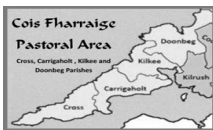


# Kilkee Parish Newsletter

Sunday 12th May 2024  
The Ascension of the Lord —Year B



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## Cois Fharráige Pastoral Area Clergy (Kilballyowen, Carrigaholt, Kilkee & Doonbeg Parishes):

**Fr. Gerry Kenny Co-P.P., Kilkee: 065-9056580 ;**  
**Fr. Michael Casey, Co-P.P., Cross: 065-9058008**  
Other Clergy: Fr. Pat Larkin, Kilrush: 065-9051093

### 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](http://www.kilkeeparish.com)  
Mass Intentions can be booked for these Masses by contacting  
Kilkee Parish Office Tel: 065 9056580;  
email: [office@kilkeeparish.com](mailto: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.doonbegparish.com](http://www.doonbegparish.com)

On Sunday Mornings a 9.00 a.m. Mass is celebrated in KILRUSH Church



#### Weekend of the 12th May

Friday Evening 10th May 7.00 p.m. Stephen Mulvihill  
Sunday Morning 12th May 11.00 a.m. Mary O'Dowd

#### Weekend of the 19th May

Friday Evening 17th May 7.00 p.m. Mairead Boland  
Sunday Morning 19th May 11.00 a.m. Paddy McInerney

#### Eucharistic Ministers

Weekend of 12th May: Team B

Weekend of 19th May: Team C



### Ascension ...



Ascended Lord, at the right hand of the Father, you tower over time, and all things find their fulfilment in you. And yet you ask, in all humility and without pressure, to be Lord of our lives too. Give us the good sense to say yes, to let your presence fill us with gratitude and your graceful wisdom direct our lives.

Ascended Lord, we see a world of beauty and tragedy. We pray that your ways of peace and justice may increasingly sideline the ways of violence and contempt. Bless the work of peacemakers and establish a common passion for justice and the gift of hope throughout the world.

Ascended Lord, as we look ahead, we pray that in every part of our lives and relationships you will be Lord leading us to respect and nurture each other and your creation in your grace.



Next Saturday—18th May- the children of our parish schools in Moyasta and Scoil Réalt na Mara will receive the Eucharist for the first time. The ceremony times will be :  
Lisdeen Church 11.00 a.m.  
Kilkee Church 1.00 p.m.

### 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: Brigid G @ 087-7618819  
Al-Anon: 01-8732699

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

**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.

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

#### Drug Abuse

Information for parents on  
the issues involved.  
Phone lo-call 1850 700 850  
(Monday- Friday 2-5pm)

#### Newsletter Notices to :

[office@kilkeeparish.com](mailto:office@kilkeeparish.com)

**Deadline: Thursday - 12 noon**



**Kilkee Playground &  
Astroturf Supporters Club**  
In association with Kilkee Parish  
Monthly Subscription : €10  
April 2024 Winners :  
€200: Emer Hardiman

€100: Jimmy Fitzpatrick

€50: Luke Haugh

€30: Mary McGrath, Chapel St.

€20: Paul Connell

Special reduced rates for Yearly & Half-Yearly Subscriptions.  
Avail of our Half Yearly subscription €50.  
Further details from Kilkee Parish Office or Committee  
Members of Kilkee Playground & Astroturf

**St Senans Kilkee GAA Club**  
Weekly Lotto Jackpot 7th May 2024  
Jackpot: €10,000.

Numbers Draw : 2,5,6,22.

Lucky dip winners .

**Christy Kirwan Ronan Browne**  
**Paula Kett Jimmy Fitzpatrick**

**Sinead Greehy**  
**Jackpot will remain at €10,000 next week's**  
**draw will take place on Tues May 14th 2024.**

### Prayer for Peace in our World

Loving God, We pray for the people of Ukraine, those caught up in the Israeli-Hamas 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.

### Activities for the over 55's in Kilrush Community Centre

Walking group – 5 weeks, starting Tuesday 28/05 - Meet at 2.30pm in Kilrush Community Centre. Enjoy some movement in great company, breathe in the fresh air and get your daily dose of vitamin D! €2 pps,  
Bealtaine concert – Teresa Carrig, Thursday 16th of May @ 2.30pm  
Bealtaine concert – Eoin O'Neill & Clara Buteler, Thursday 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, Thursday 30th May @ 2.30pm For more details and enquiries, on 065 905 2173



### West Clare Cancer Centre

Here at The West Clare Cancer Centre we provide a valuable service to our community and beyond. To avail of our taxi services, counselling, complementary therapies & more please contact us by phone 0659060762 / [westclarecancerctre@gmail.com](mailto:westclarecancerctre@gmail.com)

#### PCI Counselling

Whatever you are going through we are here to help, PCI counselling service is now available free of charge in Kilkee and locations nationwide. To speak confidentially and arrange an appointment with a counsellor please call 0818 555 450

#### Clare Suicide Bereavement Support

It may help to talk confidentially.

Contact 086 0565373 or

087 3698315/ [www.claresuicidebereavementsupport.com](http://www.claresuicidebereavementsupport.com)

#### Dementia Inclusive Social Club

[www.alzheimer.ie](http://www.alzheimer.ie) Third Wednesday of Every Month, 2-4 pm  
Kilrush Parish Hall We are free and open to anyone looking for a calm, supportive environment for relaxed tea and chat. Contact Hadley 0871898711/+353 87 624 0839 for bookings.

Do you have a need for permanent three-bedroom accommodation in Kilkee?

Kilkee Housing Association CLG is an Approved Housing Body seeking to provide housing solutions, where possible, in Kilkee and the surrounding area.

The Association is now considering the potential for the development of further housing schemes in the area and wishes to assess the local housing need.

It is particularly interested in learning about those seeking 3-bedroom accommodation, who are in a position to provide it for themselves.

If you are in need of a 'rented', or 'rent to buy', three-bedroom house, then we would invite you to complete a survey form to help us assess the current need.

This form can be obtained by emailing [khaclsurvey@gmail.com](mailto:khaclsurvey@gmail.com) and requesting it be emailed to you. The closing date for participation in this particular survey will be Monday the 27th May.

#### Kilkee Community Market Returns

And will take place every Saturday from 12-2pm outside the Greyhound Bar, O'Curry St. Featuring the best of local organic produce and local crafters and artists.

Please support,

#### Last wildlife talk

Is on Saturday May 11th in Kilkee Cúirtlann Sweeney at 8pm. "Every Song: My quest to record all of Ireland's Birds"

Donation to West Clare Wildlife Club at door

#### The Annual Community Games Athletics day

Is taking place in Ennis on June 2nd, this includes short and long sprints & running from ages 6-16. If there any children in the parish interested in taking part on this day, please email [kilkee@communitygames.eu](mailto:kilkee@communitygames.eu).

#### 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 Gardaí and traffic marshals for everyone's safety,  
Thank You.

#### Giggles Montessori Preschool

Is seeking expressions of interest in an afternoon preschool session for September. This will run from 12.30 to 3.30 Monday to Friday. It will be for children eligible for the ECCE scheme only and will depend on numbers. information 0868771233 /

[gigglesmontessori@gmail.com](mailto:gigglesmontessori@gmail.com)

#### Kilkee WW1 Deceased

John Green died 04.05.191

James Buckley died 09.05.1915

Martin O'Brien died 09.05.1915