



Killimer Parish 5th & 6th April 2025

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Knockerra Church

Saturday 5th April 8pm

Saturday 3rd May 8pm

Patsy Oakley

Josie Toman

Tess Culligan, Tullagower

Sean Duggan, Tarmon

Paddy Flanagan, Coolminga

Killimer Church

Sunday 13th April 10.30 a.m.

Sunday 27th April 10.30 a.m.

P. J. & Mary McNamara, Moneen

John Coughlan, Coolminga 1st Anniversary

Hazel Behan, 4th Anniversary

Sunday 11th May 10.30 a.m.

Matthew & Ann O'Driscoll & deceased family members.

1st Anniversary: Nora Carmody, Donogogue

Holy Rosary

Holy Rosary continues every evening at 7 o'clock in Knockerra Church

Killimer Parish Masses

April 5th at 8pm in Knockerra Church

April 13th at 10.30 am in Killimer Church

April 17th at 8pm in Knockerra Church Holy Thursday

April 18th 3pm in Killimer Church Good Friday

April 19th 8pm in Knockerra Church Holy Saturday

April 20th Dawn Mass Killimer Ferry (Time to follow)

April 20th 10.30 Killimer Church Easter Sunday

Mass Times

Knockerra Every second Saturday at 8pm.

Killimer Every second Sunday at 10.30 a.m.

Knockerra Church – Mass Tuesday at 8.55 a.m.

Killimer Church- Mass Friday at 8.55 am.

Knockerra Church- Liturgy of Word Monday & Wednesday at 8.55am

Season of Lent

Mass in Knockerra Church on Tuesday at 8.55 am.

Mass in Killimer Church on Friday at 8.55 am.

Eucharistic Adoration

Eucharistic Adoration will take place every Friday in Knockerra Church from 6pm to 10pm. Everyone is welcome. Come if you can.

Eucharistic Ministers Killimer

Sunday 13th April: John Madigan & Anne Cooper

Killimer Church Cleaning Rota April

Marian Culligan, Patricia Cunningham & Heidi Brennan

Knockerra Saturday 5th April

Eucharist Minister: John Grogan

Liturgy Readers: Ann Fitzpatrick

Knockerra Church Flower Rota April

Mary Ruth Neylon

Killimer Local History Group

We invite you to join us on Sunday 13th April after Killimer Mass c. 11.45 a.m. at Roadstone Cross (Close to Moneypoint) for the unveiling of the Ballymacrinnan, Clooneylissane, Moneen historical townland marker.

Easter Camp Knockerra National

School

Knockerra National School will host an Easter Camp from 14th – 18th April 2025 from 10am – 2pm for children in the West Clare area. For further details please email killimerjuniorcamp@gmail.com

Christians- Holy Land

Our Holy Father, Pope Francis has asked every Catholic Parish to take up a collection on Good Friday to support the needs of Christians in the Holy Land. This year the needs are massive and the plight of the Christians in the land of Jesus is desperate. The exhortation to support the Saints in Jerusalem was first made by St. Paul in many of his letters. The Church has always supported this call & I ask you to be as generous as you can this Good Friday.

Laudato Si': Care For Our Common Home

Laudato Si' has instilled in me that to care for Creation is not an option, as a Christian it is our responsibility. It is a way of life which raises our consciousness, inspires us to change, to make our voices heard and above all to raise our spirits to say Laudato Si' mi Signore. (Praised be to You, my Lord!)

LGBTQI+Synodal Outreach

Recently a small working group have been meeting in response to the Universal Synod's invitation to engage with those who feel 'excluded or judged because of their marital situation, identity or sexuality.' (Final Document of Universal Synod) This working group has focused particularly on LGBTQI+ and is collaboration between the Dioceses of Limerick and Killaloe. We are now delighted to announce that a gathering for prayer and reflection will take place on Thursday 1st May, at 7.30p.m. in the JPPI Oratory at the Crescent Shopping Centre. This gathering will include an opportunity to meet, listen and pray together and welcomes LGBTQI+ people, along with family members and allies.

Liturgy of Holy Week

Palm Sunday

Palm Sunday is the beginning of Holy Week. The Blessing of Palm will take place at Mass in Killimer next Sunday at 10.30am. Palm will be available in Knockerra Church over the weekend.

Chrism Mass

This will take place in St. Brendan's Church, Birr on Wednesday 16th April at 7.30pm. At this mass Bishop Fintan will bless the oils used in Sacraments, Oil of Catechumens, Oil of Chrism & Oil of the Sick and the priests will renew their commitment at ordination. All are welcome.

The following are the times for Holy Week Liturgies in Killimer Parish

Holy Thursday 17th April at 8 pm in Knockerra Church
Good Friday 18th April – Liturgy of the Passion at 3 pm in Killimer Church
Holy Saturday 19th April – Easter Vigil at 8 pm in Knockerra Church
Easter Sunday 20th April – Easter Morning Dawn Mass at Killimer Car Ferry (TBC)
Easter Morning Mass at 10.30 am in Killimer Church.

Dawn Mass

This year we will celebrate Dawn Mass at Killimer Car Ferry. We extend a warm welcome to join us for this special occasion as we celebrate the Resurrection of the Lord on Easter Day. Time will be clarified next weekend

Lenten Service Of Reconciliation

In Kilkee Church next Sunday 13th April at 3pm in preparation for Easter. This is an invitation for both Pastoral Areas (Cois Fharraige & Inis Cathaigh) coming together & a number of priests will be available. Following the Reconciliation Service a Lenten Pilgrimage Walk will take place from Kilkee to St. Senan's Altar at Bansha commencing from Kilkee Church via Doonbeg Road and Lislanahan at 3.40 p.m. You are invited to take part.

Trócaire

Next month we will celebrate the 10th Anniversary of "Laudato Si'. Have you read Laudato Si'? Would you like to learn more about it? Find out more at trocaire.org/our-work/working-inireland/parishes/laudato-si Laudato Si' Week runs from May 19th – 26th 2025. How could your parish celebrate it? We will have ideas and events keep an eye on our website trocaire.org