

**KILRUSH PARISH NEWSLETTER— SUNDAY 20TH AUGUST 2023
INIS CATHAIGH PASTORAL AREA**



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SCATTERY ISLAND CELEBRATION

Will be celebrated next Sunday 27th August @ 3.45pm. There will be two departures from the Marina at 2p.m. & 3 p.m. Cost of ticket is **€20 Adults, €15 Teenagers, €10 children**. If possible please call to the Scattery Island office in person to book your ticket. Contact details. 085 250 5514

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS ROTA

Sat 19th Aug @ 7pm Caroline Bolton, Fiona Honan
Sun 20th Aug @ 9am Joan Lyons
12noon @ Carol Clynch, Seamus Burke
Sat 26th Aug @ 7pm Mary Watson, Michael Hogan
Sun 27th Aug @ 9am Mary Clancy
12noon Caroline Howard, Teresa Lyons

BASKET & ENVELOPE COLLECTION 13/8/23

Envelope: €1,210 **Basket:** €745
Priests Collection: €1,365 **Holy Day:** €520
Online: €200
Thank you for your continued support

50 / 50 DRAW

Next draw this weekend Sat 19th August.
Envelopes are available at the church doors & from Kilrush Post Office

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS DAILY ROTA

21st Aug Mary Downes
28th Aug Ann Vaughan
4th Sept Lorett Maher

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.joewalsh tours.ie

WEEKDAY READERS

21st Aug Sr. Mary 28th Aug Zennie,
4th Sept Frances 11th Sept Peggy

PRAYER OF CONSECRATION OF IRELAND TO THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

“O Most Holy & Undivided Trinity Father, Son and Holy Spirit—we entrust and consecrate ourselves, our families, our homes, or parishes, our Diocese, Ireland and all her people, to your Most Sacred Majesty through the intercession of St. Patrick, St. Brigid, St. Colmcille and all the Saints and Martyrs of Ireland.

Through their prayers, together with the powerful intercession of Mary, Our Lady of Knock, Queen of Ireland, we ask, O Most High and Merciful God, that you would renew our hearts, our Church and our Nation, banishing all falsehood from our homes and our shores. Light the fire of the Holy Spirit in our land today as you did so powerfully in St. Patrick’s time, so that Ireland will once again be renewed in Faith, Hope and Love.

We make this prayer in faith and confidence in your merciful love, through Christ our Lord.
“Christ with us. Christ before us. Christ behind us. Christ in us.”

Amen

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit; the God who is, who was, and who is to come.
(Light the Fire, Hill of Slane August 6th)

BURREN RAMBLE

Sunday 3rd September in aid of the RNLI Lifeboats. Base camp is in the heart of the Caher Valley for parking at 11am. This route for parking is up by the Caher River and St Patrick’s church in Fanore. The 8km ramble leaves at 12 noon. This year the ramble will be all on the road leading up into Caherbullog and Lismorahaun. The World famous Lismorahaun singers will sing in their own place for the rambles. Bring suitable walking and weather gear. Information from 087-6260301. All proceeds to the RNLI Lifeboats.

DROMELIHY WELL NOVENA

Mon 21st Aug @ 7.30pm-----Fr. Martin Shanahan
Tue 22nd Aug @ 7.30pm --- Fr. Albert McDonnell
Wed 23rd Aug @ 3pm: Anointing of the sick---Fr. Pat Malone

RECENTLY BAPTISED

We welcome into the Christian Community
Iris Lindsay Nolan

Parish Safeguarding Representatives: Aishling Horgan

REMEMBERED IN MASS THIS WEEK



Rest In Peace

Pray For: Laurence "Larry" Halpin late of Henry Street.

