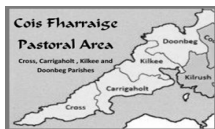




# Kilkee Parish Newsletter

Sunday 4th January 2026



Website: [www.kilkeeparish.com](http://www.kilkeeparish.com)  
Email: [office@kilkeeparish.com](mailto:office@kilkeeparish.com)  
Parish Office: 065-9056580

**Alcoholics Anonymous:**  
Contact no's :  
AA: Margaret M @  
087-1632643  
Al-Anon: 01-8732699  
087- 6899112

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

## 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. Michael Collins, (Kilrush) 065-9051206 & Fr. Tony Casey, (Cooraclare) 065-9059008

### 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)

### Kilkee Mass Intentions



#### Friday 2nd January KILKEE Church 7.00 p.m.

Stephen & Anna Mulvihill  
Michael & Mary O' Shea  
Pat & Madge Hassett

#### Sunday 4th January KILKEE Church 11.00 a.m.

Sean O Mara, Dublin & Kilkee (1st Ann.)  
Mary Taylor, Marian Est.  
Susan & Pakie Kelly, Lislanahan  
Timmy & Mary Carmody  
Deceased members of the Taylor, Hassett, Haugh, White, McDonnell, Lucy & Clancy Families  
Tom, Vera & Michael Frawley  
Special Intention

#### Tuesday 6th January KILKEE Church 11.00 a.m.

##### (Feast of the Epiphany)

Aidan Murphy, Kilkee (2nd Ann.)  
Stephen O'Donnell, (2nd Ann.)

#### Wednesday 7th January LISDEEN Church 7.00p.m.

Christmas Mass Bouquets Intentions

#### Friday 9th January KILKEE Church 7.00 p.m.

Larry Collins  
Bernadette Collins  
Cornelius (Connie) Deloughery

#### Sunday 11th January KILKEE Church 11.00 a.m.

Christina Marrinan (1st Ann.)  
Frank Brew  
James O' Neill Marine Parade (44th Ann.)  
Jean Foran



#### Weekend of the 4th January 2026

Friday Evening 2nd January 7.00 p.m. Mona Troy

Sunday Morning 4th January 11.00 a.m. Tony Ludden

#### Weekend of the 11th January 2026

Friday Evening 9th January 7.00 p.m. Stephen Mulvihill

Sunday Morning 11th January 11.00 a.m. Mary O'Dowd



#### Eucharistic Ministers

Weekend of 4th January: Team A

Weekend of 11th January: Team B

### Tuesday 6th January

### Feast of the Epiphany

Mass will be celebrated in KILKEE church

on Tuesday morning at 11.00 a.m.

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Mass will also be celebrated in BEALAHA Church on

Tuesday evening at 7.00 p.m.



*"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 fullness that you promise today,  
And the hope in a baby asleep on the hay.

Rebecca Dudley



### 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.



### Making your Will?

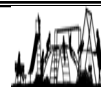
Please remember **Kilkee Parish** among the benefactors in your will.  
Donations made in this manner will greatly assist the parish with its ongoing work.

### Drug Abuse

Information for parents on the issues involved.  
freephone Helpline 1800 459 459  
or at the email support service ([helpline@hse.ie](mailto:helpline@hse.ie)) and is open Mon-

### Clarecare

4 Dooneen Park, Kilrush, Co. Clare V15 HY06  
Tel: 065 905 2817 Opening Hours: Mon to Fri  
9-30am to 5pm county.



**Kilkee Playground & Astro turf Supporters Club**  
In association with Kilkee Parish  
Monthly Subscription : €10

**December 2025 Winners : €200: Mary McGrath, Chapel St**

**€100: John Lynch €50: Marian Dooley**

**€30: Tess O' Loughlin €20: Francis & Ann Naughton**

**Special reduced rates for Yearly & Half -Yearly**

**Subscriptions. Avail of our Half Yearly subscription €50.**

Further details from Kilkee Parish Office

Members of Kilkee Playground & Astro turf



**St Senans Kilkee GAA Club**  
Weekly Lotto Jackpot 23rd December  
Jackpot: €10,000.

Numbers Drawn : 6, 16, 26, 29.

Lucky Dip Winners: Megan Walsh,

Michelle Smyth, Louise Mulvihill,

Joseph Hehir, Labasheeda, Padraig Hayes, Doonbeg

Jackpot will remain at €10,000 next week's

draw will takes place on Tues January 6th.

### Prayer for Peace in our World

Loving God, We pray for the people of Ukraine, those caught up in the Middle East 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.

"I encourage you to contemplate with hope the wonderful image of the Lord pouring His love into our hearts. Let us ask him, never growing discouraged, to transform our hearts into fertile soil, which bears fruit in ways we cannot know. May God bless you"

Pope Leo XIV



### West Clare Cancer Centre



Looks after a very large geographic area.  
"Here at the West Clare Cancer Centre we provide a valuable and confidential service to our community and beyond. To avail of our taxi service to and from chemotherapy and radiotherapy treatments, counselling & complementary therapies please contact us by phone 0659060762 or email [westclarecancercentre@gmail.com](mailto:westclarecancercentre@gmail.com)

### Connecting Clare Communities

Please save the dates for the first two events launching the new Connecting Clare Communities Training and Mentoring

Programme. We have something very exciting coming up, and full details and booking links will follow in the New Year.

15 January 2026 – Online Kick-Off Meeting  
31 January 2026 – In-Person Co-Design Workshop  
More information soon — we're looking forward to sharing what's ahead.

### Grow Mental Health

Grow Mental Health- Friendly Community based groups for anyone experiencing mental health issues by empowering people to nurture their positive wellbeing by supporting

personal growth through education, peer support and self-teaching. Ennis Meeting- Maria Assumpta Hall.  
Monday 7.30pm/Tuesday 2pm. Contact Celia 086-1526966/grow.ie

### Crack'd Spoon panto - Dorothy in Oz.

Culturlann Sweeney, Kilkee:

3rd, 4th, 9th, 10th, 16th  
and 17th January.

Details and tickets from

[www.clarearts.ie](http://www.clarearts.ie)

Wishing all our  
parishioners and

**2026**

visitors a very happy and peaceful  
New Year.

May the Holy Spirit guide you on your  
journey throughout the coming months

### A Quiz.....

1. In what year were the present Lisdeen Church and Kilkee Church blessed and opened?
2. Who was the donor for the figures of the Christmas Crib at present in Kilkee church?
3. In what country was Pope Leo XIV born?
4. Name the former Bishop of Killaloe who died in February 2025.

♦ Entries by email to [office@kilkeeparish.com](mailto:office@kilkeeparish.com) or by handing them into the parish office marked "QUIZ 25". Entries close on Tuesday 6th January 2026. Prizes of 4 local shopping vouchers in Kilkee.