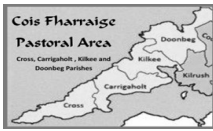


Kilkee Parish Newsletter

Sunday 7th January 2024
Baptism Of the Lord — Year B



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

Cois Fharrage 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
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.

Masses from Doonbeg Church are live-streamed at www.doonbegparish.com

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



Weekend of the 7th January 2024

Friday Evening 5th January 7.00 p.m. Hilda Toews
Sunday Evening 7th January 11.00 a.m. Frances Keane

Weekend of the 14th January 2024

Friday Evening 12th January 7.00 p.m. Marina Keane
Sunday Evening 14th January 11.00 a.m. Keefsa Busher

Eucharistic Ministers

Weekend of 7th January: Team D
Weekend of 14th January: Team A



BAPTISM

Baptism was not over and done with the day we were taken to the font.

We are baptised by all that happens to us in life.

We are baptised by hardship; in its turbulent waters we are purified of all that is false and useless.

We are baptised by suffering; in its murky waters we grow in humility and compassion.

We are baptised by joy; in its gurgling waters we experience the goodness of life.

We are baptised by love; in its singing waters we blossom like flowers in the sun.

Baptism is like the planting of a seed. It will take a lifetime for this seed to grow and ripen.

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.

If you prefer to use "cashless" methods for your donation to the parish using your bank card or mobile phone payment facility, you can use the "Tap 2 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.



Recently Deceased

Michael (Brownie) O'Connell, Dough



MASS INTENTIONS requested

Friday 5th January—KILKEE Church 7.00 p.m.

Bernadette Collins
Larry Collins
Stephen & Anna Mulvihill
Mary Taylor
Deceased members of the Downes Family, Mullagh & Kilkee
Helen Kearns
Special Intention

Sunday 7th January—KILKEE Church 11.00 a.m.

Timothy (Timmy) O'Shaughnessy, Marian Est. (Month's Mind)
John Kitson (1st Anniversary)
James O'Neill Marine Parade
John Joe Downes, Marine Parade
Frank Brew
Susan & Pakie Kelly, Lislanahan
Denis & Mary Foster, Limerick
Martin Keane, Birmingham & Donoughboy (2nd Anniversary)
Dolly O' Neill and deceased members of the O'Neill family
Michael O' Neill
Peter Carr

Wednesday 10th January LISDEEN Church 7.00 p.m.

Special Intention

Friday 12th January—KILKEE Church 7.00 p.m.

Bridget Mulvihill

Sunday 14th January—KILKEE Church 11.00 a.m.

Margaret Hassett (Months Mind)
Rita Smyth, (Months Mind)



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

Deadline: Thursday - 12 noon



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.
December 2023 Winners :
€200: €100:
€50: €30: €20:
Further details from Kilkee Parish Office or Committee Members of Kilkee Playground & Astro turf.

St Senans Kilkee GAA Club

Weekly Lotto Jackpot 2nd Jan 2024

Jackpot: €10,000.

Congratulations to **Donal O' Donoghue, Strand Line** who was the lucky dip winner of the Jackpot prize this week.

The good news is that the Jackpot will remain at €10,000 from next week's draw which takes place on Tues January 9th 2024.

Prayer for Peace in our World

Loving God, We pray for the people of Ukraine, those caught up in the Israeli-Hamas conflict, and for all those affected in any way by war in our world 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 who are suffering and for all the world. Amen.

"May you be confident knowing you are a child of God.

Let this presence settle into your bones, and allow your soul the freedom to sing, dance praise and love.

It is there for each and every one of us."
- St Therese of Lisieux



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

PCI Counselling

Whatever you are going through we are here to help, PCI counselling service is now available free of charge in Kilkee and locations nationwide. To speak confidentially and arrange an appointment with a counsellor please call 0818 555 450 , Office hours are Monday to Friday 9-5.

Clare Suicide Bereavement Support

It may help to talk confidentially. Contact 086 0565373 or 087 3698315/
www.claresuicidebereavementsupport.com

Dementia Inclusive Social Club

www.alzheimer.ie Third Wednesday of Every Month, 2-4 pm Kilrush Parish Hall We are free and open to anyone looking for a calm, supportive environment for relaxed tea and chat. Contact Hadley 0871898711

Defibrillator At Moyasta National School

A defibrillator is installed on the front wall of the Moyasta school building. It is unlocked and is available for use by the parish.

Rooms To Let

Kilkee Community Centre. For further information please contact Mary 085 286 8703

Kilkee Historical Society

Thursday 11th January 2024 at 8pm in Myles Creek Lounge. Our very interesting topic is presented by Yvonne McGann. The subject of her talk is, the life of the swashbuckling Captain Charles Fitzgerald, a proud son of Kilkee whose life story reads like a riveting novel.

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

WW1 Deceased

Michael Foran - died 27th Dec 1916
Patrick Kenneally—died 5th Jan 1915