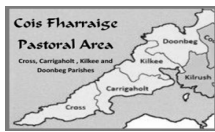


Kilkee Parish Newsletter

Sunday 22nd January 2023
3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time —Year A



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

Alcoholics Anonymous:
Contact no's :
AA: Brigid G @ 087-7618819
Al-Anon: 01-8732699

Clarecare
4 Dooneen Park, Kilrush, Co. Clare
V15 HYO6
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
Deadline: Thursday - 12 noon

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 7.00p.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.

Recently Deceased

Kathleen Dinan, (nee Kett) Ennis & Kilkee
(sister of Josephine Dillon)



MASS INTENTIONS requested

Friday 20th January— KILKEE Church 7.00p.m.

Orla Hartnett, 1st Anniversary
Madge Barry
Martin (Mattie) Ryan, Ball Alley Lane
Brendan Madigan
Michael Mahoney, Emlagh, Moyasta & Tyrone
Special Intention

Sunday 22nd January KILKEE CHURCH 11.00 a.m.

Kathleen Geary (Months Mind)
John Hubbard
Michael King
George & Elizabeth Bradley
Michael Kirwan (13th Anniversary)
Sarah May
Mary Behan
Jimmy Leyden, Marine Parade
Allen Leyden
Martin James Lynch

Wednesday 25th January LISDEEN Church 7.00p.m.

John Conway & Helen Dooley

Friday 27th January— KILKEE Church 7.00p.m.

Mary Ann Haugh, Corbally

Sunday 29th January KILKEE CHURCH 11.00 a.m.

Special Intention

Catholic Schools Week

Over the coming week we celebrate the role and the work of our Catholic schools in our parish and wider community. The theme for this year's celebration is "Walking together in Faith and Love". We pray God's blessing on all engaged in our school communities.



Weekend of the 22nd January 2023

Friday Evening 20th January Kilkee 7.00 p.m. Mona Troy

Sunday Morning 22nd January 11.00 a.m.: Marina Keane

Weekend of the 29th January 2023

Friday Evening 27th January Kilkee 7.00 p.m. Pat Haugh

Sunday Morning 29th January 11.00 a.m.: Shay Hynes

Reflection....

Christ is the light of the world.

His light was not lit once in Palestine

and then extinguished.

It continues to shine for all who believe in him.

It is a persistent and defiant light that no darkness can overpower.

Lord Jesus, may your gentle and sure light guide us along the unfolding road we travel, so that we may walk with confidence towards the light that never fades and the life that never ends.

Prayer for the People of Ukraine

Loving God, We pray for the people of Ukraine, for all those suffering or afraid 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 of Ukraine and for all the world. Amen.

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.



Kilkee Playground & Astro turf Supporters Club
In association with Kilkee Parish
Monthly Subscription : €10
Special reduced rates for Yearly & Half-Yearly Subscriptions. Avail of our Half Yearly subscription €50.
Special Reduced rates for Clubs.
Further details from Kilkee Parish Office or Committee Members of Kilkee Playground & Astro turf.

St Senans Kilkee GAA Club
Weekly Lotto Jackpot 17th January 2023
Jackpot: €10,000. No Jackpot Winner!
Numbers Drawn Were: 2, 11, 29, 31
Joseph Hehir - Online Teresa Downes - Kilkee
John Kathleen Flynn - Online Brian Gillespie - Online
Eithne Fawl - Online
Congratulations to the Ten Lucky Dip winners of €50
Next Draw will be held on Tuesday 24th January 2023.

The West Clare Mini Marathon

Will celebrate its 25th anniversary on the 29th of January 2023. We are delighted to announce that we will once again be gathering together as a community and taking to the road. All participants are asked to register online at www.westclarecancercentre.ie All adults who register online will receive a medal on the day to mark our 25th year. Route 7k Coastal road Kilkee finishing at community centre, Kilkee where we will have music and refreshments on the day. Please contact 0659060762 or 0872699184 for any further information.

