

Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time – 23rd June

Christ. Fáilte roimh gach éinne.



MANYARE DOING THIS

There are lines in Scripture that can roll easily off the tongue but that are very difficult to live with. Surely this is one of them.

Jesus is clearly saying that, for those who choose to follow him, there will always be the shadow of the cross - more indeed than its shadow, since, for some, that cross will become a lived reality.

Its form is varied and its timing uncertain but there are many this very day who are carrying their cross.

Like Jesus, it is an un-invited travelling companion. Its weight is certain and its outcome less so. Some may, in time, be able to walk away from it for a while but others it will take all the way to Calvary.

There is no denying its weight or pain and with many in the crowd, who watched Jesus, on that far off Good Friday, we are deeply saddened and at total loss when we see it shouldered by someone we love or feel its hardness on our own shoulders.

Maybe its to the crowd we need look. Possibly among the onlookers are Simons and Veronicas who, when the time is right and the need greatest, will be tugged or step from the crowd to help with the carrying. Words of kindness, a card promising prayer, an offer to help around the house - there are so many ways to help and what needs to be done for those most burdened should not be left undone.

Jesus took no pleasure in the cross - he certainly didn't deserve it - but somehow he walked with it and through it to a deeper place of oneness with God. Difficult as that is to see, when likewise burdened ourselves, the goal may well be the same.

For now, we commit to those carrying the cross - through sickness, bereavement or any other situation in life - and reassure them that we are here. Should the shadow fall on ourselves, we pray that we will have strength to journey and the company of Simons and Veronicas along the way.



PLEASE PRAY FOR

We remember at this time, Winifred (Winnie) McLoughlin (nee Higgins) Tavneena, sister of Evelyn Horan, Glann and Michael Morley (Paddy) Tarvrane who died recently in Harrow, England (A Mass will be said in Glann Church later for the repose of his Soul), all who died recently and those whose anniversaries occur around this time. May they rest in peace.

LOURDES PILGRIMAGE

Killala-Achonry Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 2013 led by Bishop John Fleming and Bishop Brendan Kelly. Spiritual Directors: Fr. Kieran Holmes, Killala Diocese and Fr. John Maloney Achonry Diocese. From the 23rd-28th August, departs from Knock. 5 nights full board accommodation in the Hotel Agena. Price €695 To book a place on this pilgrimage, please following: contact the Pilgrim Section: Michael Walkin, Ballina, JWT representative on 086-6080763. Assisted/Invalid Pilgrim Section: Mary Loftus on 096-31462 See www.achonrydiocese.org for further details of the pilgrimage.

KILKELLY LIBRARY

Kilkelly Library is open every Thursday from 12noon till 6pm. New members welcome. Please support.

KILKELLY & DISTRICT DEVELPOMENT CO.

The Annual General Meeting of Kilkelly & District Development Co. Ltd., will be held on Monday 24th June 2013 at 8.30pm in Kilkelly Community Centre. All welcome to attend.

LOTTO NEWS

Numbers drawn for sat June 15th were 1,6,8,26. There was no winner. Next weeks jackpot is \notin 3200. Keallogs GAA cul camps will take place

in Kilmovee pitch from Mon July 22nd to Fri 26th. For more info log on to www.kelloggsculcamps.gaa.ie

URLAUR ABBEY CONCERT

On this Sunday evening, June 23rd, Mayo Concert Orchestra will perform a special concert in Urlaur Abbey at 8pm (If weather is not favourable the concert will be in St Joseph's Church, Urlaur) All are welcome. There will not be an admission charge but an optional donation may be given to cover costs.

RHS HOME SERVICES

RHS Home Services is a not for profit co-op with charitable status, providing top quality home care at affordable prices in your community. We are now recruiting male and female carers in the Kilmovee area. A Fetac Level 5 qualification in Health care is required. To apply or find out more about using our services, please contact 09493 82156

PARISH MAGAZINE

The Committee of the local magazine, *"Kilkelly/Kilmovee Its People and Its Places"* is currently compiling the 7th edition. If you have any stories/photos that you would like to have included in this year's book, please contact any committee member or email kilkellykilmoveemagazine@gmail.com as soon as possible.

MAYO STROKE SUPPORT GROUP

Mayo Stroke Support Group is meeting on Thursday 27th June, in The Tennis Club, Castlebar between 11.30am – 1pm. The 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. For further information, please contact either Niamh (094) 9049342, Barbara (096) 21511, Ailish (094) 904 9172 or Alanna (094) 904 2368.

