

ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH, KILDYSART.

13th September 2015

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Parish Office Opening Hours: 9.30am - 2.00pm Monday-Thursday

Mass Times For Next Week:

Monday - No Mass.

Tuesday - 9.30am (Cranny)

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday - 10am (Kildysart)

Offertory Collection: 6th September €646.78.

Rest in Peace:

- We remember in prayer Tom Donnellan, Knock, Kilrush and formerly of Blain who died on 3 September 2015. May the Lord grant Tom eternal rest and console all who mourn him.
- You are asked to remember in your prayers James O'Donnell, Erribul who died 2 September 2015. May the Lord grant Jimmy eternal rest and console his daughters Anne Marie & Yvonne and son Shay, his sisters Chrissie, Patsy, Anne and grandchildren, all the members of his family and all who mourn him.

Retired Priests' Fund: The annual collection in support of the retired priests of the diocese will be taken up this weekend. We thank you for your unfailing generosity.

Primary School: Mass for the opening of the new school year will be celebrated in St Michael's church, Kildysart at 10am on Wednesday next (16th September) at 10am. Parents and members of our parish are welcome to join the children, their teachers and members of the school board of management to pray God's blessing on the school community during the new school year.

Wedding: We congratulate John Kelly and Nicole Devine who celebrated the sacrament of marriage on Friday, 4 September in Fourmilehouse, Co Roscommon. May the Lord bless their marriage, their home and their family.

20th September Next Weekend - 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Altar Servers: St Columban

Minister of the Word: Gerard Kelly

Eucharistic Ministers: Jean Ginnane, Kathleen McMahon, Anne Cleary

Finance Council: A meeting of our parish finance council will take place on Wednesday next (16 September) at 8.30pm.

Altar Servers: We are at present inviting members of fifth class to volunteer to serve at Mass. Written parental consent is needed. We thank our altar servers and their parents for their contribution to our liturgy and prayer.

Play and Pray will resume on Sunday, 20 September. It is organised by parents for children who have not yet received their First Holy Communion and takes place during 11am Mass in Kildysart. The programme is about giving young children an enjoyable and prayerful experience of Mass. Contact Tracey 087 2231417 or Niamh 086 3924497.

Safeguarding: Our new parish safeguarding representative is Tracey Keane, Tel 087 2231417. We thank Tracey for taking on this important role on behalf of our parish. We thank Niamh O'Connor, who has come to end of her period as safeguarding representative, for her generous commitment. Jean Ginnane continues in her role as safeguarding representative.

Junior Certificate: We congratulate the young people in our parish who received their Junior Certificate results on Wednesday last.

Tractor Run on Sunday 20 September in aid of the West Clare Cancer Centre. Starting at Fanny O'Deas, Lissycasey at 12 noon. Entry fee €20 per tractor. Please support this worthy cause (In memory of Tony Lynch formally of Moyasta and 5 Cul Daire, Lissycasey).

Social Services Annual Outing will take place on Sunday 4th October. This year's event takes place at The Inn at Dromoland and will include dinner and evening tea with music, song and dance throughout the day. Please give your name to Eileen in the Post Office or any other member of the social services committee if you would like to join us. The cost for the day is €20 per person.

Gymnastics classes have resumed in the Community College on Fridays from 5-6pm for under 8 year olds and 6-7pm for 8-12 year olds. Beginners welcome. For more info call Becky at 086 1214098.

Karate Classes will resume on Wednesday 16th September in Lissycasey. Beginners at 7pm, advanced and adults at 7.30pm. For more details contact 085-1741597.

Wellbeing & Training Hub will host a Kildysart culture night (free entry) on Friday 18th Sept from 6.30-9pm. Come and enjoy the local talent. All ages and genders welcome and there will be light refreshments on the night. For further information contact Tina on 085 8812712.

KILDYSART/COOLMEEN G.A.A.

LOTTO DRAW

Next Draw: 14th September at Mitchell's - Jackpot €3,200.

Last Week's Winning Numbers:

06, 18, 21, 23.

€50 Lourda Moloney, Shanahea
€30 Paul Kenny, Clondrina
€30 Ciara O'Connell, Clondrina
€30 Tricia Donnellan, Kilrush Rd
€30 Keith Farrell, Coolmeen
€30 Tricia & Sue c/o T Donnellan

Kildysart First Responders: Are on duty 24/7 to cover any cardiac event. After dialling 999 then call responder on duty 086 122 22 00.