

Parish of Kilmovee

Church of the
Immaculate
Conception,
Kilmovee

St. Joseph's Church
Urlaur



St. Celsus' Church,
Kilkelly

St. Patrick's Church,
Glann



MISSION STATEMENT

The Parish of Kilmovee is a Christian Community, committed to making everyone welcome through meeting in liturgy, prayer and friendship as we bear witness to the love and compassion of Jesus Christ. *Fáilte roimh gach éinne.*



The Baptism of the Lord – 12th January 2014

The Sacrament of Baptism



We call it *“the gateway to the sacraments”* - it's a very appropriate title and image since the gateway leads us into an open space or the familiarity of home.

The gateway allows access, invites entrance and speaks of something, someone, some place that is worth visiting and taking some time to explore.

All of us have come through this “gateway” and, as we recall the Lord's baptism, maybe we could do worse than spend a bit of time recalling our own.

What has happened to the gateway? Are we thankful that the path was opened to and for us at the Baptismal Font?

As we hear the details of Jesus' baptism it might be good to become familiar with our own.

Who was there? Who are our Godparents? Do I know what priest baptized me? If these people are still with me, maybe I could say thanks for taking me to and through the gateway. If they have died, maybe a prayer for their Eternal Rest.

It's that sort of day A day to remember, a day to pray



PLEASE PRAY FOR

We remember Paddy Duffy, Aughaduffin and Margaret Towey, Larganboy, (sister of Kathleen Moran, Glann) who died during the week and, in a special way, all whose anniversaries occur around this time. May they rest in peace.



The weekly Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament will resumes this Monday 13th January for Kilmovee and Glann. Thank you to all who come to our parish adoration, it is truly a blessing in our parish. All are welcome.

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES

The boxes of envelopes for your 2014 contributions to the parish are now available. Many thanks to all who use the weekly envelope system and to all who contribute to the upkeep of the parish and support of the priests. If you are not already receiving a box and would like to, please let one of the priests know as soon as possible. We encourage as many as possible to use Offertory Envelope system. Thank you.

HOUSE TO RENT

There are two houses available for rent in St Michaels estate. The first is a one bedroomed bungalow. The second is a three bedroomed, two storey house. The houses are located beside the church and the community centre which offers a variety of

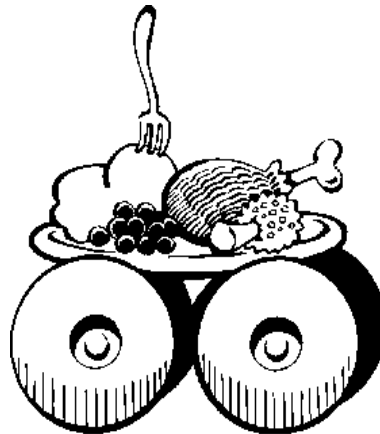
services such as meals on wheels and a laundry. For more information please contact the community centre on 094 9649484.

GUITAR LESSONS

Guitar Lessons return in Kilmovee Family Resource Centre on Sat 18th Jan at 12 noon. New comers welcome.

LADIES CLUB

The Kilmovee Ladies Club dinner will be held on Saturday 18th January at 7.30 pm in Kilmovee Community Centre. This year we are having a Fish and Chip Supper including starter and dessert followed by dancing to Night Owl Disco. Cost for members is €12 and for non-members is €15. To book your place please contact Pauline on 087 7622451. The menu for the evening is as follows: Starter: Choice of Egg Mayonnaise or Caesar Salad Main: Fish and Chips with a choice of garden or mushy peas Dessert: Choice of Fruit Pavlova or Chocolate Trifle.



MEALS ON WHEELS

Did you know that Kilmovee Community Centre offers a meals on wheels service? For more information please contact the centre on 094 9649484.

SOCIAL DANCING

Learn to dance with Sean and Kay! Social dancing has resumed in Kilmovee Community Centre on Thursday evenings from 8.30-10 pm. Learn the waltz, foxtrot and many

more. All welcome, partners not required.

CATHOLIC SCHOOLS WEEK 2014

Sunday 26th January, marks the beginning of Catholic Schools Week 2014. The purpose of the week is to highlight and celebrate the wonderful contribution that Catholic schools make to our local communities, parishes and diocese. This year's theme is *Catholic Schools: Places of Faith and Learning*. The Annual Mass with Bishop Kelly to mark Catholic Schools Week will take place in the **Church of Immaculate Conception, Ballymote on Tuesday 28th January at 7.30pm**. All are welcome to this Mass, but especially those involved in any way in our school communities, now or in the past: Parents, Teachers and other staff, Pupils, Boards of Management, Clergy, and Religious.

