



Killimer Parish 17th & 18th February 2024

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Knockerra Church

Saturday 24th February 8 p.m.

1st Anniversary: Eileen Crowley, Tullagower
Kitty & Tommy Flanagan, Coolminga & deceased
family members.

Months Mind: Francis Browne, Knockerra
Tommy Collins, Tullagower

Saturday 9th March 8 p.m.

Michael, Patrick and Anne O'Brien

Killimer Church

Sunday 18th February 10.30 a.m.

Francie Lillis, Ballymacrinnan

Sunday 3rd March 10.30 a.m.

Joan Peters 2nd Anniversary

Patrick Clohessy

Sean Cooper

Margaret Kelly, Ballymacrinnan

Michael Burke

Paddy & Jenny Martin

Killimer Parish 03.02 & 10.02

Baskets €155

Envelopes € 480

<u>Feb 17th</u>	<u>Feb 24th</u>	<u>Mar 2nd</u>	<u>Mar 9th</u>
Kilrush 6.30 pm	Kilrush 6.30	Kilrush 6.30	Kilrush 6.30 pm
Cree 8 pm	Knockerra 8 pm	Cree 8pm	Knockerra 8 pm
<u>Feb 18th</u>	<u>Feb 25th</u>	<u>Mar 3rd</u>	<u>Mar 10th</u>
Kilrush 9 am	Kilrush 9 am	Kilrush 9 am	Kilrush 9 am
Killimer 10.30 am	Cooraclare 10.30 am	Killimer 10.30 am	Cooraclare 10.30 am
Kilmihil 11 am	Kilmihil 11 am	Kilmihil 11 am	Kilmihil 11 am
Kilrush 12	Kilrush 12	Kilrush 12	Kilrush 12

Graveyard Masses

The following are the dates for our 2024 Annual
Graveyard Masses

Monday 1st July Knockerra @ 7.30 pm; Tuesday 2nd July
Molougha @ 7.30 pm; Wednesday 3rd July Burrane @
7.30 pm.

St. Senan

The feast of St. Senan takes place on Friday 8th March. St.
Senan offered the light of hope to the people of West
Clare in difficult times. We will have a liturgy of prayer
and reflection in St. Senan's Church, Kilrush to celebrate
the gift of St. Senan on Friday 8th. More details to follow.

Eucharist Ministers Killimer

Sunday 18th February: John Madigan & Anne Cooper

Knockerra Saturday 24th February

Eucharist Minister: Pat Fitzpatrick

Liturgy Readers: Teresa Fitzpatrick

Knockerra Church Flower Rota February

Nora Madigan & Mary Callaghan

Killimer Church Cleaning February

Veronica Hassett & Bernie Kelly.

St. Martin De Porres

On Friday March 8th, at 7pm, the Dominicans from Galway will say Mass at St. Mary's Church, Kilmurry McMahon, in honour of St. Martin de Porres, and celebrating 800 years of the Dominicans arrival to Ireland. The theme of the Mass is healing, focusing especially on healing within families. A blessing with a relic of St. Martin's will also be provided. All are welcome.

Trócaire Boxes

Trócaire Boxes for Lent are available at the back of the Church this weekend. This year's Trócaire's Lenten Campaign focuses on the country of Malawi, Africa. Malawi is one of the least developed countries in the world and has been badly affected by climate change. Trócaire this year will help the devastating situation of families in Malawi. We encourage you to take a box home with you & to be as generous as possible.

Stations Of The Cross

Stations Of The Cross will be prayed after 10 a.m. Mass each Friday in Kilrush Church. We invite & encourage as many as possible to join with us for this special time of prayer.

Killimer GAA

We are having a Cash for Clobber collection at the end of February. Your bags can be dropped at the Clubhouse between 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. each weekday or from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

If you need your bags collected, please contact Joe at (086) 267 3262. Thank you for your continued support.

Lourdes Diocesan Pilgrimages

Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes & World Day of Prayer for the Sick. This Sunday we celebrate the 166th anniversary of Mary's, God's Mother appearing to St Bernadette at Lourdes and inviting her to bring people to Lourdes on pilgrimage. This invitation is now issued to the Diocese of Killaloe to come on pilgrimage to Lourdes from Friday 21st June to Wednesday 26th June. Cost €899pp sharing. Booking can be made with joewalstours.ie or 01 2410800. The Diocese will be able to bring 24 assisted pilgrims, for more information on this section, please contact Fr Tom Ryan Pilgrimage Director, 087 2349816 or tfryan.ennis@gmail.com

Knockerra Church Choir

Choir practice on Saturday February 24th at 6.30pm for Confirmation. All welcome.

Killimer GAA

All at Killimer GAA Club would like to wholeheartedly thank everyone who attended the Celebration Dinner Dance in the Armada Hotel on the 10th February. Shortly after the final whistle blew on County Final Day, thoughts turned to organising a formal celebration befitting of this momentous victory. The preparations began and on Saturday these culminated in an event worthy of the immense achievements of 2023.

The function room was bedecked in green and gold and so the scene was set for an evening of recalling the joyous memories of a season to remember.

We were delighted to have Kieran Keating, Chairman of the County Board, in attendance. He wished the team all the best with their Intermediate campaign. Current Doonbeg and former Clare star David Tubridy was on hand to make the presentations. He also spoke warmly of his time working with the team.

The feats of each player were noted before they received their County Medal. The efforts of the management team were also recognised. They received plaques to acknowledge the part they played. The sense of pride in the room was palpable and will surely serve as inspiration into the future.

The evening also gave us an opportunity to commemorate the 25th anniversary of the McNamara Cup victory. The team and management of 1999 were individually introduced and presented with a framed photograph. The support that has been received from within the parish, from the diaspora and indeed outside the parish has been overwhelming. It is deeply appreciated and we look forward to seeing you all in a few weeks when the matches resume!

Irish Oral Grinds

Individual and small group Leaving Certificate Irish oral grinds available up until exam during Easter. Both remote and in-person grinds catered for. Contact (087) 6811 653 for more details.

Adult Faith Formation-Lenten Series:

A Lenten Adult Faith Formation series entitled "Scripture as a Pathway to Faith" will take place in the Community Centre, Kilrush on Wednesday 21st, 28th February & March 6th & 13th. Time 8 pm- 9.15pm each night. This will be a very gentle reflection on the gift of the Word of God in the Bible & how it can connect with our lives.