

KILRUSH PARISH NEWSLETTER— SUNDAY 1ST JUNE 2025

INIS CATHAIGH PASTORAL AREA



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Parish Office Opening Hours ~ Tues—Fri 9am—1pm

PRAYER FOR EXAM STUDENTS

O' God help all students doing exams,
Help them to remember well and think clearly
Help them not to be so nervous
or excited that they will do themselves an injustice
Keep them calm but clear headed
Help them to try their hardest and do their best . **Amen**

BASKET & ENVELOPE COLLECTIONS 25/05/25

Basket: €835 **Envelope:** €1330
Lourdes Fund: €75
Priest Coll: €170 **Online:** €105



ST ANTHONY'S NOVENA

Begins on Wednesday 4th to
Friday 13th June, feast of
St Anthony at the Franciscan
Friary Ennis. Led by
Fr Kieran Fitzsimons OFM

Each day : Mass 10am & 7.30pm
Sunday: Mass at 10.30am.
All are welcome

PASTORAL COUNCIL

The next meeting will take place Tuesday
3rd June @ 8pm in the Community Centre.
We extend a warm welcome to all mem-
bers to join with us on the night.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS ROTA

2nd June Mary Moody
9th June Ann Vaughan
16th June Loretta Maher
23rd June Mary O'Mahoney
30th June Dolores Blunnie
WEEKDAY READERS ROTA

2nd June Peggy
9th June Gearoid
16th June Sr. Mary
23rd June Kathleen
30th June Frances

DARE TO HOPE YOUNG

Adult Faith Gathering --
Principal Speaker: Fr Conor
McDonough- Celebration of the
Eucharist with Bishop Fintan
Gavin Sat, June 14th in The
Youth Village, Knock Shrine
9.30am – 5.30pm
Cost €20 Bookings via
Eventbrite

REMEMBRANCE MASS- CLERGY

will take place on Sunday 8th
June at 12 Noon for all the
Priests who are laid to rest in
the Church Grounds & those
buried within the church.
All are welcome

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS ROTA

Sat 31st May @ 6.30pm
Stephanie Roughan, Susanne O'Shea
Sun 1st June @ 9am Anne O'Donoghue
12noon Emer McGrath, Dolores Blunnie
Sat 7th June @ 6.30pm
Catherine Minter, Mary/Ann Moody
Sun 8th June @ 9am Paul Moroney
12noon Caroline Howard



HOLY COMMUNION

A meeting of the Holy Com-
munion Parents' Core Group
will take place on Wednesday 4th June at
7.30pm in the Community Centre to organ-
ise Corpus Christi Prayers & Reflections. All
members are invited to attend.



ANNUAL GRAVEYARD MASSES

will take place this year from
Mon 9th June—Fri 13th June.
Mon 9th—Breaffa;
Tue 10th —Kilcarroll;
Wed 11th—Churchyard;
Thurs 12th—Old Shanakyle
Fri 13th—New Shanakyle & All Saints.
All masses will take place at 7.30pm each
evening.

EXAM MASS

Mass will be offered for all Leaving & Junior
Cert. students on Wednesday next 4th June
@ 8.30am. We extend a warm welcome to
students & their families to attend

FIRST FRIDAY Fr. Pat will visit his communion calls on Wednesday 4th & Friday 6th June. If anyone would like to have a visit please contact the Parish Office at 089-4026161.

KILLALOE & FERNS DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE

takes place on Sun 6th July. We are inviting new
members from the parishes and communities to
consider attending our pilgrimage. The Ark
Children's Club at the HUB is available for those
coming with small children (open Wed-Sun).
Anyone interested in travelling to Knock please
contact the Parish Office on 089-4026161. Bus
price is €25 per adult and €15 per child.



FR. FRANK MCAULIFFE - DIAMOND JUBILEE

Last Sunday 25th May @ 12noon, mass was celebrated by
Fr. Frank McAuliffe to mark his Diamond Jubilee of his Or-
dination. Fr. Frank would like to sincerely thank everyone
who attended the mass, sent well wishes, cards & gifts.
Your generosity and friendship is greatly appreciated. God Bless.

