



1st & 2nd May 2021

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Anniversary Masses

Knockerra Church

Saturday 1st May 8pm (Webcam)

Michael & Margaret Murphy, Knocknahan

Saturday 8th May 12 Noon (Webcam)

1st Anniversary

Paddy Flanagan, Coolminga

Saturday 8th May 8pm (Webcam)

Gretta Flanagan & Willie Culligan, Tullagower
Tommie Power, Knockerra
John Cunningham, Molougha
Siney Cunningham, Molougha
Sinon Carmody, Molougha

Killimer Church

Sunday 2nd May 11am (Webcam)

PJ & Lena Lillis, Ballymacrinan

Sunday 9th May 11am (Webcam)

Alone

Alone manage a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to 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.

Exposition Blessed Sacrament/

Rosary Reflection

This will NOT take place on Monday 3rd May at 8 p.m. from St. Senan's Church, Kilrush via webcam. (Bank Holiday)

Mass Schedule Change

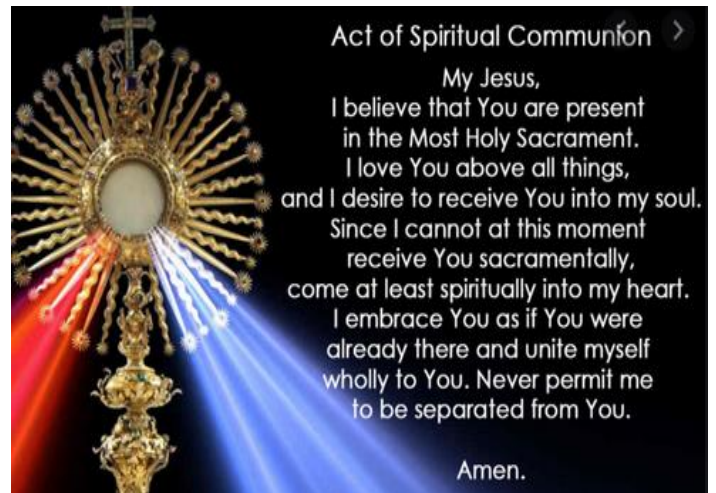
Following a recent meeting of the parish pastoral council it was decided that morning Masses would be celebrated in Killimer Church during the week. The new schedule for morning Mass is as follows Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday at 8.55 a.m. each morning in Knockerra Church; Thursday & Friday at 8.55 a.m. in Killimer Church. All masses are available via webcam from each church.

New Changes To Mass Attendance

From Monday 10th May the churches will once again be open to the public for Mass on a limited basis. We are limited to 50 People being present for Mass. This limit will apply to all Masses, daily and weekend. Face masks and social distancing will still apply. We are delighted to be allowed open and will continue to make the churches a safe place for all who attend our services.

Knockerra Church

Knockerra Church celebrates its 60th anniversary this year. To mark this, the bishop will say Mass in Knockerra on May 8th. A huge effort by parishioners and the diaspora went into the construction of our church from manual labour to fundraising and donations. To acknowledge this, a commemorative sculpture will be unveiled to remember all who were responsible for the beautiful church we have today.



Killaloe Diocese Youth Ministry

There will be a Blessing for all young people of the diocese, primary, secondary and college age on Sunday 9th May at 12 noon. It will be available for viewing on www.killaloe-diocese.ie and all diocesan social media platforms including Youtube.

There are lovely scenes from Mount Saint Joseph Abbey, Roscrea, Ennis and from Star of the Sea Church, Quilty including scenes by the sea.



Radio Maria Ireland

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Queen of the May

Bring flowers of the rarest, Bring blossoms the fairest,
From garden and woodland and hillside and dale;
Our full hearts are swelling, Our glad voices telling
The praise of the loveliest flower of the vale!

*O Mary we crown thee with blossoms today!
Queen of the Angels and Queen of the May.
O Mary we crown thee with blossoms today,
Queen of the Angels and Queen of the May.*



O Virgin most tender, Our homage we render,
Thy love and protection, Sweet Mother, to win.
In danger defend us, In sorrow befriend us,
And shield our hearts From contagion and sin.

Mary's Meals

Mary's Meals needs your help. War rages on in Tigray, Ethiopia, and much of the world remains unaware. The stories we are hearing from our trusted local partner The Daughters of Charity, about what people have gone through since the conflict began last November are nothing short of horrific. But with communication channels only partially open and much of the country still in 'blackout', global media remains largely silent. To find out more please go to www.marysmeals.ie or call Patricia Friel on 0863140814

Tax Rebate On Parish Donations

If you are PAYE or Self Assessed & you donated a total of €250 or more the parish can claim back the tax relief of 31% on your total donations (at no extra cost to you). Sincere thanks to all those who have returned their CHY3 form in the past weeks. This will greatly assist the parish in claiming extra money from revenue at no expense to each individual. We make an appeal to all others who received CHY3 forms to return in the coming weeks. All support is greatly appreciated in these challenging times.

Overseas Volunteers Training Course

Open to all! VIATORES CHRISTI, a faith-based development organisation has specialised in the recruitment, training and deployment of overseas volunteers since 1960. VC runs an online volunteer preparation course covering community development, health, global awareness, mission, etc. This is open to all! Once completed, participants can be considered for volunteer roles through VC EU Aid Volunteers #EUAVI programmes. If you want to know more, visit website www.vcvolunteers.ie or email info@viatoreschristi.com

Woodland Bistro At The Vandeleur

Walled Garden

Is now open for a “Grab & Go” service. Tea, Coffee and light lunch options are available to take away. Open daily 10am—5pm.

Feast Of St. Joseph The Worker

The Feast of St. Joseph is on Saturday 1st May. A candle will be lit at the Kilrush Grotto for all workers both in the workplace & in the home. The candle will be lit from 9am—9pm. Please feel free to come along and say a quiet prayer on the day.