May he rest in peace

Saturday 19th August

7pm Tom Whelan late of Cappa Drive
Cora Norris late of Nagles Terrace

Sunday 20th August

9.00am Michael, Betty & Stephen Madigan late of Monmore
Tommy Moroney late of Moore Street

12noon Joanne O'Connell late of Merchants Quay
Tommy & Mary Galvin late of Henry St & their son
Ray late of California
Charlie & Jackie O'Dea late of Vandeleur Street

Monday 21st August— 10.00am

Tuesday 22nd August—10.00am

Deceased members of the Cussen family

Wednesday 23rd August—10.00am

Thursday 24th August—10.00am

Friday 25th August—10.00am

Saturday 26th August

7pm Michael & Jo O'Sullivan late of Cappa

Sunday 27th August

9.00am

12noon Kay McDonough late of Cappa Cove
John O'Neill late of London

MATT TALBOT NOVENA: DATE FOR THE DIARY--The Matt Talbot Novena will take place again this year beginning on Monday 2nd October at 7.30 p.m. & will continue for nine consecutive Monday nights. More details later.

PRAYER TO OUR BLESSED MOTHER

Take my hand, O Blessed Mother, hold me firmly lest I fall,
I am nervous when I'm walking, and to Thee I humbly call.
Guide me over every crossing, Watch me when I'm on the stairs,
Let me know you are beside me, listen to my fervent prayer.
Bring me to my destination, safely every single day.

Help me with each undertaking as the hours pass away.

And when evening falls upon me, and I fear to be alone,
Take my hand O Blessed Mother once again and lead me home.



KILRUSH FOOTBALL CLUB—LOTTO

1 Match 3 Winner: Dympna Madigan

Next Draw Sunday 20th August. Jackpot: €3,000

CAHERCALLA HOSPICE DRAW 15/08/23

www.cahercalla.ie

1st Prize €650— John Chandler, Ennis

2nd Prize €200— John Liddy, Kilrush

Art Classes Pauline Dunleavy resumes her popular art classes in September and October. Date/details/cost and further information can be got by ringing her on 086-8339347

Irish music lessons available on tin whistle, flute, concertina and accordion. Venue: Kilrush Youth Centre. All levels catered for. Lessons begin Thursday September 7th. Please contact: 0868803053

Do you enjoy preparing meals for people? Our team at St Senan's Nursing Home is recruiting for a part-time Cook to join our team. Preparing and cooking excellent quality wholesome meals and home baking for residents within our nursing home. Email: office@stsenansnursinghomes.ie or call 065 9051966

BLOOD DONOR CLINIC at Kilrush Community School, Wednesday 23rd August 16:50 - 20:10. New Donors welcome. For appointment please phone 1800 222 111

The Clare 250 Organisation invites you to the book launch of 'A Life of Taking Chances - The Story of John Dunne' at The Old Ground Hotel, Ennis on Monday, August 28th at 7pm. All profits from the sale of the book will be donated to the Clare 250.

Kilrush Rugby Club is holding a fundraising golf classic on Saturday 26th August in Kilrush Golf Club. Prizes on the day include a 4 Ball at Trump International Doonbeg and at Lahinch Championship Course. Please contact Sabrina on 087 6482121 to book your Tee Time

SUICIDE PREVENTION TALK' at Treacys West County Hotel next Tuesday 22nd Aug. 8pm start, 15 Euro at the door, and proceeds go to The Haven Hub and The West Clare Mental Health Association

CULTÚRLANN SWEENEY KILKEE PRESENTS

Friday August 25th @ 6:30pm "Wild Atlantic

Tales" Storytelling for the young and old by Niall de Burca
Sat Aug 26th @ 8pm "The Legacy of Percy French" An evening of old time music, songs & stories by Peadar McMahon & Friends.

Fri Sept 8th @ 8pm "PJ Murrhy in Concert" Check out our website <https://culturlannsweeney.ticketsolve.com/ticketbooth/shows> or 0659060769

FREE EVENTS at Banner Books, Frances St.

Story Time for Children every Monday at 11am and every Saturday at 3pm For children aged 0-10, accompanied by an adult. Open Mic Social-A gathering for writers, poets, readers and listeners on Friday 25th August at 6.30pm Our host for this month is former Scattery Island guide, Ruth Marshall. Free tea/coffee. All welcome