



## 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> November 2020

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### Anniversary Masses

#### Knockerra Church

Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> November at 6pm (webcam)

Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> November at 6pm (webcam)

#### Killimer Church

Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> November 11am (webcam)

Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> November 11am (webcam)

Clare Smyth

### November Remembrance Of Our Dead

November is the month associated with praying for all our beloved dead. It is the time when we invite you to place the names of your loved ones on lists so that they can be included in the Masses during this special month. As we are unable to gather in Church for public masses, envelopes for these lists of names can be picked up in Knockerra Church which is open daily for Private Prayer, in Killimer Church each Sunday from **12 noon to 6 p.m.**, in Powers' Shop, Knockerra and the Ferry Shop, Killimer. All envelopes can be returned through the letter boxes in each church and also can be placed in the **box** at the post office in Kilrush.

### Your Parish Donations

Totals for last week. Baskets €30 & Envelopes €518  
Thank you for your continued support

*Those we love don't go away,  
they walk beside us every day.  
Unseen, unheard, but always near;  
still loved, still missed and very dear.*

### Condolence

We extend our sympathy to Aine O'Driscoll and family on the recent death of her Dad. May he rest in peace.

### Irish Red Cross Clare

Our volunteers have completed a total of 3,895 voluntary hours up to the end of October 2020. Given their time in support of the people of Co. Clare The wheels have to keep rolling, The Tour of Clare Fundraiser has again been cancelled and now we depend on the support of the public.

The work of the Irish Red Cross Clare is ongoing working and supporting the people that need our services.

If anyone would like to support the Irish Red Cross Clare, donate to: GoFundMe  
irishredcrossclarecommunityservices

Counter Top Boxes in shops and pubs all over Co. Clare  
Fill The boxes with your loose change

Send a donation make payable to The Irish Red Cross Clare to 11 Tracklands Business Park, Tobartaoscaim, Ennis, Co. Clare  
Eir Code> V95X258

### An Act Of Spiritual Communion:

While we cannot receive communion at this time we can still make an act of Spiritual Communion in which we express our faith in Jesus and his presence in the Eucharist and invite him to unite himself with us. Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love you above all things, and I desire to receive you into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive you sacramentally into my heart. I embrace you as if you were already there and unite myself wholly to you. Never permit me to be separated from you.

Amen.

## **Remembrance Tree**

As a way of remembering our deceased love ones, each December we hold the Remembrance Tree Ceremony in St. Senan's Church, Kilrush. All cards are €5 and the money raised is donated to two very worthy charities; 1 - Temple Street Children's University Hospital 2 - The Special Needs Unit, St. Senan's Primary School, Kilrush This year's ceremony is on the 9<sup>th</sup> December 2020 at 7pm. It shall also be broadcast online by Webcam at [www.kilrushparish.com](http://www.kilrushparish.com) Cards are available at the moment from: Ger Kelly Pen 2 Paper, Duffy Chemist Mairead O'Donnell and Sharon Reidy The Leisure Centre. Also you can donate to the "Go Fund Me" page.

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

ALONE manage 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.

## **Down Memory Lane**

Kilrush and District Historical Society presents Down Memory Lane 2021 Calendar. Our annual calendar of local historical photographs is now on sale in Anchor Crafts, Gleeson's, The Leisure Centre, O'Sullivan's and Pen to Paper. The calendar costs €10 and all profits go to the ongoing restoration and maintenance of Kilrush Churchyard.

## **Lough Derg November Memorial Service**

Live via webcam from St. Mary's Church, Pettigo, Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> November at 7pm  
[www.churchservices.tv/pettigo](http://www.churchservices.tv/pettigo)  
To enrol a departed loved one please contact us by email: [info@loughderg.org](mailto:info@loughderg.org) or Tel: 0(0353) 71 9861518, write to: Fr La Flynn, Prior, Lough Derg, Pettigo, Co Donegal F94 YC60

## **Kilrush Parish**

All Masses & times of prayer continue to be available online at [www.kilrushparish.com/webcam](http://www.kilrushparish.com/webcam)  
Mass times are as follows:  
Daily Mass online-Monday – Friday 10am  
Weekend Mass online -Saturday 7pm  
Sunday 10 am & 12 Noon  
After 10am Mass Monday – Friday  
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament,  
Rosary & Reflection  
Monday, Wednesday, Friday at 8pm

## **Counselling Service**

Ciarán Carey Professional General and Addiction Counsellor-Limerick City, working with individuals, couples, families and groups for addictions, mental health, anxiety, depression, trauma, bereavement and personal issues to achieve positive growth and development, self-discovery and change.  
085-7721279 Email:[info@culracounselling.ie](mailto:info@culracounselling.ie)

## **Prayer for the Peoples' Blessing of Graves**

This prayer may help us to find words to pray as we bless the grave.

*God of all creation,*

*You are present in every place, in every moment of history, you are with us, here and now.*

*We believe that those we loved who are buried in this grave (speak their names) are held in your embrace.*

*As we sprinkle this water, (sprinkle holy water) we pray that a circle of light, happiness and peace may surround them and that they may come to the fullness of life in your presence. We remember how their lives shaped us, their hands held us, their words inspired us, their love supported and sustained us.*

*Eternal God, you see face to face those we remember here.*

*Give us confidence that what we have loved in them is not lost, but lives on in your presence, as it does in our hearts.*

*Comfort us in our loss and help us to believe that one day we shall be united with them when we too shall see you, face to face.*

*We ask this in the name of Jesus, your Son, the first-born from the dead, who lives and reigns with you forever and ever.*

*Amen*