

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.



Palm (Passion) Sunday – 13th April 2014



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AN INVITATION

As mentioned in recent weeks there will be a very special opportunity to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation in our Diocese this Palm Sunday evening.

In each Parish Church of our Diocese there will be a priest available to celebrate this Sacrament with those who choose to come along. Thirty four priests, in total, including our bishop, will be involved.

This is the first time this has been done at the same hour across the twenty-three parishes of our diocese and we very much hope that people will hear and accept the call of God, through His Church, to seek His guidance and forgiveness.

A special word of encouragement to those who may not have attended this Sacrament in some time.

Please do not put it off any longer but make the time this Sunday evening between 5pm-6pm in Kilmovee Parish Church or any of the Parish Churches in our neighbouring parishes.



PLEASE PRAY FOR

We remember all whose anniversaries occur around this time. May they rest in peace.

HOLY WEEK CEREMONIES

Please check our Parish Diary Page for times of Holy Week Ceremonies. Please join us for as many of the ceremonies as possible. Please note that there will be Mass on Easter Sunday morning at Dawn on the grounds of Urlaur Abbey. We will look for additional volunteers to assist with the Holy Week Ceremonies and look forward to as many as possible taking part. Thanks to all our Altar Servers who will participate in the Ceremonies. We ask them to attend for practices as arranged. The children of First Holy Communion Class (Kilmovee) are invited to take part in the "Washing of Feet" liturgy during the Mass of The Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday. If they can come to the church about twenty minutes before the Mass, that would be very much appreciated.

THE LIGHT IS ON

A reminder that there will be an opportunity to attend Confessions for Easter in Kilmovee Church this Palm Sunday evening from 5pm-6pm. There will be two visiting priests in attendance. This is for the **ENTIRE** parish and we hope that people will come along from all our church areas.

GOOD FRIDAY QUIZ

Kilmovee Thursday Club and Kilmovee Shamrocks will hold their annual quiz on Good Friday April 18th. It is a fun quiz and is suitable for children and adults.

LADIES CLUB

Ladies Club Wednesday 16th April. This month will be a surprise evening – something different – come along and see what we have in store for

you. Start time is 7.30pm. Members €3, Non Members €5

KILMOVEE 10K

The annual 10k takes place once again on Holy Saturday April 19th at 1pm. Those intending in taking part may register on line. Proceeds from the race go to Mayo/Roscommon Hospice and Kilmovee Shamrocks GAA club. Also we will be looking for some home cooking for race day. Our feedback tells us that one of the unique aspects of the Kilmovee 10k is the hospitality and atmosphere in the village on race day and it's a credit to all who have supported and helped out in any way in the past. So if your a dab hand at the baking and would like to help out in some way please text or call John on 08617371111.

HOLY PLACES

Traditionally a collection is taken up for the up-keep of the Holy Places on Good Friday, after the Celebration of the Lord's Passion.

QUILTING CLASSES

A quilting class will be held for young people between the ages of 12 and 18 in Kilmovee Community Centre on Thursday 24th and Friday 25th April. Starts at 1.00pm and finishes at 4.00pm. The project for the two days is making a quilted pot holder. Total cost is €20 per person. All materials and sewing machines will be provided. Booking is essential. Deadline for bookings is April 11th. Please call Nuala on 0949649484.

DIVINE MERCY NOVENA

The Divine Mercy Novena begins in Kilkelly Church on Good Friday at 4.30pm and will said on Holy Saturday at 11am. It will then take place every day after morning Mass from Easter Sunday till Friday 25th April. On Saturday 26th April there will be a vigil in Kilkelly church to mark the Canonisation of Blessed John XXIII and Blessed John Paul II. More details next week.

CHRISM MASS

All are invited and welcome to attend the Chrism Mass at 11am on Holy Thursday in the Cathedral, Ballaghaderreen. It is also an opportunity to pray for the bishop and priests of the diocese.

TROCAIRE COLLECTION

You are asked to return your Trocaire Box contribution today or on Holy Thursday. If you have been using the box during Lent and, **IF**, it is convenient, you might count the change and convert to the nearest notes. This makes it easier for totalling the collection and forwarding to Trocaire. If you haven't been using the box, there is an envelope for your donation in the Trocaire Pack (some still available at our Church doors. The contributions will be presented during the Offertory Procession on Holy Thursday evening.

