Kilkee Parish Newsletter

Sunday 2nd April 2023 Palm Sunday—Year A



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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

Other Clergy: Fr. Pat Larkin, Kilrush: 065-9051093; Fr. Des Hillery, Kilrush 065-9062729

Recently Deceased

Margaret Scannell (nee Deloughery) Dún an Óir, Kilkee.

MASS INTENTIONS requested

Friday 31st March— KILKEE Church 7.00 p.m.

Senan Garvey, Months Mind Geraldine Fitzpatrick, Lisdeen Willie Barry

Deceased Parishioners of the month of March

Sunday 2nd April -KILKEE CHURCH 11.00 a.m.

Maureen Kenny Peter McCloskey Jackie Keane Dunlicky Rd. Stapleton Family Michael (Miko) Lynch John Earls, Limerick and Ontario Canada

Holy Thursday 6th April-LISDEEN Church 7.00 p.m.

Good Friday 7th April - KILKEE Church 7.00 p.m. Passion Ceremony

Saturday 8th April - Easter Vigil Mass-KILKEE Church 9.00 p.m.

Easter Sunday 9th April- KILKEE CHURCH 11.00 a.m.

Barbara Galvin, Lisdeen (1st Anniversary) Harry & Pauline Keane, Kilferagh Patrick & Bridget Thynne lim Lowe Paddy, Alice & Tony Kelly Eugene & Mary Stapleton



A Reflection for Holy Week

Lord Jesus, as we enter this Holy Week we see you welcomed, washing feet, breaking bread, betrayed, scourged, humiliated and crucified. Yet you love us to the end.



Those nails must have tortured you. That crown of thorns was meant to hurt and mock.

Forgive us for our own abandonment of you ...in our selfishness, our bitterness, our turning away from your call to love. As we journey with you give us life in humble service that, bound to Christ in all things, we may pass over from this world to your kingdom.



Weekend of the 2nd April 2023

Friday Evening 31st March Kilkee 7.00 p.m. Mairead Boland Sunday Morning 2nd April 11.00 a.m.: Stephen Mulvihill Weekend of the 9thApril 2023

Good Friday Evening 7th April Kilkee 7.00 p.m. Mona Troy, Frances Keane, Karen Reilly & Marina Keane

Easter Saturday Vigil Mass 9.00 p.m.: Ursula Whelan, Keefsa Busher & Mairead Boland

Easter Sunday Dawn Mass 7.00 a.m. Pat Harte & Dolores Harte Easter Sunday Morning 9th April 11.00 a.m.: Hilda Toews

Lenten Service of Reconciliation—Sunday 2nd April

Next Sunday, 2nd April is Palm Sunday and marks the beginning of Holy Week.

A special Service of Reconciliation will take place in KILKEE Church at 3.00 p.m. on Palm Sunday afternoon.

A number of priests from the pastoral areas of Cois Fharraige and Inis Cathaigh will be available for Confession at this service.



Holy Week Ceremonies Kilkee Parish

Ceremonies from Kilkee Church will be available online via the parish webcam at www.kilkeeparish.com

> Holy Thursday - 6th April-LISDEEN Church

MASS of the Lord's Supper— 7.00 p.m.

Good Friday - 7th April—KILKEE Church Morning Prayer - Kilkee Church - 10.00 a.m.

Public Way of the Cross - 12 Noon.

Ceremony of the Lord's Passion -Kilkee - 7.00 p.m.

On Good Friday evening there will be a special ceremony of Quiet Prayer Around the Cross in KILKEE Church from 8 p.m. to 9 p.m. where we pray for peace in all the troubled areas of our world.

Holy Saturday - 8th April—KILKEE Church

Morning Prayer - Kilkee Church - 10.00 a.m.

Easter Vigil—9.00 p.m.

Easter Sunday - 9th April

Dawn Mass at Kilkee Bandstand—7.00 a.m.

(Weather Permitting)

MASS - KILKEE Church - 11.00 a.m.

