Parish of Kilmovee "A family of families"

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Church of Immaculate Conception - Kilmovee



St Celsus' Church -Kilkelly



St Patrick's Church -Glann



St Joseph's Church -Urlaur

First Sunday of Lent 26th February 2023

LENT - A TIME OF REPENTANCE

In the Lenten readings there is a great consciousness of our sinfulness, as we pray "Have mercy on us, O Lord, for we have sinned." There is also a sense that the time to repent and turn back is now. The Gospel tells us how to approach that renewal of our lives. It puts before us the remedy in prayer, fasting and almsgiving. These three strands of Lenten observance are as ancient as Christianity itself. There is no substitute for them. "Fasting is the soul of prayer, mercy is the lifeblood of fasting. If we have not all three together, we have nothing", writes St Peter Chrysologus.



Please pray for all those who have died recently and for those whose anniversaries occur around this time.

May they all Rest in Peace.

CONFESSIONS

Confessions are available before or after any Mass in the Parish. If you wish to celebrate the Sacrament of Penance outside these times, please call Fr. Joseph **086 160 5373**

BAPTISM

We welcome
Fódla Méabh
O'Donovan-Cassidy
into the Christian
family after her
baptism in Kilmovee
Church on Saturday

18th Feb.

<u>Wkd March 4th – 5th</u> MINISTERS OF THE WORD

Fiona Walsh Boyle **Glann**

Urlaur:

Carmel Kelly

Kilmovee:

Ruth Duffy

Kilkelly:

Tina Coakley

Wkd March 4th – 5th MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST Urlaur:

Lorraine Collins

Glann:

Sadie Dunleavy

Kilmovee:

Anne Marie Rooney

Kilkelly:

Francis Henry

POST COMMUNION REFLECTION

Thank you Lord for the little things that often come our way. The things we take for granted and don't mention when we pray. The unexpected courtesy, the thoughtful, kindly deed.

A hand reached out to help s in the time of sudden need. Oh, make us more aware, dear Lord of little daily graces. That come to us with sweet surprise from never dreamed of places.

Amen

PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Thank you to the members of our Parish Pastoral Council who attended the Commissioning Mass in St Nathy's Cathedral last Friday. We look forward to working together for the future of our Parish.

FIRST FRIDAY VISITS

Fr Joseph will make the first Friday visits during the week. If you or any of your family would like to be added to this list, please contact Fr. Joseph on 086 160 5373

TROCAIRE BOXES

Trocaire boxes are available in the 4 churches in our Parish community from today. This is an opportunity for us to share our resources with people in the developing countries.

GLANN CHURCH BI-CENTINERY

Glann Church will have its 200th Anniversary in August 2024. Any help & support would be much appreciated. Please contact

Fr. Joseph on **086 160 5373**

THANK YOU

Mayo Cancer Support thank all those who supported and facilitated its recent Church Gate Collections in Glann and Kilkelly. Special thanks to those who helped coordinate the collections. A total of €367.93 was raised. These funds will support the ongoing provision of free emotional support to local people affected by cancer.

ST PATRICK'S DAY CELEBRATION

KCC and the Thursday Active Age
Club are hosting a St Patrick's Day
lunch on **Thursday 16th March from**1-5pm. All members of the club &
other Parishioners are invited to join
us. The cost is €10 per head. There
will be entertainment. Places are
Limited so please call the centre
Centre by **Fri 10th March** on
094 964 9484 to reserve your place.
Payment in advance please.

TOWARDS PEACE

Support for survivors of abuse by the Catholic Church personnel in Ireland.

Towards Peace provides a safe supportive space, where people who have been affected by abuse in a Church context can be accompanied. They can be contacted by phone as noted below:

Phone 01 505 3028

Mobile: 086 771 0533 Website: www.towardspeace.ie

SHAMROCKS NEWS

The numbers for Sat 18th February were **26**, **35**, **36**, **43**. There was no winner. Monthly draw winners for Jan. were €50 to Holly & Miyah Lydon, €25 each to Lisa Gavin & Matt & Ann Giblin. Feb monthly draw winners were Claire Flatley €50 and €25 each to Mike Frain & Phil Moran

KILMOVEE BINGO

Bingo will take place in KCC every **Sunday** at **8.30pm sharp**. All welcome.

POLE WALKING CLASSES

Will be starting on Friday 3rd March in Kilmovee Community Centre. 45 minute class includes gentle exercises & walking with poles To register for class, please call the centre on **094 964 9484**

FUNDRAISER FOR KILMOVEE MOWs

KCC would like to express their sincere thanks to everyone who dropped off bags for the Cash4Clothes fundraiser. €450 was raised. Your support is greatly appreciated.

CHURCH	DATE	TIME	INTENTION
URLAUR	Sat. 25 th	6.30pm	Nuala Hawkins & O'Hora & Hawkins families RIP, Aughadeffin
GLANN	Sat. 25 th	8.00pm	People of the Parish
KILMOVEE	Sunday 26 th	10.00am	Jacinta Gallagher, Cloonamna, her mother Florrie Carney & Carney & Gallagher families RIP,
KILKELLY	Sunday 26 th	11.30am	Pat Fagan & Fagan family RIP, Kilkelly
KILMOVEE	Monday 27 th	9.30am	Kathleen Rush (nee Regan) RIP, Philadelphia USA & Shraheens. Req. by Fr Brian Frain SJ & Kathleen Fry
KILKELLY	Tuesday 28 th	9.30am	
KILMOVEE	Wed 1st	9.30am	Nora & Pat Coffey RIP, Ballinrumpa
KILKELLY	Thurs 2 nd	9.30am	
KILKELLY	Friday 3 rd	9.30am	
KILMOVEE	Friday 3 rd	7.30pm	Tom & Delia Duffy & families RIP. Culclare
URLAUR	Sat. 4 th	6.30pm	Con & Kathleen O'Donnell RIP, Cloonamna
GLANN	Sat. 4 th	8.00pm	Bridget & Edward Regan & Michael Regan & Martin & Mary Regan RIP, Culgarriff
KILMOVEE	Sunday 5 th	10.00am	John Patrick Hunt RIP, Kiltymaine
KILKELLY	Sunday 5 th	11.30am	Peter & Carmel Duffy & family RIP, Culmore

EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Eucharistic Adoration takes place on the following days:

Mondays: Kilmovee Church from 10.00am - 3.00pm; and Glann Church from 4.00pm - 8.00pm

Wednesdays: Urlaur Church from 7.00pm to 8.00pm

Thursdays: Kilkelly Church from 10.00am to 2.00pm