

# Kilkee Parish Newsletter

Sunday 30th March 2025



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### MASS Schedule - Kilkee Parish

LISDEEN Church Wednesday Evening: 7.00 p.m. KILKEE Church:

Friday Evening: 7.00 p.m. Sunday Morning: 11.00 a.m.

Masses celebrated in Kilkee Church can be accessed on the Kilkee Parish web page at www.kilkeeparish.com Mass Intentions can be booked for these Masses by contacting Kilkee Parish Office Tel: 065 9056580;

email: office@kilkeeparish.com

### Doonbeg Parish Mass Schedule:

Bealaha Church: Tuesday 7.00 p.m., Doonbeg Church: Thursday & Saturday 7.00 p.m. Masses from Doonbeg Church are live-streamed at www.doonbeggarish.com \*\*\*On Sunday Mornings there is a 9.00 a.m. Mass celebrated in KILRUSH Church

Recently Deceased
Breda Nicholson (née Crotty), Dublin & Fruir, Kilkee
(Sister of Jack Crotty) Maura Heffernan Nee O'Gorman, Limerick & Kilkee (Daughter of Mary O'Gorman, Marian Estate) Mary Costello, Late of Dún an Óir & Church Rd (Sister of Eugene Costello) Monica Collins, Dunlicky Rd & O'Curry St

#### **Mass Intentions**

Friday 28th March-KILKEE Church 7.00 p.m. Joseph Talty, Kilkee

Deceased members of the Hurst family, Lisdeen

**Sunday 30th March—KILKEE Church 11.00 a.m.**Funeral Mass—Monica Collins & Bernie Sheahan (Nee Collins)

Wednesday 2nd April-Lisdeen Church 7. 00 p.m. Special Intention

Friday 4th April-KILKEE Church 7.00 p.m.

#### Sunday 6th April-KILKEE Church 11.00 a.m.

Michael Nolan (Months mind) Eugene & Mary Stapleton Seamus Greene (2nd Anniversary) Jimmy, Lilly & Sr. Carmel Greene Jack Brew Fintan Brasill (2nd Anniversary) Tess Mascall Reg & Patricia Kerins Barbara Galvin (3rd Anniversary) Deceased members of the Galvin and Coyne Families





Weekend of the 30th March

Friday Evening 28th March 7.00 p.m. Maureen Flynn Sunday Morning 30th March 11.00 a.m. Keefsa Busher Weekend of the 6th April

Friday Evening 4th April 7.00 p.m. Mona Troy Sunday Morning 6th April 11.00 a.m. Tony Ludden

#### **Eucharistic Ministers**

Weekend of 30th March: Team A Weekend of 6th April: Team B



 $\boldsymbol{LENT}$  In our journey through the Season of Lent we are reminded to reflect on our patterns, to pray more deeply and to

**trocaire** 

be generous to those in need. The TRÓCAIRE Lenten Campaign helps us to focus on those in need in our world. Please take a Lenten Package home with you

The campaign this year highlights their work in Guatemala with families and communities there.

Further details on the Trócaire Lenten Campaign is in the Lenten Package and on the website: www.trocaire.org

We pray for God's blessing on the work of Trócaire. We pray that all people may continue to work together for the respect of our shared human dignity and shared human rights.



Cois Fharraige & Inis Cathaigh Pastoral Areas

## Lenten Service of Reconciliation Kilkee Church Sunday 13th April at 3.00 p.m.

Following the Reconciliation Service a

Lenten Parish Pilgrimage Walk will take place from Kilkee to St. Senan's Altar at Bansha commencing from Kilkee Church via Doonbeg Road and Lislanahan at 3.40 p.m.. You are invited to take part.



#### **Kilkee Parish Donations**

We thank you for your continued support of our parish collections. You can donate to the parish using the following methods:

- Placing your donation into the buckets at the entrance to Kilkee Church during Mass Times.
- Using the special secure boxes on the inside walls of Lisdeen and Kilkee churches at any time.
- Using the special Donate button on the parish website to make a contribution from your bank card.

If you prefer to use "cashless" methods for your donation to the parish using your bank card or mobile phone payment facility, you can use the "Tap 2 Donate" system near the TV screen at the entrance to Kilkee Church or the following QR Code will bring you to the portal for donations to the parish.



Alcoholics Anonymous: Contact no's : AA: Margaret M @ 087-1632643

Al-Anon: 01-8732699 087- 6899112

Making your Will? Please remember Kilkee Parish among the benefactors in

your will. Donations made in this manner will greatly assist the parish with its ongoing work.

#### Clarecare

4 Dooneen Park, Kilrush, Co. Clare V15 HY06 Tel: 065 905 2817

St Vincent de Paul Our confidential phone no is 086-2289868 and we are available to help in any way we can.

