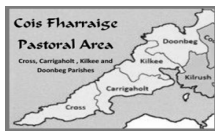


# Kilkee Parish Newsletter

Sunday 1st October 2023  
26th Sunday in Ordinary Time —Year A



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

## 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 : 7.00 p.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](http://www.kilkeeparish.com)  
Mass Intentions can be booked for these Masses by contacting Kilkee Parish Office Tel: 065 9056580; email: [office@kilkeeparish.com](mailto: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](http://www.doonbegparish.com)

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



### Weekend of the 1st October 2023

Friday Evening 29th September 7.00 p.m. Mairead Boland

Sunday Morning 1st October 11.00 a.m. Karen Reilly

### Weekend of the 8th October 2023

Friday Evening 29th September 7.00 p.m. Ursula Whelan

Sunday Morning 6th October 11.00 a.m. Shay Hynes

### Eucharistic Ministers

Weekend of 1st October: Team B

Weekend of 8th October: Team C



### OCTOBER - PRAYING FOR OUR MISSIONARIES AND EMIGRANTS

During this month we particularly remember the work of Missionaries throughout the world.

In conjunction with our celebration of the 60th Anniversary of our Churches we are inviting people this month to list the names of emigrants from your own families and to place them on the World Map in our churches.

At our Masses on Friday 20th & Sunday 22nd of October we will be especially remembering all those whose names are listed together with the many people who have over the years have worked on the Mission fields.

### MASS INTENTIONS requested



#### Friday 29th September—KILKEE Church 7.00 p.m.

Bridie Kirwan  
Christy & Michael Hedderman

#### Sunday 1st October—KILKEE Church 11.00 a.m.

Pauline Coleman (Months Mind)  
Joseph O'Connor  
Flannie Carey  
Moirá & Gerard McGreen  
Tina McGreen  
Dr Tadhg Lynch  
Bernard, May, Cyril & Paul Costello  
Eamonn Power, London

#### Wednesday 4th October—LISDEEN Church 7.00p.m.

Special Intention

#### Friday 6th October—KILKEE Church 7.00 p.m.

Tessie Keane, Dunlicky Rd  
John McDermott, Windermere & Kilkee  
John & Peggy Lynch  
Michael Nolan  
Joe & Nancy O'Shea

#### Sunday 8th October—KILKEE Church 11.00 a.m.

Bridie Deloughery (1st Anniversary)  
Stevie Deloughery (3rd Anniversary)  
Patrick & Kevin O'Mara  
John & Peggy Lynch  
Christy Meaney & deceased members of the Meaney family, Dough  
Bridget & Mickey Moloney & family  
Kevin Murrinan



### October .....a Reflection

In October we take delight in the rich colours of autumn that startle the senses with their bold extravagance. May we never cease to marvel at nature's palette and be dazzled by everything in nature around us—on sea and on land—that speaks of God's glory. In October, with summer gone, we turn our minds to the hard realities that never go away—our daily tasks, concerns and the major issues concerning international peace and stability. We pray for all those called to high and heavy responsibility in our world. For some in October hearts are heavy and heads hang down. May we encourage those who are facing hard times, difficult decisions, problematic relationships or uncertain health. Lord, may you touch their lives with hope and assure them that nothing can separate them from your love. Be with our family members overseas at this time and we pray for missionaries throughout the world who bring God's Good News to the lives of so many.

God of October, Lord of the year, lead us through this month with faith, hope and love.

### MATT TALBOT NOVENA - Kilrush

The Matt Talbot Novena praying for all who live with addictions and any other difficulties in life, for their families & loved ones will begin in St. Senan's Church on Monday 2nd Oct. at 7.30p.m. Our speaker on the night will be Maura Falsey, Minister of Pastoral Care in Inis Cathaigh Pastoral Area. (Note change of Speaker). Petitions can be left in the Box at the Shrine in the Church or posted to Parochial House, Toler St., Kilrush V15 C822. We look forward to welcoming you on the night.



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

Clarecare  
4 Dooneen Park, Kilrush, Co. Clare  
V15 HY06  
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.

