KILRUSH PARISH NEWSLETTER-SUNDAY 24TH MARCH 2024 INIS CATHAIGH PASTORAL AREA



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BASKET & ENVELOPE COLLECTIONS 17/03/24

Basket: €1,085 Envelope: €760 St. Patrick's Day: €545 Trocaire: €540 Online donations: €235

WEEKDAY READERS

25th March Zennie 1st April Frances 8th April Peggy 15th April Gearoid 22nd April Sr. Mary 29th April Zennie

GOOD FRIDAY

Our Holy Father, Pope Francis has asked every Catholic Parish to take up a collection on Good Friday to support the needs of Christians in the Holy Land. This year the needs are massive and the plight of the Christians in the land of Jesus is desperate. The exhortation to support the Saints in Jerusalem was first made by St. Paul in many of his letters. The Church has always supported this call and I ask you to be as generous as you can this Good Friday.

LITURGY OF HOLY WEEK Holy Thursday 28th March

Morning Prayer @ 10.00am @ 6.30pm Mass of the Lord's Supper Good Friday 29th March @ 11am Outdoor Stations of the Cross, starting at the Church Liturgy of the Passion @ 3pm (Church)

Holy Saturday 30th March

Morning Prayer @ 10.00am @ 3pm Blessing of Easter Food (Polish Community) 9pm Easter Vigil

Easter Sunday 31st March@ 6.15am Dawn Mass Gathering at the Marina Mass in St. Senan's Church @ 9am & 12noon

DAWN MASS

This year we will celebrate Dawn Mass at the Marina @ 6.15am. We extend a warm welcome to join us for this special occasion as we celebrate the Resurrection of the Lord on Easter day. We extend an invitation to people to help with the organising of this Dawn Mass. Maybe this could be your little extra effort this Easter! Anyone willing to be part of this group please give your name to Aisling & Hillary in the parish office. Tel: 089 402 6161



EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS DAILY ROTA

Mar 25th Ann Vaughan April 1st Loretta Maher April 8th Mary O'Mahony April 15th Teresa Lyons April 22nd Mary Moody April 29th Mary Downes

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS ROTA

Sat 23rd March @ 6.30pm
Stephanie Roughan, Susanne O'Shea
Sun 24th @ 9am Anne O'Donoghue
12noon Carol Clynch, Dolores Blunnie
Sat 30th March @ 9.00pm
Catherine Miniter, Mary/Ann Moody
Sun 31st March @ 9am Paul Moroney
12noon Caroline Howard, Sr. Noreen

MASS TIMES

SAT EVE MAR 23RD

KILRUSH 6.30PM KNOCKERRA 8.00PM SUNDAY MAR 24TH KILRUSH 9.00AM COORACLARE 10.30AM KILMIHIL 11.00AM

KILRUSH 12NOON

50/50 DRAW

Congratulations to

Breda Ryan who won
€190 in last weeks
draw. Next draw Sat
30th March after the
Easter Vigil Mass. Envelopes are available at
the church doors & at
Kilrush Post Office.

MISSION CHARITY SHOP

Easter Sale!! Saturday 23rd March from 12— 3pm. Lots of new



items & a raffle on the day. Come

along & grab yourself a bargain!!



YOUTH MINISTRY

A very sincere thanks for the generous response to the

Mary's Meals collections over the last 2 weekends, which raised €3,535. It costs €22 to feed a child for a year which means your donation will keep 160 children at school for one year. Your generosity is much appreciated.

SERVICE OF RECONCILIATION

In Kilkee Church next Sunday 24th March @ 3pm in preparation for Easter. This is an invitation for both Pastoral Areas (Cois Fharraige & Inis Cathaigh) coming together & a number of priests will be available.



FIRST RECONCILIATION

Congratulations & best wishes to all the boys & girls from St. Senan's Primary School who celebrated the Sacrament of First Reconciliation recently.

24 HOUR ADORATION ~

St. Senan's Church Knockerra
Friday 22nd March commencing at
8pm. This is an opportunity to pray
and reflect during Lent.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY --

Prayers & chaplet for Divine Mercy Sunday& Benediction will take place in Kilrush Church on Sunday 7th April starting at 3pm. Opportunity for the Sacrament of Reconciliation/Confession available as well. All are welcome.