HERTIAGE NIGHT

The next heritage night in 'Cois Tine' heritage centre will take place on Monday night July 1st at 8.30pm. As part of the heritage night the official launch of the Seosamh MacGabhann Summer School 2013 by Sean Smyth

from Lunasa will take place in the Community Centre. This is a gathering not to be missed because of the Summer School a host of musicians, singers and dancers, as well as local performers will take part on the night. All this entertainment is free of charge. Refreshments will be served. Failte roimh gach duine.

COMMUNITY COUNCIL

The next community council meeting will take place in Kilmovee Community Centre on Tuesday 25th June at 9:30pm. All Welcome.

WALKING CLUB

Kilkelly Walking Group meets each Tuesday evening at 7pm on The Square Kilkelly. Everyone welcome to come along

COMMUNITY GAMES

The county athletic finals will take place in Claremorris race track on Sunday 23rd June starting at 9am. It is advisable to take a copy of the competitors birth cert as they will require it in the event of qualifying for the national finals in Athlone in August.

RALLY FOR LIFE

This may be the last opportunity to stand up for the right to life of the unborn child. Without this right all other rights are meaningless. Please come to defend unborn children and their mothers from the cruelty of abortion. We are especially asking all those who have not been able to attend before. This is not just an issue for politicians or pro-life groups, it is up to all of us. Your presence on the day could make the difference. A bus is being organised locally, to book, please contact Sarah on 0860751258.

WESTERN CARE GOLF AM

The Annual Michael John McDonnell Am Am takes place in Westport Golf Club on Friday, July 5th 2013. The competition is a four-ball Stableford, open to ladies, gents and mixed teams; Prizes for the first 10 teams, ladies team prize, etc. Tee Times from 8am to 5.00pm. To book contact Western Care on 094 9029136 or book online at www.iregister.ie/westerncareamam Telephone: 094-9029144

MINISTRIES NEXT WEEK

URLAUR:

SS Reader: Kay Keane Eucharist: Patricia Kenny Offertory: Volunteers Servers: As Arranged

KILMOVEE:

SS Reader: Mary Horan Eucharist: James Hunt Offertory: Volunteers Servers: C Roddy, T Higgins, D Cafferkey, L Frain

GLANN:

SS Reader: Hannah Brennan Eucharist: Sadie Dunleavy Offertory: Volunteers Servers: Z. Loftus & E. Bolton

KILKELLY:

SS Reader: Ivan Leetch Eucharist: Francis Henry Offertory: As Arranged Servers: As Arranged

SUMMER SCHOOL

The 3rd Annual Seosamh Mac Gabhann Summer School will take place in Kilmovee Community Centre from 30th June to 1st July. A free Heritage Tour of local historical and archaeological sites leaves from the 'Cois Tine' Heritage Centre at 2pm on Sunday, 30th June this is for everyone, whether attending classes or not. Classes are available (from 1st July to 5th July) in traditional instruments, sean-nós dancing, traditional singing and Comhrá Gaeilge, still spaces in all classes, please contact Kilmovee FRC on: 094 9649814 to pre-register. See www.kilmovee.info or Twitter @smgsumschool

HOUSE TO RENT

3 bedroom house available for rent in St. Michaels Estate, Kilmovee. Please ring Kilmovee Community Centre for more details on 094 9649484

SWIMMING POOL

Kilmovee Swimming and Aqua Sports Club will open for this season on Sunday 23rd June from 3-10pm. It will be open from 5-10pm during the week from 24-28th June and will be open daily from 3-10pm from Sat 29th June. Swimming lessons will take place for beginner levels beginning July 15th and for Safety levels beginning July 29th. There will be further lessons beginning 12th Aug for Beginners and 19th Aug for Safety levels. Details for registration will follow shortly.

BRIGHTSPARKS PLAYSCHOOL

Brightsparks Preschool Lisacul still has places available for enrolment in Sept. 2013. We operate a morning session from 8:45am-12:15pm five days per week. Free places are available under the ECCE scheme and subsidised rates available under CCS the scheme subject to eligibility. If you are interested in finding out more about our preschool or would like to enrol your child please contact Margaret on 087 7425952. Your support for this local community service is vital for our survival.

GROW IT YOURSELF

Micheál O Cadhla from Grow it Yourself Ireland will attend the June monthly meeting of Ballaghaderreen GIY group (Grow it yourself). The meeting will be held on Monday 24th June at 7.30pm in the CDP office. All Welcome

THURSDAY CLUB

The Kilmovee Thursday Club have arranged an outing to Bunratty Castle on Thursday 11^{th} July, leaving from Kilmovee Community Centre at 9.00am and hoping to be back by 9.00pm. Limited places are available for non-Thursday Club members. If you would like to join them on this trip please contact Kilmovee FRC on 094-9649814 by no later than Friday 5th July. Cost: €25 which includes lunch and entry to the Castle & Folk Park. Places will be offered on a 'first come, first served' basis.

www.urlaurpattern.com

Plans are ongoing in the parish for the celebration of The Gathering over the weekend of the Urlaur Pattern. These include, History Tour, Mass in Glann Church (Saturday evening), Cois Tine in Kilmovee (Saturday night), Urlaur Pattern on Sunday and Heritage Day in Kilkelly on Monday. Booklet being prepared for "The Pattern". Articles, photos etc to Peter Nyland, Urlaur, Kilkelly, Co. Mayo or emailed to petergnyland@eircom.net before July 1st.

