#### Parish of Kilmovee "A family of families"

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Church of Immaculate Conception - Kilmovee



St Patrick's Church -Glann



St Celsus' Church -Kilkelly



St Joseph's Church -Urlaur

Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time – 17<sup>th</sup> September 2023

# What is Spiritual Direction?

Receiving spiritual direction means sharing with another person what is going on in your life, with a view to drawing closer to God. Anamchara (soul- friend) is the title of a best- selling book by John O'Donohoe. It is an ancient Irish term for the relationship of two persons in the search of God. Imagine a person meeting a stranger and asking the way to where they want to go: it is that simple!

A person may feel they have only a weak relationship with God; but chatting about this can help them to move along and make good choices. God is always looking out for us and accepts us just as we are, because we are limitlessly loved by God who desires our friendship. Spiritual Direction is of enormous benefit to our Christian lives.

#### DEATH NOTICES

Please pray for Mary McEvilly (née Kearns), Oughterard and late of Rathnagussane, who died recently and for all those whose anniversaries occur around this time. May they all rest in peace.

*THANK YOU* Fr Joseph expresses sincere thanks to all who contributed to the annual Harvest Collection recently and will remember your intentions in his Weekly Mass and prayers for the people of the parish.

As I will be away during the week, Fr Dan O'Mahony has kindly offered to celebrate the weekly Masses at 9.30am. He can be contacted, in case of emergency, on 087 240 1625

<u>Wkd Sept 23<sup>rd</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup></u> MINISTERS OF THE WORD Urlaur: Kay Keane Glann Rose Callaghan Kilmovee: James Hunt Kilkelly: Ann Mulligan <u>Wkd Sept 23<sup>rd</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup></u> MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST Urlaur: Peadar Grennan Glann Rita Flatley Kilmovee: Noreen Duffy Kilkelly: Noel Tarmey

POST COMMUNION REFLECTION
My God you have created me to do some work in your service which you have not given to any other. I have my place in your plan, therefore I will trust you in all things. If I am sick, my sickness may serve you.
If I am in sorrow, my sorrow may serve you.
You do nothing in vain, you may take away my friends, you may hide my future from me. Still you know what you are doing and my God I trust you. Amen

ST. CELSUS CEMETERY, CULMORE The 2023 Annual St. Celsus Cemetery, Culmore Collection amounted to €1,180. Sincere thanks to all who contributed. Irish Graveyard Surveyors are currently updating the Mapping Board at St. Celsus Cemetery, Culmore. For any queries, please contact Joe at 087 7609330. *KILMOVEE FAIRY TRAIL* KCC would like to say a big thank you to everyone who donated to the Fairy Trail Fundraiser which took place late last year. Some new fairy tree pieces have been added as well as a new bench which can be enjoyed by all. We hope this will encourage you to take a walk through our village and enjoy the magic of the Fairy Trail.

## MAYO STORMA GROUP

A meeting will take place on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> September 2023 at 7pm at Ellison Hotel Castlebar. Please contact JJ on 087230 0580 if you wish to attend.

#### FUNDRAISER FOR KILMOVEE MOWs

KCC would like to express their sincere thanks to everyone who dropped off bags for the Cash4Clothes fundraiser. €592 was raised. Your support is greatly appreciated. We hope to do another one in January 2024.

## KILKELLY KILMOVEE PARISH MAGAZINE 2023

The deadline for submitting articles and pictures for inclusion in this year's edition is Friday 22nd September 2023. Please email kilkellykilmoveemagazine@gmail.com

#### SHAMROCK NEWS

The lotto numbers drawn for Sat September 9<sup>th</sup> were **3, 28, 42, 46.** There was no winner.

## KILMOVEE BINGO

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

## KILMOVEE FOROIGE

Kilmovee Foroige are re-opening on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> September at 8pm. If members are interested in joining this year, parents/guardians are advised to forward on their email address to:

kilmoveeforoigefrc@gmail.com with each child's name and the school year they will be currently in, so that the correct registration link can be forwarded on.

#### KILMOVEE LADIES CLUB

A meeting of Kilmovee Ladies Group will be held on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> September at 7.30pm in the Community Centre. Catrioina will give us a talk on health & wellness on the night. All ladies welcome.

#### KILMOVEE HERITAGE PHOTO EXHIBITION

If you are interested in the taking part in the "Kilmovee Through the Years" photo exhibit please email Siobhan on

kilmoveeheritage@kilmovee.info

## MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

CHURCH	DATE	TIME	INTENTION
URLAUR	Saturday 16 <sup>th</sup>	6.30pm	Michael Joe Caulfield RIP (4 <sup>th</sup> Anniv.) Carralackey
GLANN	Saturday 16 <sup>th</sup>	8.00pm	John & Christina Keegan & daughter Caroline Gibbons RIP, Sinolane
KILMOVEE	Sunday 17th	10.00am	Peter & Joe Caulfield RIP, Carralackey
KILKELLY	Sunday 17 <sup>th</sup>	11.30am	
KILMOVEE	Monday 18 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	
KILKELLY	Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	
KILMOVEE	Wed 20 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	
KILKELLY	Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup>	9.30am	
KILMOVEE	Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	9.30am	
URLAUR	Saturday 23 <sup>rd</sup>	6.30pm	Bea Bermingham-D'Alton RIP, Months Mind Mass, Aughadeffin
GLANN	Saturday 23 <sup>rd</sup>	8.00pm	John Cafferky & family RIP, Derrytavrane
KILMOVEE	Sunday 24 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	Michael McDonnell RIP (11th Anniv.)
KILKELLY	Sunday 24 <sup>th</sup>	11.30am	Pat Coakley RIP, Kilkelly

#### **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

Eucharistic Adoration will take place on the following days:
Mondays: Kilmovee Church from 10.00am – 3.00pm
Mondays: 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

Thank you for your continued dedication to the Holy hour.