Kilkee Community College success at BTYS

On Wednesday 11th January Ailish Murrinan, Caragh Killeen and Cian McInerney travelled alongside their Science teacher Ms Laura Egan to represent Kilkee CC at the BTYS exhibition in the RDS. Their project entitled ' Kelpoleum; Sugar kelp biofuel as an alternative to petroleum fuel' made great waves from the start with interest from RTE, The Irish Independent, The Clare Champion and many other media sources. The students extracted oil from sugar kelp seaweed which could have potential to be used as an alternative to petrol/diesel. Their project won a special award for their artistic display and was highly commended at the competition of 550 projects. The experience culminated with an appearance on the Late Late show where the students were excellent representatives for themselves, the school and 'lovely west Clare'.

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

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 confidentially. Contact 086 0565373 or 087 3698315. www.claresuicidebereavementsupport.com

West Clare Mental Health Association

Peer Support Meetings every Tue & Fri 7-9pm in The Lighthouse Kilrush. Weekly Woodland Walk Tues 11am Vandeleur Woods Kilrush Contact 085 8559511 email:westclaremha@mentalhealthireland.ie

Homework Club Tutors

Clare Local Development Company are hiring Homework Project Tutors for Kilkee. Applicants must have an understanding of the primary school curriculum and a background in primary school teaching/childcare/classroom assistant/youth work or special needs assistant is desirable. Experience of working with children in a school or afterschool setting would be an advantage. The positions are term time only. Applicants must be committed to working with children through a social inclusion model. Garda vetting will apply and references are required. Please send CV and a short cover letter to dgreene@cldc.ie For further information contact Darina Greene dgreene@cldc.ie on 065 6866800.

ALONE

Would you be willing to provide companionship to an Older Person for one hour per week? ALONE are currently seeking volunteers for their Visitation Support and Befriending Service in the Kilkee area. For more information, contact Aoife at Aoife.dennehy@alone.ie or 086 0120221.

Regional Tour Guiding Course QQI L6

Commencing in Milltown Malbay Resource Centre Start Date: 31st January 2023. The course is part time and takes place three days each week from 10am to 2pm. Further details from Maire Dempsey on 0867807940, or email maire.dempsey@lctcb.ie

Living Well

Is a free group programme, delivered over six workshops (2.5 hrs per week for 6 weeks). It is delivered by trained leaders, most of whom are also living with long-term health conditions. www.hse.ie/LivingWell Upcoming dates for Co Clare & Online: Thursday 9th March to 13th April From 11am-1.30pm at Kilkee Library. Contact Philip Hennessy Tel: 087 -1799396

Email: philip.hennessy2@hse.ie or Liz Cox Tel: 087-1799392, email: liz.cox@hse.ie
Experienced Primary School teachers

Available in the West Clare area for after school tuition for children who might have fallen behind or lack confidence in a particular subject area. Registered with the Teaching Council and Garda vetted. For further details contact 0862049511.

Parent Classes

Kilkee Library in partnership with the LCTEB will host a trio of workshops for parents. All workshops begin on Thursday 9th February they will run for 10 weeks. Booking is essential for each class. Please contact Mary Flanagan LCTEB and book your place: mary.flanagan@lcteb.ie or 065 6897645
My Baby and Me Classes 10 am to 12pm. These classes will resume at the library and are suited for parents and toddlers up to 3. Storybags! From 12.30 to 2pm (Parents only) Create a Storybag for your child, with artist Ruth Woods. Bring home some free books and discover lots of fun things to do with your child. Art Workshop, 2pm to 4pm. The course is for parents and is an ideal way to meet other parents and have some time to yourself, while creating some lovely artworks and learning new skills.

Looking for a lift to Shannon

A resident of Kilkee Bay Hotel started a new job in Shannon. She would like a lift and is happy to contribute toward expenses. If you can help, please contact Kathy at 086 109 8533 .