BULLETIN ON-LINE

A reminder that the parish bulletin is available each week on our Parish Website www.kilmoveeparish.com

MEN ON THE MOVE

A re-launch of men on the move starting Wednesday 15th Jan from 6.30pm at Kilmovee Community Centre [running in conjunction with Operation Transformation Mayo], and costs €25 for 8weeks. For more details please contact Kilmovee FRC on 094 9649814.

SUPERVISED STUDY

Supervised study has recommenced Monday - Thursday evenings from 5.15-7.45 pm in Kilmovee Community Centre. The cost is €2.50 per evening.

KILMOVEE SHAMROCKS

The numbers drawn for Sat 4th of Jan were 4,25,42,43. There was no winner. Next weeks jackpot is €4,500. Don't forget club AGM is on Sat next 18th Jan in Club house at 5pm. It is vital that there is a good attendance for the survival of the club.

LADIES BASKETBALL

Ladies basketball returns on Tues in Kilmovee Community Centre at 8.30pm.

MINISTRIES NEXT WEEK

URLAUR:

SS Reader: Lorraine Collins
Eucharist: Nuala Hawkins
Offertory: Gallagher Family
Servers: Volunteers

KILMOVEE:

SS Reader: Carmel Loftus
Eucharist: Michelle Jordan
Offertory: Hunt Family
Servers: F Regan, T McCann,
J McCann, T Rushe

GLANN:

SS Reader: Shelia Harrington
Eucharist: Mary T Duffy
Offertory: Dunleavy Family
Servers: M. Sweeney & A. Henry

KILKELLY:

SS Reader: Ivan Leetch
Eucharist: Tina Coakley
Offertory: Volunteers
Servers: S. Dunleavy & D. Regan

PAYPOINT

Kilmovee Community Centre will soon be offering a new service. Paypoint is a bill payment service which allows customers to pay bills such as gas, electricity and telephone. Mobile top ups can also be purchased for almost all mobile networks and customers will not be charged the added 50c fee that is applied elsewhere. For more information on this service please contact the centre on 094 9649484.

MEET AND TRAIN

The programme designed to give people an opportunity to get fit and enjoy walking, running or jogging in a structured environment. Participants set their own goals and are assisted by a full trainer/ leader. The activities are all outdoors and are free. It began at Kilmovee Community Centre on Sat 11th Jan at 10am and will take place every Sat thereafter. Also Mayo Sports Partnership are calling on groups, clubs or communities throughout Mayo that have started or hope to start an 'Operation Transformation Walking, Running or Exercise Group' to contact us and let us know the details of your community/club/group/workplace programme. So if you are following the programme on television and would like to be part of the action please come along on to

the meet and train group on Sat mornings. Thanks

LADIES WALKING/ FITNESS PROGRAMME

Names are currently being taken for the next Ladies indoor walking/fitness programme which starts soon. To book your place please call Kilmovee FRC on 094 9649814 as places are limited and booking is essential.

YEAR OF PRAYER

This week we focus our Diocesan Prayer on the Parish of Achonry-Mullinabreena. Please pray the Diocesan Prayer whenever possible during the week.

PARISH OF ACHONRY-MULLINABREENA

The parish is a rural parish of 250 families in Co. Sligo, situated in the north of the Diocese. It has two churches, a four teacher national school, and many active community organisations. Also in the parish is the Church of Ireland Cathedral, and the 1500 year old site of the first Christian settlement of St. Nathy patron of the Diocese, from this historic site a stone was presented at the 2012 Eucharistic congress as a symbol of faith and prayer. In this parish also are the ruins of a Franciscan Abbey dating back to the fourteenth century and a Holy Well dedicated to the memory of St. Finian.

WARMER HOMES SCHEME

"Clar ICH wishes to invite applications for the Warmer Homes Scheme. Applicants must fit the eligibility criteria set down by SEAI: - Covering most of Mayo. 1. Owner occupied, non-Local Authority Homes (Proof is required) 2. Constructed before 2006 The Owner must be in receipt of one of the following: (1.) Fuel Allowance as part of the National Fuel Scheme, (2) Job Seekers Allowance for over 6 months and with children under 7 years of age. (3) Family Income Support. Further details and for an application form please contact the Warmer Homes Scheme Team at 094 -9371830 or 094-9373455."

