

KILRUSH PARISH NEWSLETTER— SUNDAY 12TH MAY 2024

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HAIL MARY

Full of grace, the Lord is with thee
Blessed art thou amongst women and
blessed is the fruit of thy womb Jesus.
Holy Mary Mother of God, pray for us
sinners, now and at the hour of our death. **Amen**

MAY IS SAFEGUARDING MONTH IN THE DIOCESE OF KILLALOE

Since Covid we are seeing ministry with children, such as pray and play, Altar Servers etc returning in the parishes. The Diocese ensures that all children involved in parish activities are safe and cared for. We have in place, parental / guardian consent forms for all activities, code of conduct for both children & adults, sign in and out registers, gardai vetting for all adult helpers / leaders. Visit www.killaloediocese.ie/safeguarding to find out more

COME FOLLOW ME

Weekend worship, 7th –9th June. An Introductory training weekend to teach children 7-11 years about Catholic Faith using the “Come follow me” Catechetical programme, for use in parishes & school. More info from Ruth @ 0874090344 or comefollowmegalway@gmail.com

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS ROTA

Sat 11th May @ 6.30pm Stephanie Roughan, Susanne O'Shea
Sun 12th May @ 9am Anne O'Donoghue
12noon Emer McGrath, Dolores Blunnie
Sat 18th May @ 6.30pm Catherine Miniter, Mary/Ann Moody
Sun 19th @ 9am Paul Moroney
12noon Caroline Howard, Sr. Noreen



BASKET & ENVELOPE COLLECTIONS

05/05/24

Basket: €930 **Envelope:** €770
Priest Collection: €90 **Education Fund:** €515

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS DAILY ROTA

May 13th Mary O, Mahoney
May 20th Ann Vaughan
May 27th Mary Moody

WEEKDAY READERS

13th May Peggy
20th May Gearoid
27th May Sr. Mary
3rd June Zennie
10th June Frances

LOURDES ASSISTED PILGRIMS APPEAL The Killaloe Diocese is for the first time since covid bringing sick and assisted pilgrims to Lourdes this June. This is very welcome for many sick and terminally ill people who wish to go to Lourdes, pray at the Grotto and experience a little bit of heaven on this earth. The appeal this weekend helps support these very special pilgrims. Thank you for your generosity to the appeal.

ROSARY AT THE GROTTTO: For the month of May each evening (Sun-Fri) @ 7pm. Saturday evening @ 6pm.

EDUCATION FUND COLLECTION

A very sincere thanks to all those who supported the annual Education fund collection which was taken up at all masses last weekend. At present we have one student in Maynooth & two more on a year of discernment in Valladolid in Spain. If anyone would like to still contribute please leave it in the basket at the weekend. Total contribution so far €515.00



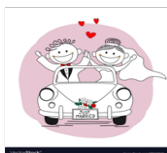
CHILDREN'S LITURGY CONNECTION

As we go forward each weekend hopefully there will be a little connection for young children with the readings of our Mass. This will either be a little piece in the newsletter or a separate sheet that will be left with the newsletters at the door. We ask you to support as parents/grandparents, family to help our young children in this simple manner of sharing the faith.

“He who kneels before God, can stand before anyone”

RECENTLY MARRIED

*Congratulations to
Ross Cullinan & Ellie McGrath
who were married on 3rd May
2024 in St. Senan's Church.*



ACCORD ENNIS

have Marriage Preparation Courses available on the following dates:
13th & 14th September 2024
18th & 19th October 2024
08th & 09th November 2024
29th & 30th November 2024
Book your place today
on
www.accord.ie

CURSILLO WALK

Cork to Knock route
Tue July 16th - 21st. Approx
23 miles (37kms) per day.
Mass daily, rosary, divine
mercy chaplet & fellowship
each day. Con-
tact corktoknock@gmail.com
to sign up for the full walk,
a day or a stage.

