

## Killimer 16th & 17th September 2023

#### INIS CATHAIGH PASTORAL AREA

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Newsletter: email carolineylynch@yahoo.com before Midday on Wednesday

## **Knockerra Church**

## Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> September 8 p.m.

John, Peggy & John & Olivia Pyne Tommy Collins, Tullagower Mary & Michael Howard, Tarmon

## Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> September 8 p.m.

## **Killimer Church**

## Sunday 17th September 10.30 a.m.

John Behan & deceased family members, Burrane Murt Cunningham & deceased family members, Tiervarna

## Sunday 24th September 10.30 a.m.

Month's Mind: Ann Lillis, Woodview, Killimer. Mary Culligan

## Sunday 1st October 10.30 a.m.

Paddy Torpey, Donail

# Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> October 10.30 a.m. Mary & Jackie Bohannon, Killimer

## **Knockerra Church**

The Holy Rosary is on-going in Knockerra Church every evening at 7 p.m. Praying together is powerful, everyone is welcome

## 24 Hour Adoration

24 hour adoration is taking place in St. Senan's Church, Knockerra commencing Friday 15th September at 8.00p.m. If anyone wishes to spend some quiet time in prayer, please contact:-

Mary 086 3748065/Ann 087 7618813 or feel free to come at any time that suits you best.

## Condolence

We extend our sympathy to the family, relatives & friends of Theresa (Tessie) Power nee McMahon, Knockerra who died during the past week.

We extend our sympathy to the family, relatives & friends of Kathleen (Kay) Breen nee Conway Tiernaglohane, Cooraclare and formerly of Tullagower, Knockerra who died during the past week. May they rest in peace.

## **Franciscan Brothers**

Br. Brian Johnson would like to extend very sincere thanks for the warm & kind welcome last weekend & for all who contributed so generously to the Franciscan Brothers Appeal. Total contributed so far €741.

## Killimer G.A.A.

The lotto winner this week is Fr. Pat Larkin

## Knockerra Church Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> September

**Eucharist Minister: Pat Fitzpatrick** Liturgy Reader: Mairead Grogan

## **Knockerra Church Flower Rota September**

Susie Griffin

## Killimer Church Sunday 24th September

Eucharist Minister: John Madigan & Anne Cooper

## **Killimer Church Cleaning September**

Caroline Brennan, Patsy O'Driscoll, Eve Browne & Marie Kelly.

## **Knockerra N.S. Clothes Collection**

If you are doing a clear out and have any unwanted clothes, we would be delighted to receive them for our Clothes Collection Fundraiser.

## **Irish And PE Grinds**

Leaving and Junior Certificate Irish grinds and Leaving Certificate PE grinds available. Contact (087) 6811653 for more information.

## Pastoral Letter On Road Safety

Bishop Fintan has issued a Pastoral Letter on Road Safety. According to the RSA figures of Road Traffic Fatalities from January 1<sup>st</sup> to July 26<sup>th</sup>, 2023 were 95 in total, being a 10% increase on last year and the highest in the past 6 years. To date in 2023, a total of 120 people have died on Irish roads, 22 more than the same period in 2022 and the highest number in many years. A well worth read <a href="https://www.killaloediocese.ie/a-pastoral-message-on-road-safety">https://www.killaloediocese.ie/a-pastoral-message-on-road-safety</a>

## Mercy Day

On Sunday 24<sup>th</sup>, we celebrate Mercy Day. We say thanks to God for the Sisters of Mercy, Kilrush giving a vibrant Mercy Presence and we thank all the sisters for witnessing to the gospel message in our area down through the years & in present times.

## A Christian Prayer In Union With Creation (from Laudato Si, 246).

Father, we praise you with all your creatures. They came forth from your all-powerful hand; they are yours, filled with your presence and

your tender love.

Praise be to you! Son of God, Jesus,

through you all things were made.
You were formed in the womb of Mary our
Mother.

you became part of this earth, and you gazed upon this world with human eyes.

Today you are alive in every creature in your risen glory.

Praise be to you!
Holy Spirit, by your light
you guide this world towards the Father's love
and accompany creation as it groans in travail.

You also dwell in our hearts and you inspire us to do what is good. Praise be to you!

## **New Jive Dance Classes**

Cooraclare Hall, starting 5<sup>th</sup> Oct for beginners & Improvers

For all information Tel: Senan Murphy @ 086 3709437 Visit: www.jivewithsenan.ie

## Free Anxiety Workshops in Kilrush

Free Mental Health & Wellbeing Workshops in Kilrush Join us for our Anxiety Series Workshops For anyone aged 18+ with an interest in mental health.

Recovery from Mental Health Challenges is Possible Weds. Sept 20<sup>th</sup> Pt. 1 Exploring Anxiety 10.30am-1.00pm In this workshop we explore our understanding of anxiety. We discuss a range of topics including "what is anxiety?", "what causes anxiety? and "is anxiety normal?"

Anxiety Series Wednesday. Sept 27<sup>th</sup> Pt. 2 Managing Anxiety 10.30am-1.00pm This second workshop in the series focuses on managing anxiety. We explore practical tips and tools that you can put into practice when anxiety strikes. In particular, we will discuss who or what can help when managing anxiety.

The Lighthouse West Clare Mental Health Association Lime Kiln Road Kilrush Co Clare V15 XC58 Limited places available. To book Contact: James Fennelly Email: westclaremha@mentalhealthireland.ie Tel. 085 8559511

## **Samaritans**

Interested in becoming a Samaritan volunteer? Samaritans Ennis and Clare are currently seeking new volunteers for the Autumn 2023 training programme. Volunteers offer their time (approximately 3 to 4 hours a week) to help deliver a 24-hour emotional support service to callers from all walks of life. If you are tolerant, open-minded, and willing to help others please call 085 1763491 or email ennis.branchrecruitment@samaritans.org for further information.

#### **Irish Red Cross**

5k run, walk or jog in aid of Irish Red Cross, Clare Community Services. Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> September at 11am. Start from Lee's Road, Ennis. Registration fees: adult €15; family €25. Prizes 1st, 2nd & 3rd for male/female. To register visit www.eventbrite.com or arrive early on the day 9am to 10.45am.

# **Evelyn Mac Mahon School of Speech and Drama**

Classes available for primary & secondary pupils. Tel Every Mac Mahon 085 1884158