

Parish of Kilmovee

"A family of families"

*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.*



Fourth Sunday of Lent 15th March 2015

BLESSING OF MOTHERS

Loving God, as a mother gives life and nourishment to her children, so you watch over your Church.

Bless the mothers in our parish and all mothers, that they may be strengthened as Christian mothers. Let the example of their faith and love shine forth.

Grant that we, their sons and daughters, may honour them always with a spirit of profound respect.

Amen.

**THIS WEEK
GLANN CHURCH on
Wednesday 8pm-9pm**



**10th, 11th and 12th
Stations**

#Lent2015



PLEASE PRAY FOR

We remember in prayer; Michael John Towey, Egool, Michael (Mickie) Horan (late of Sinolane), Pat Caulfield, Charlestown and Anne Davey Killavil, mother of Fr. Gerard Davey, Swinford who died recently and all whose anniversaries occur around this time. May they rest in peace. Amen.

EARLY MORNING MASSES

There will be an early morning Mass in Kilkelly at 7am on Tuesday mornings during Lent. There will also be early Mass in Kilmovee on Wednesdays at 7.30am. It is very encouraging to see how many people are choosing to attend these Masses. God bless you all. It would be great to have a few more along too.)

LENTEN PRAYERS

For the Friday evenings of Lent there will be a Holy Hour from 7-8pm in Kilkelly church which will include the Divine Mercy Chaplet

LENTEN HOUR WITH THE LORD

This Wednesday 18th March in Glann Church, there will be a Lenten Hour for the Lord which will comprise of the Holy Hour with the stations of the Cross and opportunity for confessions. This week we continue our journey of the Stations of the Cross at the Tenth Station - "Jesus is stripped of his garments". Let us all meet one another there This week we continue our journey in Glann Church. Please consider joining us there.

KILMOVEE SHAMROCKS

The numbers drawn for the lotto for Saturday March 7th were 21,22,23,30. There was no winner. The jackpot now stands at €7,200. The monthly draw winners for March were €50 to Cian Roddy, Magheraboy and €25 euro each to Mary Moffatt, Magheraboy and Tomas Haran. The free ticket for 2016 goes to Gabriel Duffy, Skeheen. Congratulations to



Taverane N.S who won the instrumental music competition at Scór na bPaistí hosted by the club recently. The school will go forward to represent Kilmovee Shamrocks at the county final.

MOTHER'S DAY CONCERT

Kilmovee Comhaltas will be holding their annual fundraising concert on Sunday 15th March in Kilmovee Community Centre starting at 3pm. All of our music classes will be performing on the day as well as a number of guest artists including the recently crowned All Ireland Scór Set Dancing Champions from Aghamore and representations from the three schools in our parish. We will be making this a Mother's Day special so what better way to relax on this important occasion. As well as a great afternoon of music, song & dance, there will also be lots of great prizes up for grabs in the raffle. Admission is €5 for adults and kids go free. Your support would be greatly appreciated so we look forward to seeing a good turnout on the day.

WOMEN'S MINI MARATHON

If anyone is doing the Women's Mini Marathon this year could they consider The Carers Association in Mayo. Our role is to support carers who work tirelessly behind closed doors caring for their loved ones by providing support groups, information and in home respite. Sponsor cards can be provided. Contact 094 9060305/ 086 3775702 if you would like to help.

COMPUTER CLASSES

Beginners computer class will be held in Kilmovee Family Resource Centre starting on Wednesday 18th March at 10.30-12.00 for 6 weeks and a second beginners class starting on Wednesday 25th March from 2.30

- 4.00pm for 6 weeks. If you have already put your name down, we will be contacting you but if you want to register ring Kilmovee FRC at 094-9649814.

KILMOVEE 10K

As you know the annual Kilmovee 10k will take place on Holy Saturday April 4th. A record number of participants is expected this year and it is important that those intending to taking part register on line asap, as this will make it easier on the morning of the race. If you do not have access to register on line it is possible to do so in Kilmovee Family Resource Centre. The office opens Monday-Friday 9.30-5pm. The 10k committee would like to thank you for your co-operation on this matter. Also a free t-shirt is available for the first 200 participants. We are also looking for volunteers for organising the route, parking facilities, home baking and to assist in tidying after the race. We would appreciate if you could contact 087-2326463 or 086 0610769 by Friday March 20th if you would like to join the team that make this event an outstanding event in Kilmovee for the past 5 years

QUIZ SUCCESS

Congratulations to the U11 Quiz team from Kilmovee National School who received 1st prize at Chapter Level of the Credit Union Quiz in Westport last weekend. Team members are: Jack Harding, Callum Shiel, Tom Horan and Sean O'Dowd. The boys will now contest the National Final in the RDS next month.

