# 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**

he 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 Sunday - 24th March 2013



We begin Holy Week. It is a "seamless garment" of prayer that leads us to the Triduum of Holy Thursday, Good Friday, Easter Vigil and Easter Sunday. The prayers begun on Holy Thursday end with the final blessing of Easter Sunday and we are invited to enter as fully as possible into this time of prayer.

Please come along as often as you can during Holy Week, join our parish, diocese and the Global Church in re-telling the Sacred Story of the Lord's Passion, Death and Resurrection. This is more than a story - it is a pattern for living and a call to deeper faith and union with Jesus Christ.

Meet again the reluctant judge who gave into the mob, the man pulled from the crowd to help shoulder the cross, the woman with the towel who washed the face of Jesus, the mother and beloved disciple addressed and united from the Cross, the centurion who went home knowing that he'd witnessed the death of "the son of God", the repentant thief assured a place in Paradise, Joseph of Arimathea who gave a place for the body to be buried. Meet Judas and Peter, the women of Jerusalem and so many more who are this Sacred Story. Your part in the script is central too. Please JOIN one another in sharing the Word.



#### PLEASE PRAY FOR

Remember in your prayers Bea-Anna Feeney, Rusheens who died dirung the week, Delia Gallagher, Swinford, grandmother of Catherine Kilkenny, Derrough and Caroline Gallagher, Kilmore Heights who died during the week and for those whose anniversaries occur around this time. May they rest in peace.

#### 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.

#### TROCAIRE COLLECTION

You are asked to return your Trocaire Box contribution 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 for the priests of the parish 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. You may include your name and please mark the envelope Priests' Collection..

#### **CHRISM MASS**

All are invited and welcome to attend the Chrism Mass at 11am on Holy Thursday in the Cathedral, Ballaghaderreen. A special invitation is extended to all celebraing Confirmaion this year. It is also an opportunity to pray for the bishop and priests of the diocese.

#### **CHURCH CLEAN-UPS**

There will be a clean-up of Glann church on Monday next 25th March after the 8pm Mass and in Kilkelly on Tuesday 26th March at 7.30pm in preparation for Easter.

#### 25 CARD DRIVE

Every Monday night in Kilmovee Community Centre 9:15pm-11:15pm. All Welcome.

#### **URLAUR DAWN MASS**

Mass at Urlaur Abbey on Easter Sunday morning. We'll gather 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 .... All are welcome to come along and join us in prayer on Easter Sunday morning.

#### **URLAUR MEETING**

There will be a meeting to finalise plans for Dawn Mass and to discuss Pattern/Gathering in Urlaur Community Centre on Tuesday at 8pm. All welcome.

#### **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 5th April. On Saturday 6th April there will be a vigil in Kilkelly church from 9pm till Midnight.

#### **EASTER CEREMONIES**

Additional help will be required for the Holy Week Ceremonies, If asked to take part this year, your presence would be deeply appreciated. Please check Ministry Rotas

#### KILMOVEE ROAD RACE

Just a reminder - less than 1 week to go to the Kilmovee 10k, if you have not registered its time to do so. As you are aware the hospitality shown is very important to us in Kilmovee on race day and if your speciality is **home baking** please free to make some scones, apple tarts or buns. Goods maybe dropped into Kilmovee Community Centre from 10am on race day Mar 30th.

#### **FOOTSTEPS**

Kilkelly Footsteps Childcare Co. Ltd. A.G.M. will be held on Monday 15th April at 8pm in childcare centre at Upper Main Street. All welcome to attend. Footsteps Easter camps. Week 1.Mon. 25th to Thurs. 28th March. Week 2. Tues. 2nd to Fri. 5th April. 10am to 3pm daily. 20euro per child per week. Reductions for families and children attending both weeks.



There will be confessions in all the Churches of St Joseph's Cluster (Parishes of Bohola, Carracastle, Charlestown, Kilmovee, Kiltimagh and Swinford) on Palm Sunday evening, from 5pm-6pm. Visiting priests available in <u>all</u> churches of these parishes. In our parish there will be a priest available in Kilmovee, Kilkelly, Glann and Urlaur. It is an ideal opportunity to attend Confessions for Easter. Please come along and celebrate the Lord's forgiveness. More information and preparation materials on <u>thelightison.achonrydiocese.org</u>

#### MINISTRIES NEXT WEEK

#### **URLAUR: (Dawn Mass)**

SS Reader: B Grennan/L Kilcullen Eucharist: N. Hawkins/P. Kenny

Offertory: Volunteers Servers: As Arranged

#### **KILMOVEE: (Easter Sunday)**

SS Reader: Olive Lichtblau Eucharist: M Roddy/ J Hunt Offertory: Volunteers Servers: C Hunt, S Hughes, H Hunt and E Moffatt

#### **GLANN:**

SS Reader: Rose Callaghen Eucharist: Sadie Dunleavy Offertory: Volunteers Servers: As arranged

#### **KILKELLY: EASTER SUNDAY**

SS Reader: Francis Henry Eucharist: R. Walsh & M. Cafferkey Offertory: As Arranged

Servers: As Arranged

#### **HOLY WEEK**

Ministers of The Word, Eucharist and Mass Servers are asked to check their rota.

#### **WASHING OF FEET**

On Holy Thursday, at the Mass of The Lord's Supper in Kilmovee, it is hoped to wash the feet of the six children celebrating First Holy Communion along with a family member. You will become our "dozen" this year. Thank you.

#### **CONFIRMATION 2013**

A word of thanks to all who have been involved with the presentation of the You Shall Be My Witnesses Confirmation programme. We will meet again on April 10th at 8pm in Kilmovee Community Centre.