HOLY WEEK

Next Sunday Palm Sunday is the beginning of Holy Week. The Blessing Palm will take place at all masses



PRIEST COLLECTION

The Priest Collection for
Easter will be taken up at all
masses next weekend, on
Easter Saturday night & Easter
Sunday. We ask your generous support. If you don't use a
box of envelopes there are
priest collection envelopes
available at the church doors
this weekend.

Parish Safeguarding Representatives: Aishling Horgan

REMEMBERED IN MASS THIS WEEK

1st Anniversary Mass

John Kelly late of Wood Road Mass Saturday 23rd March @ 6.30pm



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Joyce O'Doherty late of Fort Road John & Mary Cleary late of Gowerhass Michael & Bridget Donnellan late of Ballykett

Susan & Vincent Crowley late of Ennis Road

Ann Galvin late of Fahy's Road Ann Mangan late of Pound Street Brian, Frank, Maura & John Lernihan

Deceased O'Neill Family

Sunday 24th March ~ Palm Sunday

9am Private Intention

12noon

Monday 25th March-10.00am

Tuesday 26th March—10.00am Fiona Carr late of Leadmore East

Wednesday 27th March—10.00am

Mary Josephine McDonnell Thomas Williams late of The Square

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Liturgy of the Passion @ 3.00pm

Easter Saturday 30th March Morning Prayer @ 10.00am Blessin of Polish Food @ 3.00pm Vigil @ 9.00pm

Easter Sunday 31st March
Dawn Mass @ 6.15am at Kilrush Marina

9am John Scanlan late of Scattery & Merchants Quay

12noon Timothy O'Connell late of Merchants Quay

TJ, Séan, Tomás Lyons late of Ballynote West

Ann Maguire late of Kilcarrol John & Tony O'Brien late of London

Jane Anne Grogan Hendrick

Ann Marie Forster, Ballynote West & England

Martin Nolan late of Carnanes Oisin Cahill late of Clonfeigh, Inch

KILRUSH FOOTBALL CLUB-LOTTO

Numbers Drawn: 28, 09, 08, 16

No Jackpot Winner. Match 3 Winner: Brid Canny, Alan Maher & Richard Maguire Jnr. Next Draw Sun 24th

March Jackpot: €6,000

DAFFODIL DAY will be held on Friday 22nd March in Supervalu Kilrush. Please support.



JOB VACANCY Considered Bakery are currently interviewing for the position of a Delivery Person for 4 days a week. Contact Michael @ 086 1045642

INIS CATHAIGH C.C.E Easter Social at Teach Ceoil Kilrush on Saturday 23rd March @ 9pm. Music by Pat, Christy & Padraig. Set & Social Dancing.

SISTER ACT! Tues 2nd—St 6th April at Kilrush Community School. Book your tickets online @ www.kilrushchoralsociety.ie or tel: 065 6715029 (10am—4pm Mon—Fri), or at the Box Office "Geek Tickets" located at Merchants Quay Business Quarter, Frances St (Tues, Wed & Thurs 10am—12noon). All tickets that have not been booked will be available at the doors on the night. Please Support.



MINDFULNESS MORNING WORKSHOP at the Vandeleur Gardens Centre Saturday 6th April from 10am-12pm €20. The email address to book is westclaremindfulness@gmail.com

KILRUSH HORSE FAIR will be on Monday 25th March in Kilrush Town Centre.

VANDELEUR WALLED GARDEN EASTER ACTIVITES

Get ready for an egg-citing Easter at Vandeleur Walled Garden and Visitor Centre. Join us for a day filled with fun activities for the whole family to enjoy. From Easter egg hunts to egg and spoon races, there's something for everyone to get into the holiday spirit. Don't miss out on the festivities with us - it's going to be a hoppy good time. Book online https://bookings.vandeleurwalledgarden.ie



Kilrush Community Parish Church Survey



KILRUSH COMMUNITY PARISH CHURCH SURVEY

This is an anonymous survey, and the findings are to help us better understand the community where we live and it's needs.

Please scan the QR code with the camera on your phone, otherwise you can pick up a hard copy on your way out of mass today.