Society of

Drug Abuse

Information for parents on the issues involved. freephone Helpline 1800 459 459 or at the email support service (helpline@hse.ie) and is open Mon-



Kilkee Playaround & Astroturf Supporters Club In association with Kilkee Parish Monthly Subscription: €10 February 2025 Winners : €200: Pat & Mary McLoone

€100: Peter Flynn €50: Paul Connell €30: U & D Kilkee €20: Tara Murphy Special reduced rates for Yearly & Half-Yearly Subscriptions. Avail of our Half Yearly subscription €50. Further details from Kilkee Parish Office or Committee



St Senans Kilkee GAA Club Weekly Lotto Jackpot 25th March Jackpot: €10,000. Numbers Drawn: 1, 8, 25, 27, Lucky Dip Winners:

Joseph Hehir **Jodie Kett** Mary B McMahon **Daniel Palmer** Carmel & Michael Mulvihill Jackpot will remain at €10,000 next week's draw will takes place on Tues April 1st 2025.

#### Prauer for Peace in our World

Loving God, We pray for the people of Ukraine, those caught up in the Middle East conflict, and for all those affected in any way by war in our world that you will be close to them and protect them. We pray for world leaders, for compassion, strength and wisdom to guide their choices.

We pray for the world that in this moment of crisis, we may reach out in solidarity to our brothers and sisters in need.

May we walk in your ways so that peace and justice become a reality for the people who are suffering and for all the world. Amen.

"May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us. Pilarims of Hope, a yearning for the treasures of heaven. May that same grace spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer throughout the earth. To you our God, eternally



#### Lenten Video series for Jubilee of Hope 2025

During the season of Lent, Holy Week and Easter Octave Bishop Fintan will share short daily messages (between 30 seconds and a minute) centred around the theme of Hope each day. This will be available on the main social media platforms, Facebook, X (formerly Twitter), Instagram, Linked-in, Bluesky, Tiktok, YouTube. The handle for most platforms is @BishopFintan Some of the messages are from Bishop Fintan and many of them will also be from various people around the diocese, clergy, laity, women and men, young and old.

#### **West Clare Cancer Centre**

Here at the West Clare Cancer we provide a valuable service to our community and beyond. To avail of our taxi service to and from chemotherapy and radiotherapy treatments, counselling &

complementary therapies please contact us by phone 0659060762 or email

> westclarecancercentre@gmail.com Audiobooks are available at Clare

Library for the visually impaired with a special collection of books to listen to in MP3 format. This service can be sent to your home and returned via An Post at no cost. To avail of the service and for more info contact Kilrush Library on 065-9051504 or kilrush@clarelibrarv.ie

MEDJUGORJE PILGRIMAGES

Direct flights to Mostar-Mediugorie from Shannon in half the time.

From 21st to the 28th May and 27th to the 3rd September 2025 Cost is €875 per pilgrimage and a deposit of €200 secures you booking. These pilgrimages are with James Considine and Fr. Martin Shanahan as Spiritual Director. For further details contact James Considine on (065) 9059328 or 085 7385385.

West Clare Gaels Easter Camp Kilkee

2 camps for 3-5 years & 6-10 years Tuesday 22nd to Thursday 24th April 10am-2pm Daily. Lots of Fun & games for both girls and boys.€50- Discount for Siblings.

Scan QR on posters or Text 087 6923547 to register.

#### Fleadh Cheoil an Chlair.

The closing date for entries for Fleadh Cheoil an Chlair 2025 is Friday April 4th, The Teach Ceoil, Kilrush, V15PD89 will be open on Thursday from 6.30 to 8pm for those who wish to renew their membership and to enter the Fleadh.

Entries can also be dropped to Anne Hayes, Lissycasey V95H2X6 Late entries will NOT be accepted.

West Clare FRC Activities for the Over 55's Please note all the activities below take place in Kilrush Community Centre, unless otherwise specified. BOOK CLUB Thursday 3rd April @ 11.30am QUIZ TIME Thursday 3rd April @ 2,30pm, Challenge your memory and general knowledge while having fun! CEOL agus TAE Friday 4th April @ 11am. Beginners welcome. For further information please contact us on 065 9051173

Kilkee WW1 Deceased Patrick Griffin died 27.03.1915 Martin Crowe died 29.03.1918

#### Mass Stipend Offerings

In Kilkee Parish a number of people may request an intention for a Mass celebrated here in the Parish Church on a particular day. On occasions a number of such Anniversary Mass Intentions are specified for the celebration of the Eucharist. People requesting the intention donate a Stipend for the Mass to the priest. When a number of Intentions are requested for a Mass only one stipend is retained by the priest. Where a number of stipends have been donated for intentions of a particular Mass these stipends are then forwarded to assist with charitable work. Among the charitable organisations assisted in this manner in recent months are the following: West Clare Cancer Centre; Apostolic Workers Society; Trócaire; Kilkee Parish; Kilkee Playground & Astroturf.



We praise you, O God, for your gift of motherly love, both gentle and fierce, both strong and humble, both kind and true. Where we have been so

blessed, we give our grateful praise, for you have provided loving hands that have worked so hard in raising us, cared enough to correct us, blessed us in ways we cannot have fully known as children.