THANK YOU

A huge thank you to everyone who sponsored Ian Gourlay on a recent head shave with Today FM's Shave or Dye. The event over the years has raised over €7.5 million for the Irish Cancer Society and Ian raised €400 locally thanks to your generosity.

MINISTRIES NEXT WEEK

URLAUR:

SS Reader: Kay Kane
Eucharist: Nuala Hawkins
Offertory: Duffy Family
Servers: Volunteers

KILMOVEE:

SS Reader: Elaine Duffy
Eucharist: Bridie Denning
Offertory: Feeney Family
Servers: T. McCann, C. Shiel,
T. Horan. B. Dufy

GLANN:

SS Reader: Carmel Kelly
Eucharist: Mary T Duffy
Offertory: Harrington Family
Servers: Z. Loftus & C. Gallagher

KILKELLY:

SS Reader: Siobhán Costello
Eucharist: Maureen Walsh
Offertory: Hunt Family
Servers L. Kelly & J. Kilkenny.

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GOOD FRIDAY QUIZ

Kilmovee Thursday Club and Kilmovee Shamrocks will hold their annual quiz on Good Friday starting at 8.30 sharp. A good night's fun is promised.

MAYO STROKE SUPPORT

The Mayo Stroke Support Group in association with Croí, the West of Ireland Cardiac Foundation will be holding their next meeting – Thinking Around ! the Psychological impact of stroke on Thursday 26th March 2015 between 11.30 am – 1.00pm in the Tennis Club, Castlebar. Admission is free. Tea/ Coffee provided. New members are always welcome to attend. For further information, contact Alanna Ni Mhiochain on 094-9042368 or Barbara Ginley on 096 80497

KILMOVEE LADIES CLUB

Kilmovee Ladies Club meeting on Wednesday 18th from 7.30 - 9pm in the Community Centre. Courtney Chase our local Public Health Nurse

will give a talk on health issues for ladies. All are welcome to attend.

COMMUNITY GROUP TRAINING

A free training workshop for Community and Voluntary Groups will be given by Mayo Community Futures on Committee Management on Wednesday 1st April in Breaffy House Hotel, Castlebar at 8pm. The training will cover topics such as roles of Committees and boards, Running meetings, time management and punctuality, setting an agenda, staying on topic, taking and distributing minutes, delegating tasks, responsibilities, reporting on progress and summary reports for committees and boards. Groups should attend on the night but can register with Sheila Coll at 087-741441 or scoll@mayococo.ie

PHOENIX PLAYERS

On March 20th The Phoenix Players will present their play "Play On" in Ceolaras Gurteen. This is a wonderful play and a great nights entertainment is assured from a very talented and experienced cast. This is a fund raiser for the county fleadh which will be held in Tubbercurry at the end of May. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

EMPLOYER TRAINING

INTERESTED IN GETTING BACK TO WORK? NLN can help with identifying your skills, obtain work experience and build on certification with a one year GRETB funded course. For further information contact Damien, National Learning Network 0949620374 or 086-0487104.

SWIMMING POOL A.G.M.

The AGM of Kilmovee Swimming Pool Committee will take place at the pool on Monday March 30th at 9pm. Please support your local pool and come along to the meeting. New members are always welcome.

COMMON SENSE PARENTING COURSE

Cáirdeas Kilmovee Family Resource Centre will hold classes in Common Sense Parenting Skills after Easter. This is a practical, skill-based parenting program that can be applied to every family with children or teens aged between 6 and 16. Common Sense Parenting is aimed at helping parents to develop practical and effective ways to enhance their

parenting skills and strengthen their children's potential and quality of life. The programme will assist parents in learning skills to encourage positive behavior and to discourage negative behaviour, through developing techniques for using effective discipline and teaching their children alternatives to problem behaviour. The course is for 6 sessions of 2 hours and will be held in the evenings. If you are interested in attending, please let us know at the Family Resource Centre at 094-9649814.

