# Kilkee Parish Newsletter

Sunday 6th December 2020 2nd Sunday of Advent



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Cois Fharraige 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

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#### Kilkee Parish Mass Times

Sun 6th Dec	Public Mass Kilkee 11.00 a.m.	Live-Stream on Parish webcam 11.00 a.m.
Tuesday 8th December (Feast of the Immaculate Conception)	Public Mass Kilkee 10.00 a.m.	Live-Stream on Parish webcam 10.00 a.m.
Wed 9th Dec	Public Mass Lisdeen 7.00 p.m.	
Fri 11th Dec	Public Mass Kilkee 7.00 p.m.	Live-Stream on Parish webcam 7.00 p.m.
Sun 13th Dec	Public Mass Kilkee 11.00 a.m.	Live-Stream on Parish webcam 11.00 a.m.

## **Recently Deceased** Rina Behan, Grattan St. Kilkee.

Bernie Haugh, West End, Kilkee. Nellie Curtin, Kildimo, Kilkee.



# MASS INTENTIONS requested

Friday 4th December KILKEE Church 7.00 p.m. Jim Marrinan Anna Garry

Sunday 6th December KILKEE Church 11.00 a.m. Ann Tweedy (1st Anniversary)

Sue & Frank McInerney Kenny & Therese Hayes Special Intention

Tuesday 8th December Kilkee Church 10.00 a.m. James & Mary Slattery

Wednesday 9th December LISDEEN Church 7.00 p.m. Special Intention

Friday 11th December KILKEE Church 7.00 p.m. Mary & Michael Linnane

Tony Clancy Aishlinn Madden Joe , Brid & Paddy Kett, Farrihy

Sunday 13th December KILKEE Church 11.00 a.m.

Pa Joe Linnane Johnny & Nano Linnane Fr. Pat Malone Tom, Mary & Tommy Carey Maura Hennigan (Nee Barry) Circular Rd.

> Christmas Mass Bouquets Are now available from the Parish Office.

# MASS Schedule - Kilkee Parish

Following the current Health Guidelines no Public Masses are being celebrated in our Churches at this time apart from Funeral Mass with certain limitations. Fr. Kenny will continue to celebrate Mass for your intentions which will be live streamed on the parish web page www.kilkeeparish.com Wednesday & Friday: KILKEE Church 7.00 p.m. Sunday: KILKEE Church 11.00 a.m.



# An Advent Prayer Waiting for the Redeemer

Advent is the time when we are reminded that we have to wait for God. We cannot grasp God, we cannot possess

God, we cannot see God; we can only wait for God to let himself be known.

And when we wait for God we confess our own incompleteness, we acknowledge that there is always more to God than what we know.

When we wait for God, our waiting is a prayer-like that of Mary:

we testify to our own poverty and to God's greatness.

# Video Reflections for Advent

During these weeks of Advent we invite you to join us for short reflection and prayer for each day of the Season. I will be joined by pupils from the Primary schools of Doonbeg and Kilkee parishes for these reflections.

The reflections can be viewed on Kilkee parish Facebook

and Doonbeg parish Facebook pages.



Feast of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary Tuesday 8th December

Mass Times: KILKEE Church: 10.00a.m. Doonbeg Church: 7.00 p.m.

Both Masses are open to the public with limited capacity. Both Masses will be streamed live on the relevant parish webcam.

"Hail Mary full of Grace the Lord is with thee"

Alcoholics Anonymous: Contact no's : AA: Brigid G @ 087-7618819 Al-Anon: 065-9080228 &

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 Providing a range of support

services for people in the county. Contact: 065 6828178

Society of St Vincent de Paul

Our confidential phone no

we are available to help

is 086-2289868

in any way we can.

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

Drug Abuse

# Newsletter Notices to:

office@kilkeeparish.com

Deadline: Thursday - 12 noon

# **Parish Donations**

Thank you to all who continue to support our parish with your continued donations.

- Parishioners wish to contribute at this time they may do so by leaving their envelope in the letterbox of my house or by leaving them at the special collection box at Keane's, Lisdeen.
- Collection Points for you to place your donation are available at the entrances/exits of our Churches.
- We are grateful to those of you who continue to support the Special Fund for the recent repairs to Kilkee Church Roof.
- There is also a special DONATE button on the Parish website if you would like to make a secure contribution in this way to support the parish.

May God continue to protect you. Fr. Gerry.

Kilkee Church will be open for private prayer at the following times: 10a.m. to 6.00 p.m.

Lisdeen church is open in the afternoons.

# Mass Schedule for December

Public Masses resume in our Churches this month. However, in accordance with guidelines capacity will be limited. You are welcome to join us also on our parish webcam for these Masses at www.kilkeeparish.com

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

Mass Intentions can be booked for these Masses by contacting Fr. G. Kenny at Kilkee Parish Office, Tel: 065 9056580

The following Masses will be live-streamed from Doonbeg Church at www.doonbegparish.com: Tuesday, Thursday & Saturday evenings at 7.00 p.m.

# Kilkee Parish Website

# www.kilkeeparish.com

You can access the webcam for our Masses from Kilkee church at the website.

There is also a facility on the website for you to make a donation online to the parish.

Our newsletter and updates will be published on the website.

# Kilkee Parish Facebook Page

Short video reflections and other items are available on this page.



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

Patients wishing to avail of the services can contact the office from 11a.m. to 2p.m Mon to Fri. 065 9060762/9056181

# St. Vincent de Paul-St. Senans' Conference Kilkee

It is that time of year when we put out our appeal for help to assist us in our work of the continued helping of "People in Need". This year has been difficult for all of us, and more difficult for the poor lonely and those in financial difficulties. We cannot take up our annual collection this year due to COVID-19, therefore we are appealing to you all for your continued generosity to us. Collection Boxes and Envelopes are available in all the shops in town.

Donations made by using the envelopes can be sent to Sr. Marie Ryan, Milltown Rd, Kilkee Co. Clare .

In conclusion we want to thank you all most sincerely for your loyal support in the past. Wishing you all a Very Happy Christmas and Safe New Year.

#### THE LIGHTHOUSE

Is a West Clare Mental Health Association project that promotes positive mental health and wellbeing within the community of West Clare through a range of activities. THE LIGHTHOUSE is open to all, including: Those seeking support for themselves, their family members and supporters, and all interested in supporting and promoting mental health in West Clare. At THE LIGHTHOUSE you can always expect... • A safe, open and friendly atmosphere • A place that is non-clinical • A place that is non-judgmental and inclusive for all • A place to drop in for a cup of tea and a chat • A place to meet others with similar life experiences • A place to learn from each others experiences and to reduce stigma • A place of education and training that promotes wellbeing in the community. Contact: James Fennelly Peer Support Coordinator The Lighthouse, Lime Kiln Road, Kilrush, Co Clare, V15 XC58 Mobile 086 6043473

westclaremha@mentalhealthireland.ie or find us on Facebook

#### Remembrance Note

On the 19th of November 1850, 170 years ago 92 souls lost their lives with the sinking of the Edmond.



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