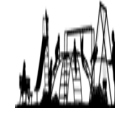
### Drug Abuse

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

Newsletter Notices to :

[office@kilkeeparish.com](mailto: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.  
August 2023 Winners :  
€200: P.J & Margaret Blake €100: Tina Roche  
€50: Bernadette Collins €30: P & A Kilkee €20: John Williams  
Further details from Kilkee Parish Office or Committee Members of Kilkee Playground & Astroturf.

**St Senans Kilkee GAA Club**  
Weekly Lotto Jackpot 26th September 2023  
Jackpot: €10,000. No Jackpot Winner!  
Numbers Drawn Were: 13, 16, 22, 28.  
Sean Flavin Nuala Clancy  
Deirdre Kenny Downes Karen Murrinan  
Michelle Smyth  
Congratulations to the 5 Lucky Winners  
online Next Draw will be held on Tues October 3rd. 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.

### 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.

We have introduced new "cashless" methods for people to donate to the parish using their bank card or mobile phone payment facility.

You can use the "Tap to 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.



### 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 & more please contact us by phone 0659060762 email [westclarecancercentre@gmail.com](mailto:westclarecancercentre@gmail.com)

### Clare Suicide Bereavement Support

It may help to talk confidentially. Contact 086 0565373 or 087 3698315/ [www.claresuicidebereavementsupport.com](http://www.claresuicidebereavementsupport.com)

### West Clare Family Resource Centre

Are running the following course, contact 065-9052173 to book. Seasons For Growth, Coping with Grief, Loss and Changes in Life. Learning to come to terms with the sorrow. Starting 2th October to the 20th November, Monday evenings 7pm to 9.30pm, People welcome to start on the 2nd week too.

### St. Joseph's Community College Kilkee,

Open night will take place on Thursday October 5th at 7p.m. We look forward to welcoming all 5th and 6th class students and their Parent/Guardian(s)"

### Experienced teacher available

In West Clare for Leaving Certificate Irish grinds. If interested please contact me on 0851510009'.

### New Jive Dance Classes

Coorclare Hall, starting 5th Oct for beginners & Improvers For all information Tel: Senan Murphy @ 086 3709437 Visit: [www.jivewithsenan.ie](http://www.jivewithsenan.ie)

### Kilrush Community School

are delighted to be now enrolling 1st year students for September 2024. All are welcome to our OPEN NIGHT on Tuesday 3rd October 5.30-7.30pm. The school prospectus including an application form will be distributed to feeder schools over the coming weeks. If you require an application form they will be available from our school office (065 9051359) and on our website [kilrushcoms.com](http://kilrushcoms.com). Closing date for applications is on or before 1st December 2023.

### Grinds

Leaving Certificate Business and Accounting grinds available in Kilrush. Grinds can be done in person or online. Fully qualified teacher with experience of correcting state exams. For more information please contact 086 2540782.

### West Clare Mental Health Association

is excited to announce details of a series of events to mark Mental Health Week in October. October 10th "Managing Anxiety" Kilrush Community Centre 7 p.m.  
Oct 11th " Farm safety, Health & Wellbeing Talk" Curtains Farm Kilmihil 7p.m.  
Oct 14th Vandeleur Park Run 9.30 a.m.  
Oct 15th Guided Mindfulness Walk in Vandeleur Woods 11a.m. Contact 085 8559511  
Website: <https://westclarementalhealth.ie>  
WW1 Deceased  
John Costelloe died 30.09.1918

### Kilkee Civic Trust - at Cultúrlann Sweeney

We are hosting an autumn concert titled: An Evening of Musical Favourites  
Featuring: Xavier Mendoza (Baritone) - Bozena Pannackal (Violin) - Gerard Lillis (Piano) - Daithí O'Connell - MC  
Where: Cultúrlann Sweeney, Kilkee  
When: Saturday, 7th October at 8 pm.  
Tickets are €15 each - at CS Box Office 065 906 0769 & online at [clarearts.ie](http://clarearts.ie). Request your KCT E-mail Newsletter from [secretary@kilkeecivictrust.org](mailto:secretary@kilkeecivictrust.org)  
See our Kilkee Civic Trust Facebook Page for full details.