CARING FOR MENTAL HEALTH

Information evening on caring for our mental health will be held in the Oakwood Village Circular Road, Ballaghaderreen on Tuesday 31st March at 7:30 – 9:30pm. Speakers include Niall Dunne (Mental Health Ireland), Dr Mary McGuire (Consultant Psychiatrist), Tom McEvoy (Pieta House) and Dr Martin Garvey (GP). All are welcome, refreshments provided.

RECEPTION UP-SKILLING

A training course on Reception and Clerical Skills is due to commence in Ballaghaderreen in April 2015 (subject to numbers). To book your place or for further information please contact the Community Resource Centre on 094 9862565

EMIGRANTS COLLECTION

Between April 2013 and April 2014 it is estimated 17900 people emigrated to UK, 6900 to US, 24900 to countries of the EU, 10000 to Australia, 4700 to Canada and 17500 to the "rest of the world". The Catholic Bishops' Conference encourages a collection to be taken up to support work with our emigrants. This is to take place on St Patrick's Day. Your support through Offertory Envelopes and basket collection will go towards this fund. Thank you for your support. Some information on the work of the Irish Episcopal Council for Emigrants is available at church doors.

BISHOPS' STATEMENT

Copies of the Statement issued by the Irish Catholic Bishops' Conference entitled '*Marriage is important - Reflect before you change it*' is available at church doors. Copy also on our Noticeboards and Diocesan website and www.catholicbishops.ie



CHURCH DIARY THIS WEEK

Church of the Immaculate Conception, Kilmovee

Sunday 15th March 10.00am
 Monday 16th March 10.00am
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 Tuesday 17th March 10.00am
 Wednesday 18th March **7.30am**
 Thursday 19th March 10.00am
 Friday 20th March 10.00am
 Saturday 21st March 11.00am
 Sunday 22nd March 10.00am

Kathleen Shiel, Clooniron (Months Mind)
 Patrick and Nora Durrane.
 Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 10.00am-10.00pm
 Mass of St. Patrick's Day
 People of The Parish
 Donor's Intention
 Special Intention
 Alan Duffy, Carralackey
 Bea Anna and James Feeney, Rusheens

Saturday 14th March 7.00pm
 Monday 16th March 7.00pm
 Wednesday 18th March 7.00pm
 Saturday 21st March 7.00pm

St Joseph's Church Urlaur

Donor's Intention
 Vigil of St. Patrick's Day
 Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 5.00pm-10.00pm
 John and Bridget Cassidy Clooniron

Sunday 15th March 11.15am
 Tuesday 17th March 11.15am
 Wednesday 18th March 9.00am
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 Thursday 19th March 9.00am
 Friday 20th March **7.00-8.00pm**
 Friday 20th March 8.00pm
 Sunday 22nd March 11.15am

St Celsus' Church, Kilkelly

Bernard & Frances Dunleavy, Shammer
 Mass of St. Patrick's Day
 John & Mary Murphy, Lismegan, Aughamore
 Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 9.30am- 3.00pm
 Bernard Kernaghan, Knock Road
 Holy Hour with Divine Mercy Chaplet
 May, Roger, Sean & Kathleen O'Grady
 Paddy & Peg Hunt, Culmore

Saturday 14th March 8.00pm
 Monday 16th March 8.00pm
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 Wednesday 18th March 8.00-9.00pm
 Saturday 21st March 8.00pm

St Patrick's Church, Glann

Bridget & Darby Grogan & son Dermot, Tavrane
 Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 4.00pm-7.30pm
 Vigil of St. Patrick's Day
 Lenten Hour for the Lord with Confessions & Stations of the Cross
 Sonny Harrington & Jack Cassidy

PRIESTS OF THE PARISH

Fr Vincent Sherlock: 094-964 9137
 Fr John Maloney: 094-936 7031

PRIMARY SCHOOLS

Kilmovee NS: 094-986 1282
 Kilkelly NS: 094-936 7371
 Tavrane NS: 094-964 9065

PARISH EMAIL

kilmoveeparish@achonrydiocese.org

PARISH BULLETIN

Please submit items via email if possible, including contact details, by Thursday evening.

PARISH AND DIOCESAN

SAFEGUARDING POLICY

www.achonrydiocese.org/safeguarding-policy

PARISH WEBSITE

www.kilmoveeparish.com

ST VINCENT DE PAUL

Contact Number: 086-372 5256
 Monday to Friday 3pm-7pm

