

# 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> June 2020



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# Anniversary Masses

#### Knockerra Church

#### Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> June 8.15pm Facebook Live. Months Mind.

Paddy Flanagan, Coolminga, Knockerra.

Tadhg Crowley 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary James Lucas. Mai & Senan McMahon, Ballymacrinnan

#### Killimer Church

# Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> June 8.15pm Facebook Live

Mary McNamara, Moneen, Killimer John & Nora Nugent, Burrane Mary McMahon, Donail, Killimer

#### **Parish Donations**

In response to requests from parishioners as to how to make the weekly donations to the parish, we are putting the following system in place.

In **Knockerra Church** donations in envelopes can be put through the **letter opening in the side door near the boiler house**. In **Killimer Church** donations in envelopes can be put through **the letter opening in the sacristy door**. Please be assured that No Money will be left in the church overnight. There is also the possibility of depositing your donation in a box that is in Kilrush Post Office. We are grateful for your support especially at this time.

#### To The Holy Trinity

Three folds in cloth, yet there is but the one cloth. Three joints in a finger, yet there is but one finger. Three leaves in a shamrock, yet there is but the one shamrock.

Frost, snow and ice...yet the three are only water, Three Persons in God likewise, and but the one God.

#### <u>Killimer Parish Reopening of Churches for</u> <u>Private Prayer</u>

# Commencing Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> June 2020

# St. Imy's Church Killimer

St. Imy's Church, Killimer will open for private prayer on Sunday, Tuesday, and Thursday from 12 Noon to 3 p.m. on those days. All who wish to visit the church on those days are very welcome, but we also urge people to be responsible in following proper safety guidelines. We ask you to observe the following guidelines during your visit— Enter the Church by the Side Aisle Door inside the front gate Only & Exit by the Other Side Door. Use Hand Sanitiser at Entrance & at Exit again; **Observe Social Distance;** Sit in designated FRONT SEATS only in the Church; If lighting a Candle take light from the Big Candle which will be Lighting-Use Hand Sanitiser afterwards while observing Social Distance;

If praying the Stations of the Cross, pray them while sitting. Be responsible in our care for each other.

Please respect the Seating Plan of the Church 7 Persons in Church at a time

# St. Senan's Church Knockerra

St. Senan's Church, Knockerra will open for private prayer on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 12 Noon to 3 p.m. on those days. All who wish to visit the church on those days are very welcome, but we also urge people to be responsible in following proper safety guidelines. We ask you to observe the following guidelines during your visit— Enter the Church by the Side Door near the BELL TOWER Only & Exit by the Other Side Door. Use Hand Sanitiser at Entrance & at Exit again;

#### **Observe Social Distance;**

Sit in designated SEATS only in the Church;

If lighting a Candle take light from the Big Candle which will be Lighting-

Use Hand Sanitiser afterwards while observing Social Distance;

If praying the Stations of the Cross, pray them while sitting. Be responsible in our care for each other.

Please respect the Seating Plan of the Church

8 Persons in Church at a time

#### **Rosary Intentions**

The rosary is prayed Monday – Saturday after 10 a.m. Mass & from this coming week Tuesday – Friday at 8 p.m. each night. If anyone would like to have the rosary prayed for a particular intention; please feel free to contact Kilrush Parish Office 089-4026161 or Fr. Pat 087-2300627 and let them know.

Rosary, Benediction & Reflection Tuesday - Friday at 8 p.m.

#### **Covid-19 Support Line for Older People**:

ALONE has launched a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to the outbreak of COVID-19 (Coronavirus). Professional staff are available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary. The support line is open seven days a week, 8am - 8pm, by calling 0818 222 024.

#### **Migraine Association of Ireland**

The Migraine Association of Ireland is delighted to announce an Online event presented by Professor Billy O'Connor, Neuroscientist, Graduate Medical School, University of Limerick.

This online seminar will take place online on Wednesday 10th of June from 7 pm - 9 pm and will touch on recent neuroscience findings on how our brain responds to pain and will discuss lifestyle adaptations to help with migraine pain.

Professor William T. (Billy) O'Connor is Foundation Chair and Head of Teaching and Research in Physiology at the University of Limerick Medical School. His research focus includes an understanding of illness of mind and brain as a disorder of the nerve network, and in the emerging field of neuro-education - the brain science of learning, which arose from his long-standing interest in education.

We are offering a 10% discount on membership of the Migraine Association of Ireland by using code MAI-LK1, valid until the end of July 2020. People can book a free place by going to Eventbrite.ie using this link https://www.eventbrite.ie/e/pain-and-yourbrain-tickets-104534096296

Kilrush Library Service From Monday 8<sup>th</sup> June, library members can phone 0659051504 Mon-Fri 9 am - 2pm to order books/DVDs. These can then be collected at the front door at the designated time. A returns box is now outside the front door. Library staff are observing public health guidelines in the preparation and operation of all current services.

# **Covid Cooking**

As the kitchen has again become the true heart of the home and many family recipes are being resurrected and taught to a new generation, we think it's time for a new cookbook ! It would be great if every household contributed their favourite family recipe. The possibilities are endless. Everything from cakes to cocktails to jams to jambalayas... Bring it on! Send your recipes to angela.flanagan@icloud.com

#### Newsletter

As well as being online the Newsletter is now available in Power's Shop Knockerra and The Ferry Shop in Killimer.

# **Online Retreat June 9th -13th**



# Honouring St. Anthony of Padua

St Anthony provides spiritual focus to many Irish Catholics across the globe. To this day, St. Anthony is one of the Catholic Church's most revered and popular saints. One of the reasons for this is likely that his life was what every Christian's life is meant to be:

"A steady courage to face the ups and downs of life, the call to love and forgive, to be concerned for the needs of others, to love, trust and depend on God."

Called the "Wonder Worker" because of the many miracles with which God has favoured him, St. Anthony has traditionally been the refuge of all who have lost things, whether temporal or spiritual.

As the Traditional Novena cannot take place in any of our Friary Churches this year due to Covid-19 we are now hosting an online retreat to celebrate this much-loved saint in June

The online retreat can be accessed via a link on www.franciscansdublin.ie or on YouTube at Franciscans Dublin Adam & Eve and we welcome everybody from across Ireland, Europe and Internationally to join us from June 9<sup>th</sup>.

We welcome all who want to pray to St. Anthony to intercede on their behalf with God. Please join us beginning on the 9<sup>th</sup> June. For more information please visit our website; www.franciscansdublin.ie

St. Anthony, powerful in word and work, pray for us! For further information contact Louise O'Sullivan 086 174 8649 / louise@yellowharbour.com