RUNNING TRACK

Based on recent demand the Aghamore community development athletics track will be open every Monday, Wednesday, and Fridays nights from 7 to 8.30 starting on the 6th of January. There will be a €2 charge to cover the cost of lighting each night. This facility is available during daylight hours free of charge as per usual

MAYO STROKE SUPPORT

The Mayo Stroke Support Group in association with Croí, the West of Ireland Cardiac Foundation will hold its next meeting, on Thursday 30th January 2014 in the Newman Institute (Cathedral Grounds) Ballina between 11.30am - 1pm. The theme for this meeting is - 'Know about It!' - practical information and safety after a stroke. Free Admission and tea/coffee provided. For further information, contact Niamh Murtagh on 094-9049342 or Barbara Ginley on 096 21511

FINAL VOLUME

Fr Liam Swords, R.I.P. undertook the task of compiling a History of Achonry Diocese. To date this saw the publication of "A Dominant Church", "A Hidden Church" (and a slight deviation from the topic but born out of his research, a book on the effects of the Famine on the people of the West of Ireland "In Their Own Words"). Fr Liam had completed the final volume but sadly did not live to see it published. The publishing has now taken place and the volume entitled "A People's Church" is now available. (Published by Columba Press) Copies are available in the parish so if you are interested, please contact either priest. May God grant Fr Liam the rest earned from a long and fruitful ministry. May he rest in peace.

RECENTLY BAPTIZED

We wish every blessing and good health to babies **Patrick James Kenny**, Kilkelly (recently baptized in Urlaur) and **Liam Gregory Durkan**, Magheraboy and Sydney (baptized in Kilmovee). We congratulate both families at this special time in their lives.



CHURCH DIARY THIS WEEK

Church of the Immaculate Conception, Kilmovee

Sunday 12th January	10.00am	James Horan, Culgarriif
Monday 13th January	10.00am	Special Intention
Monday 13th January	_____	Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament (10.30am-10pm Prayer Room)
Tuesday 14th January	12noon	Funeral Mass for Paddy Duffy, R.I.P., Aughadeffin
Wednesday 15th January	10.00am	Donor's Intention
Thursday 16th January	10.00am	Mary Sherlock, Moygara
Friday 17th January	10.00am	Donor's Intention
Saturday 18th January	_____	No Morning Mass
Sunday 19th January	10.00am	Kathleen Shaugnessy

St Joseph's Church Urlaur

Saturday 11th January	7.00pm	Bernie Towey, Aughadeffin.
Wednesday 15th January	_____	Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament (4pm-9pm in the sacristy)
Saturday 18th January	7.00pm	Seamus Gallagher, Aughadeffin (1st Anniversary)

St Celsus Church, Kilkelly

Sunday 12th January	11.15am	Thomas & Mary Nyland & Anthony & Annie Regan, deceased family members
Tuesday 14th January	9.00am	Mary Forkin, Carrabeg
Wednesday 15th January	9.00am	Special Intention
Wednesday 15th January	_____	Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament 9.00am-3.00pm
Thursday 16th January	_____	Holy Souls
Friday 17th January	8.00pm	Michael Cummins, Goulane (Rosary 7.40pm)
Sunday 19th January	11.15am	Donor's Intentions

St Patrick's Church, Glann

Saturday 11th January	8.00pm	Martin & Mary Gallagher, Cloonnama
Monday 13th January	8.00pm	Geraldine Egan, Castlebar & Sinolane
Saturday 18th January	8.00pm	Thomas & Bea Dunleavy & deceased of Dunleavy family, Sinolane

Priests' Phone Numbers

Fr Vincent Sherlock P.P., Kilmovee 094-964 9137
 Fr John Maloney C.C., Kilkelly 094-936 7031

PARISH EMAIL - kilmoveeparish@achonrydiocese.org

Notices for Bulletin by Thursday evening please. Email, where possible, is appreciated and contact details should be included. Thank you.

Parish Website - www.kilmoveeparish.com

Diocesan Website - www.achonrydiocese.org

Community Website - www.kilmovee.info

Parish Bulletin - kilmoveeparish.com/newsletter

Primary Schools

Kilmovee 094-986 1282
 Tavrane 094-964 9065
 St. Theresa's, Kilkelly 094-936 7371

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY - 086-372 5256 - Monday to Friday 3pm-7pm