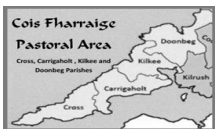




# Kilkee Parish Newsletter

Sunday 9th February 2025



Website: www.kilkeeparish.com  
Email: office@kilkeeparish.com  
Parish Office: 065-9056580

**Alcoholics Anonymous:**  
Contact no's :  
AA: Margaret M @ 087-1632643  
Al-Anon: 01-8732699 087- 6899112

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

## 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. Tony Casey, Cooraclare 0659059008

**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.

**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-

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

**Kilkee Playground & Astro turf Supporters Club**  
In association with **Kilkee Parish**  
Monthly Subscription : €10  
January 2025 Winners :  
€200: Bernadette Collins  
€100: Tara Murphy €50: John Lynch  
€30: Elizabeth Martin €20: Margaret O'Sullivan  
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 & Astro turf

**St Senans Kilkee GAA Club**  
Weekly Lotto Jackpot 4th February  
Jackpot: €10,000.  
Numbers Drawn : 7, 11, 12, 18.  
Lucky Dip Winners:  
Marie McDonnell Bebhinn McGrath  
Aisling Moloney Donal O'Donoghue  
Emmett, Noah & Clogagh Dooley  
Jackpot will remain at €10,000 next week's draw will take place on Tues February 11th 2025.

*Prayer 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, Pilgrims 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 blessed, be glory and praise for ever. Amen"*

*"To be grateful is to recognise the Love of God in everything God has given us—and God has given us everything. Every breath we draw is a gift of God's love, every moment of existence is a grace"*  
- Thomas Merton



### 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 please contact us by phone 0659060762 / westclarecancercentre@gmail.com

### The Irish Red Cross

The Irish Red Cross Clare would like to thank the people who supported our recent Church Gate Collections in Kilkee parish Church for their very kind donation of €440.00

All fund raised is for Clare Community Services – Supporting the People of Co. Clare  
Community Support Services Contact James Lafferty Clare Community Officer (086)8323456

### West Clare FRC Activities for the Over 55's

Please note all the activities below take place in Kilrush Community Centre, unless otherwise specified.  
January/February BIRTHDAY PARTY,  
Thursday 6th Feb @2.30pm  
CEOL agus TAE: Friday 7th Feb @11am  
TEA DANCE: Thursday 13th Feb @2pm with Patrick Roche  
For further information please contact us on 065 9052173

### Lisdeen Cemetery

Group currently being formed in relation to the interests of Lisdeen Cemetery ,its general care and upkeep.  
Those who are interest please contact the Parish Office 065 905 6580 or office@kilkeeparish.com with your details.

### Farrihy Graveyard

During 2024, Farrihy graveyard had an uplift with the entry road upgraded.

The committee are holding a meeting on Thursday February 20th at Hickey's Bar, Kilkee at 8pm.to discuss further works at the graveyard. Anyone with family members interned in Farrihy and any interested party are very welcome to attend.

### Meeting of Clare Kidney Association

Thursday 13th at 8-pm  
Discussion in getting a dialysis in to Ennis.  
In Cois Na hAibhne on the Gort Rd. Ennis  
Kilkee Library Drawing and Art Classes.  
Community Education Classes LCETB

You are invited to join local artist Gene Clohessy for a series of six drawing and art classes at Kilkee Library. The classes will be held each Friday morning from 10.30am to 1.30pm from the 28th February to the 4th April.

Booking is essential. Please contact the library at 065 9056034 or kilkee@clarelibrary.ie for bookings or further information.

### Parish Newsletter

All notices for Kilkee Parish Newsletter need to be in by Noon on Thursdays to be included in the weekly edition.

### Eucharistic Ministers & Liturgical Readers

A sincere Thank You to all our Eucharistic Ministers and Readers you have given continuous support to Kilkee Parish. It is that time again when we invite new members of our Parish Community to join our existing teams. Participation in the Celebration of the Mass makes the ceremony more meaningful. Visiting Eucharistic Ministers and Readers are most welcome.  
For further information contact Fr. Kenny at 065 9056580.



### Weekend of the 9th February

Friday Evening 7th February 7.00 p.m. Maureen Flynn  
Sunday Morning 9th February 11.00 a.m. Keefsa Busher

### Weekend of the 16th February

Friday Evening 14th February 7.00 p.m. Mona Troy  
Sunday Morning 16th February 11.00 a.m. Tony Ludden

### Eucharistic Ministers

Weekend of 9th February: Team B  
Weekend of 16th February: Team C



### Reflection...



Loving God, we thank you for the relationships that feed grace into our lives, the people we can rely on implicitly, who love us and cheer us on. May we return love for love, life for life, and cherish those very special close relationships.

Loving God, we pray for those who are struggling with key relationships, especially for those relationships where love seems to have lost the will to live. Give them grace to renew the relationship or, if necessary, grace to fail—for you always desire love that lives, not love that has died. Please comfort, heal, restore or release—whatever is best and true.

Loving God, open our hearts to new relationships and friendships. Prevent us from turning inward and cultivating only what's familiar and comfortable. Help us to receive everyone we meet as Christ, and to enjoy the richness of other lives and stories. Help us to set aside prejudice and see Jesus in every neighbour.

Loving God, you have made us to live together in community. No one is an island, entire of itself: we are all "a piece of the continent, a part of the main". We pray for the community in which we are set physically, and the various communities of which we personally are a part. In all we say and do, make us a community of grace.

### 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.



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.doonbegparish.com

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

### Mass Intentions

**Friday 7th February—KILKEE Church 7.00 p.m.**  
James O'Neill  
Johnny (Baker) Haugh, (4th Anniversary)  
Mary Deloughery, Marian Est (4th Anniversary)



**Sunday 9th February—KILKEE Church 11.00 a.m.**  
Bridie Lyons, Tarmon (1st Anniversary)  
Deceased members of the Lyons & Lillis Family  
Michael Lyons  
Michael Crowley, Moyasta  
George Admanowski  
Thomas & Jenny Keane  
Patrick & Margaret McTigue  
Stapleton Family, Dough

**Wednesday 12th February - Lisdeen Church 7. 00 p.m.**  
Special Intention

**Friday 14th February—KILKEE Church 7.00 p.m.**  
P.J Keane, Railway Rd  
Pat Moroney, Moyasta  
Seán Marrinan, Miltown Rd.)

**Sunday 16th February—KILKEE Church 11.00 a.m.**  
Gilbert Heaney (Months Mind)  
Christina Marrinan (Months Mind)  
Sean O'Mara, Dublin & Kilkee (Months Mind)  
Michael Murray  
James Lillis  
Finbar Harte Jnr (2nd Anniversary)