EASTER COLLECTION

Collection will be taken up at all Masses Holy Saturday and Easter Sunday; **Please use your purple envelope** in the box for your contribution or put it in a separate envelope marked "Priests' Collection",

DAWN MASS

Mass at Urlaur Abbey on Easter Sunday morning. We'll gather around 5.45am and hope to begin Mass around 6am. If weather does not permit, we'll celebrate Mass in Urlaur Church. Please follow direction of stewards for parking etc. and spread the invitation

MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

All our Ministers of Holy Communion wishing to continue their ministry in the parish, are invited to renew their commitment to the Ministry at Masses on Holy Thursday evening. We congratulate at this time, five new Ministers of Holy Communion who were commissioned by Bishop Brendan Kelly at Mass in Charlestown on Thursday last. They are: Bridie Denning, Thomas Haran, Michaela Boland, Lorraine Collins and Peadar Grennan. We thank them for accepting the invitation to participate in this very important ministry in our parish.

KILMOVEE/URLAUR COMMUNIYT ALERT

Kilmovee/Urlaur Community Text Alert system is operational since March 24th. For more information please feel free to contact Ann on 0949649814

MINISTRIES NEXT WEEK

URLAUR: DAWN MASS/11.30am

SS Reader: B Grennan/N Hawkins
Eucharist: A McDonnell/L Collins
Offertory: Volunteers
Servers: Volunteers

KILMOVEE: EASTER SUNDAY

SS Reader: S McCann
Eucharist: J Hunt/M Roddy
Offertory: Volunteers
Servers: A Moffatt, E Moffatt,
K Golden, S Rooney, J Dunney

GLANN: EASTER SUNDAY

SS Reader: R. Callaghan, R. Flatley
Eucharist: M. T. Duffy & T. Coakley
Offertory: Volunteers
Servers: M. Sweeney & Z. Loftus,
A. Henry

KILKELLY: EASTER SUNDAY

SS Reader: F. Henry & C. Leetch,
Eucharist: M. Cafferkey & R. Walsh
Offertory: Volunteers
Servers: As Arranged

YEAR OF PRAYER

***remembering* PARISH OF FOXFORD**

Foxford (traditionally known as Toomore) is situated in east Mayo. The parish boundary on the west is the river Moy which separates the parish from the diocese of Killala. There are three churches in the parish. On the north side, tucked into the Ox Mountains is the church at Attymachugh, which originally was a primary school. On the east side bordering the parish of Swinford, is the church of the Assumption in Toomore. The parish church in Foxford was built in 1879. In 1961-62 major renovations were carried out on the church, and on 27th September 1962, Bishop James Fergus re-dedicated the church to St. Michael, the Archangel. The parish is also home to the beautiful Covent Chapel which was built by the Sisters of Charity in 1925. The Foxford Woollen Mills, founded by the Sisters of Charity in 1892, is still in operation and attracts many visitors throughout the year. Foxford has an excellent Addiction Treatment Centre, appropriately called 'Hope House'. There is one primary school, Scoil an Croí Naofa, with over two hundred and sixty pupils, and one

secondary school, St. Joseph's. Fr. Pdraig Costello is the parish priest of Foxford

CAISEAL GAELS

Caiseal Gaels Minor Result: Castlebar Mitchels Hurling 2-12 to Caiseal Gaels 2 - 4. Next match against Westport.

MOTORBIKE RUN

A motorbike run will take place on Easter Saturday, April 19th in support of Western Care Association Children's Autism Services. Registration at Western Care's Head Office, John Moore Road, Castlebar (beside the Swimming Pool) from 10am to 10.45am. The route will take bikers around all the major Mayo towns finishing back in Castlebar at 4.30pm approx. Registration fee is €20 and Bucket collections will take place in all towns on the route. Please support this worthy cause. Telephone: 094-9029144

COMMUNITY GAMES

Mayo Community Games County Finals for Swimming 2014 are as follows: Sunday 4th May in Ballina Swimming Pool, for U8 and U10, 12.45pm, U12, 14 and 16 at 2pm. For more information contact 0872326463

MAYO STORKE GROUP

The Mayo Stroke Support Group in association with Croí, the West of Ireland Cardiac Foundation will hold its next meeting "Learn about it – fatigue after stroke" on Thursday 24th April in The Tennis Club, **Castlebar** between 11.30am - 1pm. This support group is for adults living with the experience of stroke and their families/carers and friends. It aims to facilitate social activities, provide information, raise awareness and offer support and practical advice on living with stroke. Free Admission. For further information contact Niamh Murtagh (094) 9049342, Barbara Ginley (096) 21511 or Alanna NiMhiochain (094) 9042368

KILMOVEE SHAMROCKS

The numbers drawn for the lotto draw for Saturday April 5th were 1,7,8,41 There was no winner. The jackpot now stands at €5,150.