GATHERING MEETING

There will be a planning meeting in Urlaur Community Centre on Tuesday next at 9pm. All involved in planning for the Gathering from the different areas of the parish are asked to attend.

ZUMBA CAMP

Kilmovee family resource centre hope to run a summer camp for children from the 8th to 12th of July. It will cost 50 euro per child. It is for boys and girls from 7-13yrs. To run the class we will need approx 20 children. To book your place please contact kilmovee family resource on 094 9649814. A deposit of \in 20 is also required.

END OF SCHOOL YEAR

We wish every blessing and happiness to the staff and pupils of the three Primary Schools in the Parish, Kilmovee, Kilkelly and Tavrane as the school year draws to a close. Mass was celebrated in each of the schools during the week and thanks to all for your participation in these Masses. We wish particular blessings on the boys and girls leaving Primary School this year and hope they will enjoy the move to their new schools and surrounds in September.

A PAPAL TWEET

"Consumerism has accustomed us to waste. But throwing food away is like stealing it from the poor and hungry." (Pope Francis @*Pontifex*)

PARISH QUESTIONNAIRE

Did you ever get around to filling it in? Copies available in church and on www.kilmoveeparish.com If you can spare a few minutes it would be great to have as many as possible returned. Thanks so much.

ALTAR SERVERS

It would be great if those serving Mass would continue during the summer months to be as dedicated as you were during the school year. A special invite to those in sixth class to continue for the summer months.

CHURCH DIARY THIS WEEK

Church of the Immaculate Conception, Kilmovee

Sunday 23rd June	10.00am	John Mullen, Kilmovee
Monday 24th June		No Morning Mass
Monday 24th June		Eucharistic Adoration 10.00am-10.00pm
Tuesday 25th June	10.00am	No Morning Mass
Wednesday 26th June	10.00am	No Morning Mass
Thursday 27th June	11.00am	Margaret and John Ahern, Cloonamna (Anointing of The Sick)
Friday 28th June	10.00am	May Hunt, Sraheens
Saturday 29th June	11.00am	Pake and Mamie Cafferkey, Magheraboy.
Sunday 30th June	10.00am	Bridie Frain, Rusheens. (Launch of Seosamh MacGabhann, Summer School)
		St Joseph's Church Urlaur
Saturday 22nd June	7.00mm	Tom Kenny, Urlaur
Wednesday 26th June	7.00pm	Eucharistic Adoration—5.00pm-10.00pm
Saturday 29th June	7.00pm	People of The Parish
Saturday 27th June	7.00pm	
		St Celsus Church, Kilkelly
Sunday 23rd June	11. <mark>15am</mark>	Brain & Annie Dunleavy, Shammer
Tuesday 25th June		No Morning Mass
Wednesday 26th June		No Morning Mass
Wednesday 26th June		Eucharistic Adoration 9.00am-3.00pm
Thursday 27th June		No Morning Mass
Friday 28th June	7.40pm	Rosary
Friday 28th June	8.00pm	James & Katie Duffy, Kilkelly
Sunday 30th June	11.15am	Elizabeth, James & Kevin Mulligan, Shammer
		St Patrick's Church, Glann
Saturday 22nd June	8.00pm	Shane Doherty, Tavrane
Monday 24th June		Eucharistic Adoration 4.00pm-9.00pm
Monday 24th June		No Evening Mass
Saturday 29th June	8.00pm	Margaret Moran, Glann
		Priests' Phone Numbers
	Fr Vi	ncent Sherlock P.P., Kilmovee 094-964 9137
Fr John Maloney C.C., Kilkelly 094-936 7031		
Parish Website - <u>www.kilmoveeparish.com</u>		
Diocesan Website - <u>www.achonrydiocese.org</u>		
Community Website - <u>www.kilmovee.info</u>		
Parish Bulletin - <u>kilmoveeparish.com/newsletter</u>		
Primary Schools		
	Kilmovee	094-986 1282
	Tavrane	094-964 9065

St. Theresa's, Kilkelly

Kilmonee Kilke Clann and Kilke Digit Urgal

094-936 7371

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