

# Parish of Kilmovee

*Church of the  
Immaculate  
Conception,  
Kilmovee*

*St. Joseph's Church  
Urlaur*

*The Lord  
is near  
to All who  
call on  
Him.*

**Psalm 145:18**

*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.*



**2nd Sunday of Lent – 16th March 2014**

***“I wish you a happy National Bank Holiday Weekend” .....***



I was in the car today and heard a well known Radio Presenter close his show with those words. It seemed a contrived and long-winded way of saying “Happy St Patrick’s Day”!! Of course, to do that, might be considered politically incorrect and, possibly even more of an offence, an indication that something of our Sacred Story was being acknowledged.

It is quite common in some countries to exchange the greeting “Happy Holidays” around the third week of December!! Again, political correctness, secular tipp-ex, seems to distance, through silence, the reason for the holiday.

So where are we with this? Will we celebrate “Paddys”, “Paddy’s Day”, “Drown the Shamrock” .... ? Or, will we let the name be heard?

It’s not just a choice for this week. It’s a choice we are called to make each day.

Let the name - the Holy Name be spoken! Let our voice be heard!



### **PLEASE PRAY FOR**

We pray Fr Ambose McLoughlin (Lough Talt) who died during the week and for all whose anniversaries occur around this time. May they rest in peace.

### **KILMOVEE SHAMROCKS**

The lotto numbers drawn for Saturday March 8th were 5,6,25,38. There was no winner. The jackpot now stands at €4,950. The monthly draw winners for March were, Free 2015 ticket, Nicola Rushe, Kilmovee, €50 to Sean McCann C/o Gerard Regan, and €25 each to Kathleen Horan, Brusna Inn and John Eagney Kilmovee. Registration is now due and players must have it paid before training or games commence. East Mayo Scor na bPaisti will take place in Kilmovee Community Centre on Wed March 26th at 7pm.

### **STATIONS OF THE CROSS**

There will be Stations of the Cross at 7pm on Monday evening's in Glann and 7pm Friday evening's in Kilkelly during Lent.

### **ST. PATRICK'S DAY**

The Masses for St. Patrick's day will be celebrated on Monday 17th March as follows: Glann 9.45am, Kilkelly 11.30am, Kilmovee 10.00am and Urlaur 11.30am.

### **EMIGRANT COLLECTION**

There will be a collection at all Masses on St Patrick's Day to support the work of the Irish Emigrant Chaplaincy Scheme, giving assistance and spiritual support to all our emigrants. Your support, insofar as possible, will be very much appreciated.

### **LOURDES PILGRIMAGE**

Killala- Achonry Diocesan 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Pilgrimage to Lourdes led by Bishop John Fleming, Bishop of Killala and Bishop Brendan Kelly, Bishop of Achonry. Spiritual

Directors: Fr. Kieran Holmes, Killala Diocese and Fr. John Maloney Achonry Diocese. From the 23<sup>rd</sup>- 28<sup>th</sup> August 2014, departs from Ireland West Airport Knock. 5 nights in full board accommodation in the Hotel Agena. Price €699 (single rooms available, supplement applies). To book a place on this pilgrimage, please contact the following: **Pilgrim Section:** Michael Walkin, Ballina, JWT representative on 086-6080763.

**Assisted/Invalid Pilgrim Section:** Mary Loftus on 096-31462.

### **THANKSGIVING**

A Day In Thanksgiving For The Gift of Motherhood, Sunday March 30th, Mothers day, Parish Church Knock, commencing 2pm, Rosary with music and song, 3pm, Mass,.

### **INDOOR SALE**

Indoor sale will be held in CBD Complex, Charlestown on Sunday 23rd March from 11am until 2pm. Contact 0949255420 to book a table. Telephone: 0867239978

### **CAISEAL GAELS**

Result of Caiseal Gaels First Minor League Game: Caiseal Gaels 4-10 to Ballyhaunis 1-2. Next match against Tooreen.

### **CONSOLE WALK**

Console Memorial Walk 2014, walking in memory of our loved ones, Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> April 2014, 2pm from The Claddagh Hall, Galway, 6.5K, sponsored walk. Refreshments will be served afterwards. Sponsorship cards and further details from Margaret Tierney on 087-7978130

### **PARENTING COURSE**

The course has just finished and everyone that attended thought it was very worthwhile. The facilitators would run another course. if you are interested please ring the FRC on 0949649814, or if you would like to speak to parents who have just completed the course we can give you a contact. The course is for parents of children aged 6-16 and runs for 6 weeks for 2 hrs each wk.