READERS FOR THE MONTH OF MAY

6.30PM
Brid Tevlin/
Frances Fletcher
9AM
Josie McMahon
12NOON
John Bermingham

Parish Safeguarding Representatives: Aishling Horgan

REMEMBERED IN MASS THIS WEEK

Pray for: Billy Saunders late of Arklow & Kilrush
May he rest in peace

Months Mind Mass

Mary Scanlan late of Cappa
Mass Saturday 18th May @ 6.30pm

Saturday 11th May

6.30pm Peggy & John Cuggeran late Stewart Street
Michael Crotty late of Henry Street
Mary & Andrew McNamara late of Moore Street
Maisie Behan late of Moore Street

Sunday 12th May

9.00am

12noon Vincent & Teresa O'Grady late of Tullabrack

Monday 13th May-10.00am

Tuesday 14th May—10.00am

Violet & Tommy Houlihan late of Vandeleur Street
Gerry Murphy late of Kilorglan Kerry & London

Wednesday 15th May—10.00am

Sr. Agnes Griffin
Deceased members of the Griffin & Custy families late of
O'Gorman Street

Thursday 16th May—10.00am

Friday 17th May—10.00am

Senan Conway late of Pella Road

Saturday 18th May

6.30pm Mary Scanlan late of Cappa
Mary Hall late of Crawford Street
Kevin Kelly late of St. Senan's Terrace
Lily McMahon late of Shannon Heights
Doreen Howard late of Frances Street

Sunday 19th May

9.00am Michael Gilligan late of Moyne

12noon Hugh, Ciss (Josephine) & John Moody, Fahys Rd

Helen Whalley late of St. Patrick's Terrace
Raymond Clancy late of Vandeleur Street
Bridie Lynch late of Einagh & Shannon
Catherine O'Brien late of Pella Road
Gerry Mahoney late of Pella Road & deceased
Mahoney family

COMMUNITY PARISH SURVEY

Copies of this survey will be available in the church porches at the weekend and also online. It's accessible through the QR code on the Kilrush Parish facebook page. We invite you to take a few minutes to fill this in and help us to work together in responding to different needs that may arise.



KILRUSH FOOTBALL CLUB—LOTTO

Numbers Drawn: 04, 19, 23, 22

No Jackpot Winner. Match 3 Winners: Sean Naughton
& Kevin Burke. **Next Draw Sunday 12th May.**
Jackpot: €6,700

CYCLE RACE: On Sat 11th May the Crotty Cup Cycle Race will be held in West Clare, starting in Kilrush at 12 noon the cyclists will pass through Cooraclare, Cree, Doonbeg, Kilkee and back to Kilrush for 3 laps. Please take care on the roads and obey the Gardai and traffic marshalls for everyone's safety.



KILMURRY MCMAHON DEFIBRILLATOR GROUP will host a quiz night in Murty Browne's on Friday 24th of May at 9pm to raise funds for a defibrillator for the parish. 3 people per table €15. Raffle on the night. All welcome

Vandeleur Festival Kilrush – Fri 28th June to Sun 30th June. Concerts – Cherish The Ladies – Kilfenora Ceile Band with Ger O'Donnell – and Robert Mizell. visit www.vandeleurwalledgarden.ie or call 065 9051760



SUMMER SOLSTICE GO YELLOW JUNE 20 - 23

Grow Mental Health provides free, non-judgmental peer support groups for those dealing with mental health challenges or life's struggles. Based all over Ireland with in-person or online meetings. Each year we fundraise to provide this much needed community service through Go Yellow walks/runs/workshops/information sessions or any fundraising event that helps. To donate visit www.Grow.ie or midwesternregion@grow.ie or contact 061-318813

ON THE MOVE: A HIGHER CALLING Join Focus Ireland's iconic climbs and help us to raise vital funds to support those experiencing homelessness in our communities. Our Carrauntoohil hike takes place on June 15th or Croagh Patrick on June 16th. Alternatively, organise your own hiking challenge with your family or friends. Contact Niamh 087 489 1974 or email events@focusireland.ie

8K KILRUSH WALK A big thank you to everyone who took part in our walk last weekend in aid of the West Clare Cancer Centre. To all the volunteers who helped out on the day. Over €4,000 was raised. Donations can still be left into O'Halloran & Griffin Furniture Shop.

West Clare FRC, Activities for the over 55's in Kilrush Community Centre

Walking group – 5 weeks, starting Tues 28/05 - Meet at 2.30pm in Kilrush Community Centre. Breathe in the fresh air and get your daily dose of vitamin D! €2

Bealtaine concert – Teresa Carrig, Thurs 16th of May @ 2.30pm

Bealtaine concert – Eoin O'Neill & Clara Buteler, Thurs 23rd of May @ 2.30pm

Arts Exhibition by our Arts participants in Bowman's Lane, from Tues 28th May until Tue 4th June

Bealtaine Gathering – performances by our very own drama & singalong groups, Thurs 30th May @ 2.30pm. Contact us on 065 905 2173