# ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH, KILDYSART

## RADHARC NA NOILEANN

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### **Mass Times This Week**

Monday No Mass

9.30 am (Cranny) Tuesday Wednesday & Thursday 10 am (Kildysart) Friday 8 pm (Kildysart)

**Offertory Collection:** 3rd September - €745.

Next Weekend - 17th of September - TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Reader: Gerard Kelly

Eucharistic Ministers: Lucy Finn, Anne Casey, Carmel Ginnane

### **Rest in Peace:**

The first anniversary Mass for Gerard Finucane, Kilrush Road will be celebrated in St Michael's Church, Kildysart on Friday, 15th September 2017 at 8 pm. May the Lord grant Gerard eternal rest and console his loving wife Geraldine, his daughters Rachel, Emma, Gillian, Ciara and Ruth, his brothers Peadar, Brendan, Noel, Declan, his sisters May, Rita, Sheila, Carmel, Eithne and Colette, brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law and all who knew and loved him.

We pray for Mary Finucane (née Keane), Effernan who died on 12th August 2017 and whose months mind Mass will be celebrated in St Michael's Church, Kildysart on Sunday, 17th September 2017 at 11 am. Mary is predeceased by her husband Peter and her sons Eamon & Gerard. We pray that the Lord will take Mary to Himself and console her sons Peadar, Brendan, Noel and Declan, daughters May, Rita, Sheila, Carmel, Eithne and Colette, grandchildren, sons-in-law, daughters-in-law and all who formed part of her circle of love and care.

**Retired Priests' Fund:** The annual collection in support of the retired Priests of the diocese will take place this weekend. We thank you for your unfailing generosity,

**Pope Francis** is currently visiting Columbia. We pray that the Holy Father's words and presence will help restore peace and respect for the rights of all people to that troubled land. Mass of Anointing in Ballycorick Church on Monday, 11th September at 2 pm. All welcome. Junior Infants – Our parish Mass today, Sun., (10th Sept.) will include a special blessing for the children who began primary school this month. We look forward to welcoming the children with their parents and families.

**Opening of the Year School Mass:** Parents and other members of the community are welcome to join the students, teachers and staff of our parish primary school as they gather to celebrate Mass and pray God's blessing on the new school year next Wed., 13th Sept. at 10 am in St Michael's Church, Kildysart.

Karate Classes will resume in Kildysart Hall on 14th Sept. at 7 pm. All are welcome. Further info at 085 1741597. Annual Coffee Morning in aid of Cahercalla Hospice will be held on Fri., 15th Sept. from 9.30 am to 12.30 pm at the premises next to the Post Office (Grace Kelly's). We will have a raffle for a hamper and lots of other prizes. Your support will be greatly appreciated. **Diocesan Youth Faith Festival** 

The Diocesan Youth Fest, takes place on Sat., 30th Sept. at St Flannans College Ennis. Its open to those in Transition Year to Leaving Cert. It begins with registration at 9.30 am & continues with various workshops throughout the day. Lunch is provided & the entire event is free of charge. Contact Cora on 087 2400135 or Tracy through Facebook @ Killaloe DiocesanYouthFaithFest

### KILDYSART/COOLMEEN G.A.A LOTTO DRAW

Next Draw: Monday, 11th September Mitchell's Bar Jackpot €14,600 Last Week's Winning Numbers: 5, 7, 9, 10 €50 Michéal Brooks, Shessive €30 Gillian Finucane, Kildysart €30 Flan Ginnane, Quay Road, Kildysart €30 Gerard Kelly, Shanacoole €30 Patrick Dooley, Kilmihil €30 Eimear McMahon, Aylroe

### **Kildysart Graveyard Committee**

are now in the process of completing the Graveyard extension on the Quay road. At a recent meeting the Committee has decided as a once off, to reduce the cost of graves, from 1st Sept. to 31st Dec. 2017. During this period the cost of a double grave will be €450, from 1st Jan. 2018. The normal charge of €500 will apply. Anyone interested in purchasing a grave should contact Mary Murphy or Michael Michael's.

**World Meeting of Families:** Killaloe diocese has organised a conference in preparation of the World Meeting of Families to be held in Dublin on 22nd - 26th Aug., 2018. The conference will take place at Oakwood Hotel, Shannon on Sat., 23rd Sept. 2017 from 9.30 am to 1.30 pm. The speakers include Maria Steen, Martin Kennedy and Fr Harry Bohan. WMOF2018@killaloediocese.ie

# before 20th September.

'Social Media: Challenges for Parents' This presentation for parents and guardians will be given by Dr Maureen Griffin, forensic psychologist, on Mon., 11th Sept. at 8 pm at the Temple Gate Hotel, Ennis. Admission costs €5. The presentation will cover social networking

Season of Creation Prayer:"God our Father, Awaken within us a renewed appreciation for the wonder of creation and stir up in us a sense of awe for the splendour with which you have adorned our world. Help us, in these times to care for our world, so beautiful, so immense and yet so fragile. Allow us some quiet moment to surrender to the whisper of your love in the gentle breeze and in the warmth of the sun. May the essence of your presence, shimmering through creation fill our entire being, spirit, soul and body, through Christ our Lord."