### **OPEN EVENING**

Open evening at North Connaught College Tubbercurry, where you can see the college, talk to teachers and students and hear about the

opportunities for adults and school leavers at this local Further Education college. Financial information from social welfare advisers will also be available to those thinking about returning to education. Our new website is to be officially launched and a photographic exhibition showing past students in their workplaces the world over will also be on view.

### **DRAMA**

"Barndance" will be staged in Tooreen Community Hall on Saturday, March 29th. Doors open at 7pm. All proceeds to Western Care Association local services and Tooreen Hurling Club. Tickets €10, Students €5 Telephone: 094-9029144

### **MUSIC**

PJ Murrhiy & Seamus Shannon will perform in the Coleman Centre on 22nd March. This show is one not to be missed and admission is only €10.

### **ENROLMENT**

Coláiste Néifinn Glenamaddy is enrolling on 19th at 6pm in for a Cúrsa Gaeilge that takes place 23rd June – 4th July for 12-18 year olds. The course has limited availability and places are offered on a first-come first-served basis. To book a place call 087-1161573

### **MEET AND TRAIN**

The count down to the Kilmovee 10k has begun. If you are hoping to partake this year and would like to get some training in a group meet on Saturday mornings at 10am from the community centre and of course those not intending to do the race may come in. The group is led by a qualified trainer and is free and a great way to get in a bit of exercise.

### **HIGHLAND LODGE**

Highland Lodge Kilkelly is celebrating its 30th Anniversary. To celebrate the occasion, there will be a fund raising function in Bonners' Kilkelly on Saturday 15th March. A monster draw will also be held on the night with lots of spot prizes. Music on the night will be provided by John McIntyre & Brass Roots band. Come along for a great night of entertainment. Admission €10. All funds raised will go directly to Highland Lodge Kilkelly.

## **MINISTRIES NEXT WEEK**

### **URLAUR:**

SS Reader: Louise Kilcullen  
Eucharist: Nuala Hawkins  
Offertory: Waldron Family  
Servers: Volunteers

### **KILMOVEE:**

SS Reader: Kathleen McNamara  
Eucharist: Noreen Duffy  
Offertory: Feeney Family  
Servers: R Duffy, E Duffy,  
K Kenneally, L Frain, S Towey

### **GLANN:**

SS Reader: Shelia Harrington  
Eucharist: Sadie Dunleavy  
Offertory: Harrington Family  
Servers: Z. Loftus & M. Sweeney

### **KILKELLY:**

SS Reader: Ivan Leetch  
Eucharist: Marian Cafferky  
Offertory: Hunt Family  
Servers: S. Dunleavy & J. Devaney

## **YEAR OF PRAYER remembering PARISH OF CHARLESTOWN**

Charlestown (Kilbeagh) parish is situated in Co. Mayo but it does venture across the border into County Sligo to embrace the territory of Bellaghy (Old Town) within its boundaries. There are eight wayside shrines in the parish, one commemorating the Eucharistic Congress of 1932, two dating from the Marian Year of 1954, the others dedicated to Our Lady or the Sacred Heart are a testimony to the faith of the immediate locality. There is one off the road shrine dedicated to St. Attracta alongside a well also associated with St. Attracta. The parish has two churches, St. James' in Charlestown and St. Patrick's in Bushfield. There are four National Schools, three pre-schools, one secondary school, two Nursing Homes and one International Airport all within the parish boundary. Sport and community activities are very much a feature of life in the parish. Just this year the Community of St. Attracta's NS won the Meitheal Award, the second time for Charlestown to win this special award. Journalist and author, John Healy, playwright, Tom Murphy and bishops, Cassidy (Tuam), O'Doherty (Manila) and Morrisroe (Achonry)

were natives of the parish. Fr. Tommy Johnston is the parish priest of Charlestown and Fr. John Doherty is the priest in residence.

### **URLAUR UTD YOUTHS**

A number of registration evenings have already been held this year and turnout has been poor. If your child intends playing at any age group in the 2014 season they must register now. A final registration evening will be held in Urlaur community centre on Thursday next March 20th at 7pm. Insufficient numbers will mean the club will not continue in 2014

### **TABLE TOP SALE**

Kilmovee Ladies Club are organising a table top sale on Sunday 27 April from 11 am-2 pm in Kilmovee Community Centre. The cost is €10 per table and tables must be booked by March 31. To book a table or for more information contact Nuala on 094 9649484.

### **PAY POINT**

Paypoint is a convenient way of paying your phone, electricity and many other bills. We also provide top ups for almost any mobile network and you will not have to pay the additional 50c charge. Available in Kilmovee Community Centre.