Monthly Draw winners for April were Karol Rushe Kilmovee free 2015 lotto ticket, €50 Johnny Towey Snr, Kilmovee and Pat Rushe, Kilmovee and Sarah Lafferty, Kilmovee €25 each.

CONGRATULATIONS ALL!

Well done to the children from Taverane NS, Megan Sweeney, Aoibhin Henry, Conor Horan, Zara Loftus and Amy Towey who came first in the Instrumental Music category and to Hannah Hunt from Kilmovee NS who came first in the Recitation category at the County Finals of Scor Na bPaisti in Breaffy recently. Comhghairdeas le gach duinne buartha, daltaí agus múinteoirí.

IRISH WORKHOUSE CONFERENCE

The first National Conference on "The Irish Workhouse, Past and Present" will be held in Portumna, Co. Galway on Saturday 17th and Sunday 18th May. For further information: Tel: 090-9759200 Email: info@irishworkhousecentre.ie Web: www.irishworkhousecentre.ie

COMMUNITY MEETING

A meeting will be held in Kilkelly Community Centre at 8pm on Tuesday 15th April for everyone working in the community in Kilkelly to meet with staff from Cairdeas, Kilmovee Family Resource Centre to see how we can work together in the future to develop plans for the area.

CHOIR PRACTISE

There will be a practise for the Kilkelly Church choir on Monday 14th April at 9pm. New members always welcome..

CHURCH CLEAN-UPS

There will be a clean-up of Glann church on Monday next 14th April after the 8pm Mass and in Kilkelly on Tuesday 15th April at 8.00pm in preparation for Easter.

GUITAR LESSONS

Guitar lessons continue in Kilmovee Family Resource Centre on Saturdays starting at 12 noon. All abilities catered for.



CHURCH DIARY THIS WEEK

Church of the Immaculate Conception, Kilmovee

Sunday 13th April	10.00am	Michael Joe and Mary Lafferty, Culgarrieff
Sunday 13th April	5pm-6pm	"THE LIGHT IS ON FOR YOU" Confessions
Monday 14th April	10.00am	Keane Family, Glann
Monday 14th March		Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament (10am-10pm)
Tuesday 15th April	10.00am	Brian and Catherine Jordan, Rusheens
Wednesday 16th April	7.30am	People of The Parish
Holy Thursday	8.00pm	Mass of the Lord's Supper
Good Friday	3.00pm	Celebration of the Lord's Passion
Holy Saturday	9.00pm	Easter Vigil
Easter Sunday	10.00am	For the People

St Joseph's Church Urlaur

Saturday 12th April	7.00pm	Tom and Mary Grennan, Urlaur
Wednesday 16th April		Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament (5pm-10pm)
Good Friday	7.00pm	Stations and Veneration of the Cross / Holy Communion
Easter Sunday	5.45am	Gathering for DAWN MASS at Urlaur Abbey
Easter Sunday	11.30am	Mass for Easter Sunday

St Celsus Church, Kilkelly

Sunday 13th April	11.15am	Passion (Palm) Sunday
Tuesday 15th April	7.00am	The sick of the Parish
Wednesday 16th April	9.00am	Special Intention
Wednesday 16th April		Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament 9.00am-3.00pm
Holy Thursday	8.00pm	Mass of the Lord's Supper
Good Friday	3.00pm	Celebration of the Lord's Passion
Good Friday	4.30pm	Divine Mercy Novena
Holy Saturday	9.00pm	Easter Vigil
Easter Sunday	11.30am	For the People

St Patrick's Church, Glann

Saturday 12th April	8.00pm	Michael and Celia Egan, Michael, Mary Celia and deceased family, Tavrane
Monday 14th April		Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament 4-until after Mass
Monday 14th April	8.00pm	Holy Souls
Good Friday	7.00pm	Stations of the Cross and Veneration of the Cross
Easter Sunday	9.45am	For the People

Priests' Phone Numbers

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

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

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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