. **Cash no Card facility**



KILRUSH TRADITIONAL MUSIC & SET DANCING FESTIVAL

Next weekend August 3rd—7th.

Thurs 3rd Seisiun at Teach Ceoil @ 8.30pm.

Fri 4th Open Air Ceili in the Square @ 7pm.

Sat 5th Open Air Ceili in the Square @ 2.30pm.

Sat 5th Peadar Kind in conversation with Tim Dennihy & Harvey O'Brien "Clare a place called Home" at Teach

Ceoil @ 6.30pm. **Sat 5th** PJ Murrihy & Seamus Murrihy at Teach Ceoil @ 8pm.

Sun 6th Street entertainment in the Square @ 2.30pm.
Sun 6th Open Air Ceili in the Square @ 7pm
Mon 7th Street Entertainment @ 2pm
Mon 7th Open Air Ceili in the Square @ 5pm

THANK YOU

To all who attended the Blessing & Unveiling of the World War 1 Memorial in Ballynote West on the 15th July.

GROW MENTAL HEALTH

Friendly Community based groups for anyone experiencing mental health issue through 12 Step Program of connection, hope, identity by empowering people to nurture their positive wellbeing by supporting personal growth through education, peer support and self-teaching. Ennis Meeting- Maria Assumpta Hall, Ennis. Monday 7-9pm. Contact Celia 086-1526966/Www.grow.ie

CATHOLIC MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER Every relationship is a journey, and the grind of everyday life can cause you to lose touch with your spouse. This is a space for you and your spouse to pause, reflect, and reconnect privately. Our next Marriage Enrichment Weekend is Fri 3rd to Sun 5th Nov at "The Cork International Hotel" book your place: www.marriageencounter.ie Tel. 087-2162436