



## **Killimer Parish 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> November 2021**

### **INIS CATHAIGH PASTORAL AREA**

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### **Knockerra Church**

#### **Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> November 6pm**

Michael & Sonny Culligan, Ballycrinnan

#### **Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> November 6pm**

#### **Morning Mass 8.55am Mon, Tues & Wed**

### **Killimer Church**

#### **Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> November**

#### **Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> November**

#### **Morning Mass 8.55am Thursday & Friday**

***"Be the change you wish to see in the World"***  
***Mahatma Ghandhi***



### **Fr. Michael Sheedy RIP**

This week we mourn the loss of Fr. Michael. Killimer Parish was blessed to have him as our Priest. During his many years of service to our parish, he always had a smile on his face and a good word to say about everyone. He never refused any of our requests for masses or other church services and always went that extra mile to support and encourage all of us. He was regarded as a friend and confidant. We extend our sympathies to his family. He may be gone but he will never be forgotten in our parish.

Ar dheis Dé go raibh a anam.

### **Killimer/Knockerra Youth Club**

Killimer/Knockerra Youth Club welcomes 1st-3rd year students living in the parish or having previously attended a primary school in the parish. Registration for youth club 2021/22 (please both, parent/guardian and club member to come along as both need to sign forms) will take place in the hall on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> Nov from 8:30-9:30. Club will reopen on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> Nov for 1st and 2nd years with 3rd years joining us on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> Nov.

**Please remember to sanitise your hands on the way in and out of the church.**

## **Knockerra Eucharistic Minister & Liturgy Readers**

**Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> November**

Eucharistic Minister: Pat Fitzpatrick

Liturgy Reader: Anita Browne

## **Down Syndrome Clare**

A.G.M. will be held on Thursday, Nov 11<sup>th</sup> at the Auburn Lodge Hotel, Ennis at 7.15pm. A special guest speaker - Dr. Toby Sachsenmaier will give a very informative talk on the night and we look forward to seeing all our members and their families. Contact 087 9438610 or [downsyndromeclare@gmail.com](mailto:downsyndromeclare@gmail.com) for further info."

## **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. Envelopes for these lists of names can be picked up at the back of the church. All envelopes can be left in the baskets on the altar rails at Mass times in Knockerra Church & in the baskets at the front of the altar in Killimer Church.

### **A Prayer of Remembrance**

*God, thank you for the special people in our lives whom we are remembering in a special way during the month of November.*

*We thank you for being a compassionate God who walks with us in our dark moments of grief and loneliness.*

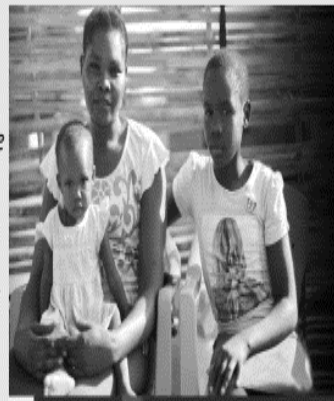
*We are thankful for all who continue to love and support us through our grief.*

*Lord, continue to be a light for us, giving us hope, direction and courage.*

*May we now live our lives treasuring the memories of those special people we have known and loved and help us to bring light and hope to others.*

*We make this prayer through Christ our Lord,  
Amen.*

"Lord, when I am hungry, give me someone in need of food; when I am thirsty, send me someone needing a drink; when I am cold, send me someone to warm; when I am grieved, offer me someone to console; when my cross grows heavy, let me share another's cross; when I think only of myself, draw my thoughts to another."



### **Trócaire: Special Collection: This Weekend**

#### **East Africa's hunger crisis is worsening.**

Already affecting over 30 million vulnerable babies, children, women and men, the scale of this hunger crisis is unprecedented. Yet with the world's focus on local issues and concerns, and resources for humanitarian response more thinly spread than ever, the plight of those in East Africa remains largely hidden.

Trócaire teams are responding and on the ground ready to provide more life-saving assistance in East Africa and in other countries similarly affected, but we can do so much more with your support.

Any support your Parish can give in the weekend's Emergency Collection will aid the urgent work of Trócaire and our hardworking local partners in East Africa to prevent heart-breaking suffering and tragic loss of life there.

Famine has already been officially declared in South Sudan. In Ethiopia, Somalia, and the state of South Kordofan in Sudan, acute high levels of food insecurity are at catastrophic levels.

For these more than 30 million lives who already struggle to build resilient futures in some of the poorest countries on earth, the East Africa hunger crisis is being fuelled by a deadly mix of factors far beyond their control: environmental shocks due to escalating climate change, conflict and COVID-19.

As a direct result of your ongoing support of the work of Trócaire, we are on the ground responding in South Sudan, Ethiopia, Somalia, the state of South Kordofan in Sudan and in other countries similarly affected.

We are targeting the most vulnerable amongst those affected, including children, the elderly, people with disabilities, and people who have been displaced from their homes by conflict.

Millions more now face critical shortages and require support urgently, and as such the urgent Emergency Collection has been agreed for the weekend Saturday the 6th and Sunday the 7th of November, in all Parishes across Ireland.

With the help of your Parish, Trócaire stand ready to provide clean water, medical care, and life-saving aid for many more people if resources allow.

Please allow us to extend our gratitude to you for your ongoing support of the work of Trócaire, particularly during this very challenging period, where the COVID-19 pandemic is affecting every aspect of life both in Ireland and poorer countries.

Thank you for all the work made possible by you and all the priests and parishioners across the country.

• Bishop William Crean, Chair, Trócaire Board.

## **Killimer Church Cleaning Rota November**

*Kathleen O'Connell, Ann McInerney, Mairead Slattery & Deirdre Grogan.*