#### **VOICES THROUGH ART**

Voices through Art for over 55's on Tuesday's in Kilmovee Community Centre from 11am to 2pm. Come along and join in arts and crafts, chat, exercise and light lunch. €5ea. Contact Kilmovee FRC for more information at 094-9649814

#### KILMOVEE LADIES CLUB

Kilmovee Ladies Club is meeting on March 27th at 7:30pm in Kilmovee Community Centre. Aloe Vera are hosting an information evening based on health, nutrition and beauty. Proceeds from the raffle are going towards Mayo/Roscommon Hospice. All Welcome.

#### GOOD FRIDAY QUIZ

Kilmovee Thursday club and Kilmovee Shamrocks will hold their annual Good Friday quiz in Kilmovee Community Centre starting at 8.30 sharp. Your support is appreciated.

#### **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.

#### SEOSAMH MACGABHANN SUMMER SCHOOL

The Seosamh Mac Gabhann Summer School takes place from Sunday, 30<sup>th</sup> July. Brochures will be mailed out before Easter to everyone who attended the Summer School in the past. If you have any queries, please contact the Kilmovee Family Resource Centre on (094) 9649814, email: kilmoveefrc@eircom.net, Facebook: Seosamhmacgabhann Summerschool or visit the community website: www.kilmovee.info

#### PREPARING ....

We want to make a special effort to present the story of The Lord's Passion on Good Friday in Kilmovee. Readers and those willing to help are asked to come to the church on this Monday evening at 8pm for a short meeting/rehearsal. Please consider joining us and help present this important message to our parish.

#### **COMMUNITY COUNCIL**

The next meeting will take place in Kilmovee Community Centre on Tuesday 26th March at 9pm. All welcome.

#### **HOUSE TO LET**

The Seosamh Mac Gabhann summer school takes place in Kilmovee the first week in July. We expect a number of visitors to the area for the week who will be looking for accommodation. If you have a house

or cottage in the Kilmovee/Kilkelly or surrounding area and are interested in letting it please contact Kilmovee Family Resource Centre on 0949649814 and we will add your accommodation to our list which will be made available to those looking for accommodation.

#### KNOCK CONFERENCE

UNBOUND **FREEDOM** CHRIST CONFERENCE KNOCK BASILICA, 13/14<sup>th</sup> APRIL 2013. Speakers: Neal & Janet Lozano: Catholic couple involved in full-time healing ministry. Who should attend? Anyone who wants to experience an absolutely new level of freedom, breaking the chains of fear, trauma, anxiety and liberation in any unhealthy patterns of living or addictions. Pre-booking essential: 086 2735465. Register www.olseknock.com

#### **MONASTIC WEEKEND**

Spring Monastic Experience Weekend for women at St. Mary's Abbey, Glencairn on 12-14 April, 2013. The event is open to women who are discerning God's call in their lives and who would like to discover more about monastic life. Please visit <a href="https://www.glencairnabbey.org">www.glencairnabbey.org</a>

#### **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 not be Mass in Urlaur Church on Easter Sunday monring. Mass will be at Dawn on the grounds of Urlaur Abbey.

#### KILMOVEE 10K

Best wishes to all invovled in the organsiation of Holy Saturday's 10K. It's been a credit to you all in other years and doubtless this year will prove likewise. If you're thinking of walking, running, jogging or even crawling ... go for it! You can register on www.kilmoveerace.com or on the day.

#### SHAMROCKS UPDATES

The numbers drawn for Sat 16th March were 3,11,35,37. There was no winner . Next weeks jackpot is  $\in 2,550$ .



# **CHURCH DIARY THIS WEEK**

## Church of the Immaculate Conception, Kilmovee

Sunday 24th March Sunday 24th March Monday 25th March Tuesday 26th March Wednesday 27th March Holy Thursday Good Friday Holy Saturday Easter Sunday	10.00am 5.00pm 11.00am 10.00am 7.30am 8.00pm 3.00pm 9.00pm 10.00am	Deceased of Kilmovee Shamrocks GAA Club Confessions "The Light Is On" Funeral Mass for Bea-Anna Feeney, Rusheens Deceased of Sheridan Family, Rusheens Lena and Dom Egan, Cashel, Charlestown. Mass of the Lord's Supper Celebration of the Lord's Passion Easter Vigil For the People
		St Joseph's Church Urlaur
Saturday 23rd March	7.00pm	Michael and Kate Moran, Tullganny
Sunday 24th March	5.00pm	Confessions "The Light Is On"
Good Friday	7.00pm	Stations and Veneration of The Cross/Holy Communion
Easter Sun <mark>day</mark>	6.00am	Gat <mark>hering</mark> for DAWN MAS <mark>S at Urlaur Abbe</mark> y
Sunday 24th March	11.15am	St Celsus Church, Kilkelly Paddy & Peg Hunt, Culmore.
Sunday 24th March Sunday 24th March	5.00pm	Confessions "The Light Is On"
Tuesday 26th March	7.00am	For the Sick of Parish
Tuesday 26th March	7.30pm	Clean up of the Church
Wednesday 27th March	1	No Morning
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 23rdth March	8.00pm	Thomas & Mary Flatley, Glann
Sunday 24th March	5.00pm	Confessions "The Light Is On"
Monday 25th March	8.00pm	Special Intention & Clean up of the Church after Mass
Good Friday	7.00pm	Stations 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

Parish Website - www.kilmoveeparish.com
Diocesan Website - www.achonrydiocese.org
Community Website - www.kilmovee.info
Parish Bulletin - kilmoveeparish.com/newsletter (NEW LINK)

#### **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