Alcoholics Anonymous:

Please remember

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

Making your Will? Kilkee Parish among the benefactors in your will. Donations made in this manner will greatly assist the

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

4 Dooneen Park, Kilrush, Co. Clare

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Tel: 065 905 2817

parish with its ongoing work. **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



Kilkee Playground & Astroturf 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. February 2023 Winners:

€200: Jimmy Fitzpatrick €100: Paul Connell €50: J.J Hickie €30: John Williams €20: Mary Arthur

Further details from Kilkee Parish Office or Committee Members of Kilkee Playground & Astroturf.

St Senans Kilkee GAA Club Weekly Lotto Jackpot 28th March 2023 Jackpot: €10,000. No Jackpot Winner! Numbers Drawn Were: 1, 4, 11, 16. Congratulations to the 5 Lucky Dip winners of €30 **Barry Harte** Margaret Flavin Dennis Russell

William Keane Next Draw will be held on Tuesday 4th April 2023.

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.



Good Friday -Stations of the Cross April 7th - 12 Noon

We invite you to join us at the

Bandstand on the Strand Line where we begin our journey in prayer.

1st & 2nd Stations - Bandstand area of Strand Line

3rd & 4th Stations - Lifeguards Hut 5th & 6th Stations - Jimmy's Hill 7th & 8th Stations - The Square 9th & 10th Stations - Smiths Gardens 11th & 12th Stations - Railway Road

13th & 14th - Inside Church



West Clare Cancer Centre

Patients wishing to avail of the services can contact the office from 11a.m. to 2p.m Mon to Fri 0659060762/9056181

Accord

DO YOU NEED SUPPORT!

Counselling available at Accord Ennis & Accord Nenagh. Everyone Very Welcome. Tel: 065 6524297 Email: accordennis1@gmail.com

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

Free weekly Peer Support Meetings in The Lighthouse Centre Kilrush Tuesday 7-9pm.Friday 5-7pm Weekly Woodland for Wellbeing Walk Tuesdays Vandeleur Woods 11am Contact 085 8559511 for details

West Clare FRC's ACTIVITIES FOR OVER 55's:

For bookings and enquiries contact 065 905 2173 SINGALONG IN KILKEE with Morgan Roughan, every Thursday

@2pm in Kilkee Elliott Centre TEA DANCE with MINUS TWO: Thursday 13th April @2pm in **Kilrush Community Centre**

EmployAbility Clare

If you have an illness, disability or any extra support needs and would like some help to find work, EmployAbility Clare can assist you. For further information, contact Karen on (065) 6844007 or email info@employabilityclare.ie or log on to www.employabilityclare.ie

Clare 250 Cancer Cycle & Pilgrimage to Lourdes We are looking for cyclists to take part, it's a fun day for a great cause. If you are interested in taking part, please contact Jason Rvan @ 086 843 9706 for more details. Cycle takes

place on Sunday 21st May 2023.

St Senans Nursing Home Kilrush Care Assistants required to join our friendly team. Three positions available. FETAC Level 5 or a commitment to undertake FETAC Level 5 Required

If you care about people, we want to hear from you! Please call Finbar or Maureen for an informal chat on 0659051966

Email: manager@stsenansnursinghome.ie Scoil Réalt na Mara

Will be holding a Clothing Collection early in May, Any unwanted clean clothes, curtains, bed linen and paired shoes can be dropped in secure bags to the school during school hours. No Duvets or Pillows accepted.

Smoke Alarm and Fire Safety Checks.

Kilkee Fire station are currently promoting Clare County Council's Fire Safety Campaign. We are offering home fire safety checks to the elderly and vulnerable people in our community. Firefighters will visit your home, inspect your smoke alarms and install new ones if required. We will offer safety advice and answer any concerns you may have. This service is free of charge. If you or a member of the community would benefit from this service, please email firesafety@clarecoco.ie or contact us at your local fire station. For more information, please call 086 8771233 or 087 1631220 Kilkee WW1 Deceased

Henry Colpoys Gloster died 13.03.1915 Patrick Griffin died 27.03.1915 Martin Crowe died 29.03.1918