### **LADIES CLUB**

The next meeting of Kilmovee Ladies Club will be held on Wednesday, March 19 from 7.30-9.00 pm. The cost will be €3 for members and €5 for non-members. A guest speaker -Caroline from Molloy's chemist will attend on the night to discuss diet and nutrition. Refreshments will be served and a raffle held on the night.

### **TAVRANE SCHOOL**

Tavrane N.S. is currently taking enrolments for the 2014-15 School Year. Please contact the school on 094 9649065 for details. There will be an open day next term for incoming pupils

### **DRAMA**

The Carracastle / Kilmovee Drama Group is staging 'Cupid Wore Skirt' in the following venues: Sunday March 23rd in Kilkelly Community Centre at 8pm for local charities. Friday April 4th in Kilmovee Community Centre at 8pm in aid of Kilmovee N.S. and Saturday April

5th in Kilmovee Community Centre at 8.30 pm in aid of the Dramatic Society. Admission: Adults €10 and Children €5

### **AMERICAN TEA PARTY**

Kilmovee Swimming Pool Committee is hosting an American Tea Party on Saturday 29th March, in Kilmovee Community Centre, at 8pm. It is a lovely night and a great way to bring people together. Further info from 087 6387896.

### **COMMUNITY ALERT**

The next meeting Kilmovee Community Alert will be in Kilmovee Community Centre at 8.45pm on Thursday 27th March. All the townland representatives are asked to attend as the new text alert system which is being set up, will be explained.

### **BROADBAND SERICE**

The "3" broadband service is very poor at the moment in the Family Resource Centre. If you have similar problems, the advice is to call 1913 to register your concern. You need your account number which is on your bill.

### **LADIES G.A.A.**

Registration night for St. Mary's Ladies GAA will take place on Wednesday night from 6.30pm in the clubhouse in Aghamore. All new and old members are welcome to come and register on the night.

### **WATCH FOUND**

A watch was found at Kilmovee new cemetery. The owner of same can collect it at Kilmovee FRC

### **WELL DONE!**

Well done to Rory Hunt, Ronan Dunleavy and Eathan Duffy who participated in the All Ireland Darts, event held recently in Ennis.

### **ADORATION**

There will be no adoration this Monday in Kilmovee or Glann,

### **THROUGH TO THE FINAL**

Kilmovee Afterschool Drama Group will stage "An Maidrín Rua" on Tuesday at 5.45pm in Kilmovee Community Centre for friends and family who did not get a chance to see the play. The Group is in the National Finals in Mullingar on April 2nd.



# CHURCH DIARY THIS WEEK

## Church of the Immaculate Conception, Kilmovee

Sunday 16th March	10.00am
Monday 17th March	<b>10.00am</b>
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Tuesday 18th March	10.00am
Wednesday 19th March	7.30am
Thursday 20th March	10.00am
Friday 21st March	10.00am
Saturday 22nd March	11.00am
Sunday 23rd March	10.00am

Deceased of McCann Family, Egool  
 Mass for St. Patrick' Day  
**No Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament This Week**  
 Deceased of Higgins Family, Ballyglass  
**People of The Parish**  
 Patrick and Nora Dirrane.  
 Mary and Martin Gallagher, Cloonamna  
 Alan Duffy, Carralackey (10th Anniversary)  
 Beanna and James Feeney, Rusheens.

Saturday 15th March	7.00pm
Monday 17th March	<b>11.30am</b>
Wednesday 19th March	_____
Saturday 22nd March	7.00pm

### St Joseph's Church Urlaur

Donor's Intention  
 Mass for St. Patrick' Day  
**Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament (5pm-10pm)**  
 Winifred and Thomas Waldron.

Sunday 16th March	11.15am
Monday 17th March	<b>11.30am</b>
Tuesday 18th March	7.00am
Wednesday 19th March	9.00am
Wednesday 19th March	_____
Thursday 20th March	9.00am
Friday 21st March	8.00pm
Sunday 23rd March	11.15am

### St Celsus Church, Kilkelly

Pat, Joe, Breege & Mary Fagan  
 Mass for St. Patrick' Day  
 Special Intention  
 St. Joseph  
**Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament 9.00am-3.00pm**  
 Paddy & Mary Hunt, Culmore  
 Dick, Ronnie, Mae, Jack & John Kelly (7.00pm Stations of the Cross)  
 Paddy & Peg Hunt, Culmore

Saturday 15th March	8.00pm
Monday 17th March	_____
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Saturday 22nd March	8.00pm

### St Patrick's Church, Glann

Bridget & Darby Grogan and son Dermot and deceased of the Grogan family  
**No Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament This Week**  
 Mass for St. Patrick' Day  
 Sonny Harrington & Jack Cassidy

#### 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](mailto:kilmoveeparish@achonrydiocese.org)**

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

#### 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***