WEEKEND WORKSHOP on Synodality, takes place 28–29 June at
the Focolare Centre in Prosperous, Co. Kildare. Registration by 15th June
using the following link <https://forms.gle/1haKNuZSxX8LpH5t6>

Parish Safeguarding Representatives: Niamh Bell & Mary Ryan

REMEMBERED IN MASS THIS WEEK

Pray for: Tracey O'Gorman late of Woodfield
May she rest in peace



Months Mind Mass

Margaret (Mags) Rush late of Cappa
Mass Saturday 7th June @ 6.30pm
Maura Hayes late of Ballykett
Mass Saturday 7th June @ 6.30pm

Saturday 31st May

6.30pm Patrick Cussen late of Woodfield & Shragh
Anthony & Peter Morohan late of Mayo
Michael Clohessy late of Tullabrack
Bernie Keeble late of Willow Green
Brian Lernihán late of Ballyurra
Deceased O'Neill family late of Moyasta
Paddy Durack late of Ballyurra

Sunday 1st June

9.00am Tom O'Brien late of Moyne
Sheila Roche late of New Ross

12noon Hugh, Josephine (Cissie) & John Moody Fahys rd
Thomas, Nellie, James, Delia, Willie & Martin
McMahon late of Moyadda
Patrick & Mary Maguire late of Shannon Heights
& son in laws Niall Larkin & Michael Lorigan
Peggy, George & John Soffe late of Moore Street
Vincent & Teresa O'Grady late of Tullabrack
Mary & Jack Magner & Kitty St. John
Margaret, John & Tom McCormack
Paddy, Mary, Joseph & Patrick Downes
Nancy Kelleher
Patricia Carey Bart late of Chicago

Monday 2nd June—10.00am

Private Intention

Tuesday 3rd June –10.00am

Violet & Tommy Houlihan & deceased Houlihan & Flynn
families late of Vandeleur Street

Wednesday 4th June—10.00am

Thursday 5th June —Lay Led Liturgy

Friday 6th June—10.00am

Saturday 7th June

6.30pm Margaret (Mags) Rush late of Cappa
Maura & John Hayes late of Ballykett
Paddy & Peter Browne
Bridget & Stephen Casey & family, Crawford St
Joe Moody late of Henry Street
Sally Ann Walcott Breen, Shannon Hgts & Dublin
Jackie & Dotie Blunnie & daughter Imelda late of
Burton Street
John, Lourda & Florrie Devine late of Monmore
Ann Carmody late of Moore Street
James Lucas late of Ennis Road

Sunday 8th June

9.00am

12noon Remembrance Mass for Clergy



KILRUSH SHAMROCKS DRAW

Numbers Draw: 01, 24, 27, 08.

5 Lucky dip winners:

Paula Dunne, Michael Eustace, Martin Curran,
Joe Bonfield & Teresa Downes.

Next draw Monday 2nd June

Jackpot: **€10,000**



PSYCHOTHERAPY Introducing Donna Marie "Solas"

Psychotherapy in Ennis. I specialize in supporting parents whose adolescents are struggling with school refusal. With a trauma-informed and creative approach, my work is deeply rooted in professional training and practical experience to provide compassionate and effective support. For more information or to get in touch, please contact me at:

Phone: 089 211 6798

Email: donnamcariesolas@yahoo.com

WEST CLARE FRC ACTIVITIES FOR THE OVER 55'S-

Please note all the activities below take place in Kilrush Community Centre, unless otherwise specified.

QUIZ - Thursday 5th June @ 2.30pm. Challenge your memory and general knowledge while having fun!

CEOL agus TAE - Friday 6th June @ 11am. Bring your instrument and join us for a few tunes and a cuppa

TEA DANCE - Thursday 12th June @ 2.30pm. Music by Outback. Contact us on 065 9052173

HOST FAMILIES WANTED For International

students who will be attending Kilrush Community School. Periods of time vary for 4 months to a full year. I am looking for families who have boys and families who have girls age 12 to 16 years of age. Suitable applicants will be paid generously. Contact Mary Greene on - 086 1741506

SUNFLOWER DAY collection is on 6th & 7th

June in Aldi's Kilrush. Every euro raised locally stay locally. That means your donation will do directly to Milford Hospice so that they can continue to provide person-centred, holistic, loving care to all patients and their loved ones. Please support this great cause.



YIN & RESTORATIVE YOGA WITH

LIANNE at the Vandeleur Walled Gardens—Cultivating clarity, focus & inner peace. June Classes: Sunday 8th @10am–12noon & Mon 9th @10am—12noon. Contact Lianne at 087 767 5508



JOURNALING FOR WELLBEING at Kilkee Library

Discover a simple tool to support your wellbeing and mental health by taking part in a Journaling for Wellbeing workshop on Thurs 5th June from 10.30am to 1pm. This is a free event.

Book now by contacting: bookings@midwestaries.ie

A Healthy Ireland Event at the library, in partnership with Mid West Aries

50/50 DRAW Congratulations to Patrick Duffy who won €146 in last weeks draw, next draw Sat 7th June