



Killimer Parish 8th & 9th April 2023

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Knockerra Church

Saturday 8th April 9 pm Holy Saturday

Easter Vigil

Saturday 15th April 8pm

Teresa Cleary who died recently in U.S.A
The Cleary Family, Carradotia.

Saturday 22nd April 8pm

1st Anniversary: Sean Duggan, Tarmon.
Deceased members of the Shannon & Flanagan
Families.

Killimer Church

Sunday 9th April Easter Sunday

Dawn Mass: Killimer Car Ferry 6 a.m. Weather
Permitting.

Easter Sunday Mass 10.30 a.m.

Sunday 16th April 10.30 a.m.

Pat & Teresa Madigan, Burrane, Michael
Madigan, Burrane, Tomo Lucas & deceased
members of the Lucas family, Donogroge.

Sunday 23rd April 10.30 a.m.

PJ and Mary McNamara, Moneen
Hazel Behan, Burrane

Holy Saturday 8th April

Morning Prayer at 10 a.m. in Kilrush Church

Blessing of the Food for the Easter Breakfast

Święcenie Pokarmów Wielkanocnych at 3p.m. Polish &
others- All welcome Kilrush Church

Easter Vigil 9 p.m. in Knockerra Church

Easter Sunday 9th APRIL

Dawn Mass: At Killimer Car Ferry on Easter Sunday
morning at 6 a.m. Weather Permitting

All are welcome.

Easter Sunday Mass @ 10.30 a.m. in Killimer Church

Eucharistic Adoration

A big thank you to all those who were on the hourly rota
on the Tuesdays of Lent and all those who dropped in and
prayed or reflected in the presence of the Blessed
Sacrament. May you be blessed.

Priest Collection

The Priest's Collection for Easter will be taken up at all
masses this weekend. We ask your generous support.

Knockerra Church Saturday 15th April

Eucharist Minister: Patrick Fitzpatrick

Liturgy Reader: Ann Fitzpatrick

Knockerra Church Flower Rota April

Sonya Clancy & Ann Pyne

Killimer Church Sunday 16th April

Eucharist Minister: Mairead Slattery & Deirdre Grogan

Killimer Church Cleaning Rota April

Marian Culligan, Patricia Cunningham & Heidi
Brennan

Easter Holy Water

Bottles of Holy Water are available again this year and will be blessed at the Easter Vigil on Saturday night & at the Dawn Mass in Killimer & 10.30 a.m. They will be available for people afterwards.

Trocaire Boxes

Please return your Trócaire boxes to the churches during Holy Week. Envelopes for this collection are also in your box of envelopes. We encourage you to be as generous as possible.

Kilrush Youth Ministry

A number of students of Kilrush Community School are part of the Kilrush Youth Ministry Group and are organising a clothing collection. We would ask that all clean clothes in black bags be dropped to the school on Wednesday 19th April between 1pm - 4pm.

Rental Property

Do you have a house to rent or know of a property available to rent to a young couple working in the area. Please send details to carolineynch@yahoo.com who will forward on the information.

Easter Prayer

The veil of darkness transformed to the brightest light. The most dreadful end became the most beautiful beginning. The depths of despair fade to reveal hope everlasting. The curse of death defeated by eternal life. Thank you Lord for the wonder of Easter.

COPD

Are you, or is someone you know, living with a long term health condition? If so, then you may be interested in the 'Living Well Programme'. Living Well is a Free online, 6-week group self-management programme for adults living with long term health conditions, such as asthma, COPD, diabetes, heart conditions, stroke and others to name but a few. There are spaces available on our May 2023 Programmes. To book your place please contact Aine (041) 6850676 / (087) 1140371 or Joanne (041) 6860710 / (087) 4308735 or www.hse.ie/livingwe

Killimer G.A.A.

The lotto winner this week is Therese Duggan.

Divine Mercy Sunday

Prayers & chaplet for Divine Mercy Sunday & Benediction will take place in Kilrush Church on Sunday 16th April starting at 3pm. Opportunity for the Sacrament of Reconciliation/Confession available as well. All are welcome.

Structures Of The Diocese Meeting Feedback:

A very sincere thanks to all who were present at the recent meeting in the Community with Bishop Fintan for the conversation in relation to the structures in the diocese for the future. We would love to have any comments or feedback you would like to give having chatted & reflected on the meeting over the past few days. All comments/feedback can be dropped into the baskets or dropped into the sacristy.

Killimer Local History Group

Our next project is the creation of a Tapestry/Wall hanging, depicting the different aspects of the Parish. We have designed a blueprint of the proposed subjects we intend to include. When completed it will be on public display at various locations in the parish. We call on anyone with the skills of sketching, painting, sewing and embroidery, cross-stitch, patchwork, felting, knitting, crochet and anyone interested in this project to make contact with any of our members. Support will be provided. We look forward to hearing from you.

AN EASTER PRAYER

Christ our life, you are alive in the beauty of the earth in the rhythm of the seasons in the mystery of time and space.
Alleluia

Christ our life, you are alive in the tenderness of touch in the heartbeat of intimacy in the insights of solitude
Alleluia

Christ our life, you are alive in the creative possibility of the dullest conversation the dreariest task the most threatening event
Alleluia

Christ our life, you are alive to offer re-creation, to every unhealed hurt to every deadened place, to every damaged heart
Alleluia

You set before us a great choice. Therefore, we choose life. The dance of creation soars and surges through the whole creation. It sets gifts of bread and wine upon your table. This is grace, dying we live.

So let us live. (Cathy Galloway)