

# Kilkee Parish Newsletter

Sunday 2nd January 2022  
Second Sunday of Christmas —Year C



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

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.

### Drug Abuse

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

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

**Clarecare**  
Providing a range of support services for people in the county.  
Contact: 065 6828178

**Newsletter Notices to :**  
office@kilkeeparish.com  
*Deadline: Thursday - 12 noon*



**Kilkee Playground & Astro turf Supporters Club**  
In association with Kilkee Parish  
Monthly Subscription : €10  
December 2021 Winners :  
€200: Emer & Daisy Hardiman €100: Orla & Keira Hardiman  
€50: Matt Corbett €30: Marian Dooley  
€20: Nolan's Traditional Fish & Chips  
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

**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

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**Clare Suicide Bereavement Support**  
Are you finding it difficult to cope with a death by suicide of a family member, relative or friend? It may help to talk to a Clare Suicide bereavement Support Volunteer. We offer confidential and free support to people who have experienced a death by suicide.  
Contact 086 0565373 or 087 3698315.  
www.claresuicidebereavementsupport.com



**KILRUSH ART GROUP**  
Are Hosting An Exhibition Titled 'WINTERS'SILENT NIGHT' In Kilkee Library. It runs Through To JAN 6TH. Please Feel Free To Pop In and View Their Art Pieces.  
Open Only During Library Hours.

**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. P. Larkin, Kilrush: 065-9062729

### Kilkee Parish Mass Times

|   |                                      |                              |
|---|--------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Friday 31st December<br><i>New Years Eve</i>      | Public Mass Kilkee 7.00p.m.          | Live-Stream on Parish webcam |
| Saturday 1st January 2022<br><i>New Years Day</i> | Public Mass Kilkee 12 Noon           | Public Mass                  |
| Sunday 2nd January                                | Public Mass Kilkee 11.00 a.m.        | Live-Stream on Parish webcam |
| Wednesday 5th January                             | Public Mass Lisdeen 7.00 p.m.        | Public Mass                  |
| Thursday 6th January                              | Public Mass KILKEE Church 10.00 a.m. | Feast of the Epiphany        |
| Friday 7th January                                | Public Mass Kilkee 7.00 p.m.         | Live-Stream on Parish webcam |
| Sunday 9th January                                | Public Mass Kilkee 11.00 a.m.        | Live-Stream on Parish webcam |

### MASS Schedule - Kilkee Parish

**LISDEEN Church :** Wednesday evening - 7.00 p.m.  
**KILKEE Church :**  
Thursday 6th January : 10.00 a.m.  
Friday evening : 7.00 p.m. ; Sunday morning : 11.00 a.m.



**Kilkee Readers weekend of the 2nd January 2022**  
Friday Evening 31st December Kilkee 7.00 p.m.: Hilda Toews  
Sunday Morning 2nd January 2022 11.00 a.m.: Paddy McInerney  
**Weekend of the 9th January 2022**  
Friday Evening 7th January Kilkee 7.00 p.m.: Gerard Walsh  
Sunday Morning 9th January 11.00 a.m.: Frances Keane



"For we observed his star at its rising..." (Matthew 2:2)

How ancient and lovely this news of a star,  
A baby, a mother, the kings from afar,  
Come close now, Lord Jesus, we ask you to stay  
And show us your face in your people today.

What star shall we follow by one that leads here  
To a baby born homeless and a family in fear?  
What heaven shall we long for but one that starts there  
For all the world's children in your tender care?

We thank you Lord Jesus, for coming to earth;  
For the lights in the darkness that shone at your birth,  
For life in its fulness that your promise today,  
And the hope in a baby asleep on the hay.

Rebecca Dudley



### New Year Prayer

God our Father, give us an appreciation of the many gifts You have given us during the past year—difficult and all that it has been

Help us bless you in return during the coming year by sharing some of our gifts with others.

Grant Eternal Rest to those we have loved who have gone before us in the past year.

May Your Holy Spirit guide our journey to You in all we do this coming year. Amen.

### Video Reflections for the Christmas & New Year Season

During these weeks we invite you to join us for short reflection and prayer for each day of the Season. Pupils from the Primary schools of Doonbeg and Kilkee parishes lead us for some of these reflections.

The reflections can be viewed on Kilkee parish Facebook and Doonbeg parish Facebook pages.

### Recently Deceased



Terry Sherlock,  
Monasteraden, Sligo / Ballaghaderreen, Roscommon  
(brother of Mary Carey, Emlagh)  
Mary Flanagan, Farrihy

### MASS INTENTIONS requested

**Friday 31st Dec. New Years Eve KILKEE Church 7.00 p.m.**  
Whyte, Taylor, Hassett, McDonnell & Lucey Families  
Christmas Mass Bouquets Intentions

**Saturday 1st January. New Years Day KILKEE Church 12 Noon**  
Christmas Mass Bouquets Intentions

**Sunday 2nd January KILKEE Church 11.00 a.m.**  
Susan Kelly 1st Anniversary  
Terry Sherlock, Co. Sligo  
Frank McCarthy  
May & Bernard Costello  
Paul & Cyril Costello  
Kevin Marrinan  
Timmy & Mary Carmody

**Wednesday 5th January LISDEEN Church 7.00 p.m.**  
Special Intention

**Thursday 6th January, Feast of the Epiphany—KILKEE Church 10.00 a.m.**

Stephen & Anna Mulvihill  
**Friday 7th January KILKEE Church 7.00 p.m.**  
Jimmy & Raymond O'Neill  
Bernadette Collins

**Sunday 9th January KILKEE Church 11.00 a.m.**  
Sean Foran

## Cois Fharráige Pastoral Area Fundraising Draw 2022

Kilballyowen (Cross), Carrigaholt, Kilkee & Doonbeg

### €4,000 worth of prizes!

**1st Prize: 7 nights in Doonbeg Holiday Cottage (2nd – 9th July 2022)**  
+ Welcome Gift by Holly's Café, Kilkee  
+ €100 Restaurant Voucher – Keatings, Kilbaha  
+ €100 Restaurant Voucher – Naughtons, Kilkee  
+ Kilkee Waterworld pass for family of 4  
+ E-bike Hire in Carrigaholt for 4 people

**2nd Prize: Golf at Trump International Golf Links for 4 people**  
+ €100 Restaurant Voucher for Igoe Inn, Doonbeg

**3rd Prize: One Stud Fee for Shannondale Stud Sire, Canturex V.D.F. to the value of €800 for 2022.**  
(This Stud Fee is transferable.)  
+ €100 Restaurant Voucher for Hickey's, Kilkee

**4th Prize: Golf at Kilkee Golf Club for 4 people**  
+ €100 Restaurant Voucher for Pollock & Porter Restaurant, Kilkee

**5th Prize: €200**

**6th Prize: €100 Restaurant Voucher for Keane's, Lisdeen**

**7th Prize: €100 Restaurant Voucher for Diamond Rocks, Kilkee**

**8th Prize: €100 Restaurant Voucher for The Long Dock, Carrigaholt**

<https://onlinefundraiser.ie/cois-fharráige/>

**Tickets €10.00 Buy Online**

All proceeds to assist the parishes on the Loop Head Peninsula (Carrigaholt, Cross, Kilkee & Doonbeg)  
Your help is needed & greatly appreciated.  
Thank you for your generosity.

Permit granted by An Garda Síochána

Draw will take place on Sat, 26th March 2022