

KILRUSH PARISH NEWSLETTER— SUNDAY 13TH JULY 2025

INIS CATHAIGH PASTORAL AREA



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EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

14th July Mary Moody
21st July Ann Vaughan
28th July Loretta Maher

WEEKDAY READERS ROTA

14th July Gearoid
21st July Sr. Mary
28th July Frances
4th Aug Peggy

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS ROTA

Sat 12th July @ 6.30pm
Caroline Bolton, Fiona Honan
Sun 13th @ 9am Joan Lyons
12noon Carol Clynych
Sat 19th July @ 6.30pm
Mary Watson, Michael Hogan
Sun 20th @ 9am Mary Clancy
12noon Caroline Howard, Teresa Lyons

BASKET & ENVELOPE 06/07/25

Basket: €1,080 **Envelope:** €860
Priest Collection: €70
Online: €145

SCATTERY ISLAND CELEBRATION

The annual Scattery Island Celebration will be celebrated on Sun 17th August @ 2.45pm. Bishop Fintan will join us on the day. There will be two departures from the Marina at 1pm & 2pm. Bookings to be made in person at the Scattery Island Tours Office at the Marina.



LAUDATO SI': CARE FOR OUR COMMON HOME

"Just as happens when we fall in love with someone, whenever [St. Francis] would gaze at the sun, the moon or the smallest of animals, he burst into song, drawing all other creatures into his praise.

He communed with all creation, even preaching to the flowers, inviting them "to praise the Lord, just as if they were endowed with reason." (Laudato Si', 11)



50/50 DRAW RESULTS

Congratulations to this weeks winner:

Emma Bolton who won **€175.**

Next draw is on Saturday 19th July after the 6.30pm mass. Envelopes are available at the church doors and from the Post Office Kilrush.

WELCOME—FÁILTE—BIENVENIDO—
WILLKOMEN—ACCUEIL—
BENVENUTO—
VELKOMMEN—POWITANIE—GAIDITS—
LAUKIAMAS—

A SUMMER PRAYER

Father, creator of all,
thank you for summer.

Thank you for the warmth of the sun
and the increased daylight hours.
Thank you for the beauty I see all around
me

and for the opportunity to be outside
and enjoy your creation.

Thank you for the increased time
I have to be with my friends and family
And for the more casual pace of the
summer season.

Draw me close to You this summer.

Teach me how I can pray,
no matter where I am or what I am doing.

Warm my soul with the awareness
of Your presence and light my path with
Your Word and Counsel.

As I enjoy your creation,
create in me a pure heart
and a hunger and thirst for You.

Amen

WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS AND THE ELDERLY

Theme "Blessed are those who have not lost hope" This event will take place on 25th July at Knock Shrine, with Archbishop Francis Duffy.

ART EXHIBITION

"Flowing.... a legacy from stitch to shore-line" Art exhibition by Ailish Malone from the 7th July to 2nd August in Cultúrlann Sweeney, Kilkee. All welcome.

SACRAMENTS 2026

The following are the dates
for Sacraments in 2026.

Confirmation

will take place on Saturday
7th March at 11am with
Bishop Fintan.

Holy Communion-

Gaelscoil Uí Choimín

Saturday 2nd May at 11am;

St. Senan's Primary School

Saturday 9th May at 11am.



REEK SUNDAY 2025

"May we continue to walk as pilgrims of hope"

Sunday 27th July is the annual pilgrimage to Croagh Patrick in Co. Mayo. This is years theme is "Christian Hope"

Masses hourly on the summit from 8am-2pm & Confessions 7.30am-2pm.



Parish Safeguarding Representatives: Niamh Bell & Mary Ryan

REMEMBERED IN MASS THIS WEEK



Pray for: Noel Lane late of Frances Street
May he rest in peace

Months Mind Mass

Thomas Shannon late of Pound Street
Mass Saturday 12th July @ 6.30pm

1st Anniversary Mass

Maura Carmody late of Vandeleur Street
Mass Sunday 13th July @ 12noon

Saturday 12th July

6.30pm Thomas Shannon late of Pound Street
John Joe Honan late of Shannon Heights
Patrick & Brigid Finn & deceased family, Pella Rd

Sunday 13th July

9.00am

12noon Maura Carmody late of Vandeleur Street
Alan Wright late of Harrow London
Flan Honan late of Dooneen Park
Margaret O'Dwyer late of The Square

Monday 14th July –10.00am

Tuesday 15th July– 10.00am

Mary Ann Flanagan late of Crawford Street

Wednesday 16th July—10.00am

Harvey & Essie Martin (nee Toppin) late of Moore Street

Thursday 17th July —Lay Led Liturgy

Friday 18th July—10.00am

Saturday 19th July

6.30pm Vincent McMahon late of Kilcarroll
Ann Casey late of Chapel Street
Kitty O'Connor late of St. Patrick's Terrace
Kathleen & Gerry O'Shea late of Chapel Drive
Catherine & Stevie Madigan late of Monmore

Sunday 20th July

9.00am

12noon Michael Liddane late of Gowerhass
Kevin, Cissie, Dermot & Kevin Lynch, Henry St
James Paul O'Brien late of O'Gorman Street



KILRUSH SHAMROCKS DRAW

Numbers Draw: 21, 29, 06, 13.

5 Lucky Dip winners Karen Tubridy,
Chris Dixon, Sean Moloney, Tommy Keller &
Bernie Finn

Next draw Sunday 13th July Jackpot: €1,100



WEST CLARE FRC ACTIVITIES FOR THE OVER 55'S-

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

FUNDRAISER - Bake Sale/Tea Coffee Morning -

Wednesday 23rd July 10am-1pm. All welcome!

MOVIE CLUB - Thursday 24th July @ 2pm. For further information please contact us on 065 9052173

COFFEE & DIP In aid of Milford Hospice at Cappa Kilrush. Sunday

27th July 2025 10am—2pm.

Fun activities for all the family.

Scan the QR code on any poster to

donate! Please support this very worthy cause.



BEAT THE DARKNESS Join us in the early hours of the morning as we come together on a reflective and powerful walk for suicide prevention and mental health awareness. Taking place in the stunning coastal town of Kilkee, this event symbolises hope, healing and community solidarity.
Date: August 10th 4.30am

Location : Band stand Kilkee

Tickets : beat the darkness on Eventbrite

All funds raised go to Happy Feet Happy Minds. This event is organised and sponsored by Evan Garvey Fitness

WEST CLARE CANCER CENTRE provide a valuable & confidential service to the community & beyond. To avail of the taxi service to & from chemotherapy & radiotherapy treatments, counselling & complementary therapies please contact us by phone 0659060762 or email westclarecancercentre@gmail.com

FREE SUMMER STARS CHILDREN'S WORKSHOPS

Kilrush Library is hosting 2 events with Celina Buckley on Wednesday 16th July. The first event from 10.30am - 11.30am is a creative storytelling activity, which is suitable for 6 - 9 year olds. The second event at 12pm - 1pm is an observational drawing workshop for children aged 9 - 11 years. Booking is necessary, contact Kilrush Library on 065 9051504

HOUSE OR APARTMENT NEEDED Ukranian man looking for a small house or apartment to rent in Kilrush or surrounding areas.

Text +380 98 9250313 or +353 89 2103593

KILKEE CIVIC TRUST weekly KCT Talks continues on Wednesday, 16th July at 8pm

Speaker: John Glynn

Talk Title: West Clare Wildlife: Stories behind the pictures

Venue: Cultúrlann Sweeney, Kilkee

FREE of Charge Entry and all are welcome / Donations Box at door