

ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH, KILDYSART

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15th January 2017

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Parish Office Opening Hours: 9.30am - 2.00pm Mon, Tues & Thurs



Mass Times for Next Week:

Monday - No Mass

Tuesday - No Mass

Wednesday - No Mass

Thursday - No Mass

Friday - 10am (Kildysart)

Offertory Collection: 8th January €610.00.

First Holy Communion: Our next preparation Mass for First Holy Communion will take place today (15 January) at 11am in St Michael's Church, Kildysart. We continue to pray for the children, their parents, families and teachers.

Rest in Peace: You are asked to remember in your prayers *Margaret Joel (nee Walsh)* formerly of Gurtnacurra who died recently in Surrey, England. May she rest in peace.

The annual collection in support of the Agencies of the Irish Bishop's Conference will be taken up on next Sunday. This collection supports the work of the Irish Bishops in helping Irish people abroad including prisoners, CURA and communications.

Tax Refund Scheme: In 2016 Kildysart parish received €4,715.59 due to the tax refund scheme operated by the Revenue Commissioners. This was a major boost to the finances of our parish without any cost to our parishioners. If you would like to support the parish in this way and have not already signed a CHY3 form, you are welcome to contact the parish office or any member of the pastoral council.

Next Weekend - 22nd of January - Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reader: Noel McMahon

Eucharistic Ministers: Lucy Finn, Jean Ginnane, Anne Casey

Altar Servers: St John Bosco

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Fatima: The Diocese of Killaloe is organising a pilgrimage to Fatima for the Centenary Year 2017 and the shrine of St. Anthony in Lisbon. The pilgrimage will depart Shannon Airport on Easter Monday 17 April, returning Friday 21 April (Easter week). €699 full board with €10 reduction for online booking to joewalshstours.ie. Booking forms are also available from Fr Tom Ryan, Shannon 061 -364133 or Fr Brendan Quinlivan, Ennis.

Parish Collections 2017: Envelopes are now available for collection in the parish office.

Kildysart Tidy Towns will hold a meeting on Tuesday 17th January at 8.30pm. All members are requested to attend and new members are always welcome.

Alzheimer Support Group If you are caring for someone with Dementia this is an opportunity to meet with others who are also caring for their family members. Should you need support or advice please drop in for a chat and a cuppa on Thursday 19 January at 7.00pm. Guest Speaker Eilis Thompson OT, Clare Mental Health Services for Older People, Alzheimer Society of Ireland, Cuan on Chlair, Cahercalla, Ennis. For details contact 065 6868621.

KILDYSART/COOLMEEN G.A.A.

LOTTO DRAW

**Next Draw: 16th January at Alders -
Jackpot €8,000.**

**Last Week's Winning Numbers:
03, 06, 07, 22.**

€50 Marie O Connor, Birrinfada
€30 Mickey & Frances Farren, Tir na nOg
€30 Katie Donnellan, Kildysart
€30 Derek Moylan, Kildysart
€30 Cecily & Una Donnellan Kildysart
€30 Tony McMahon, Clarecastle

Clare Suicide Bereavement Support invite you to a talk by Christy Kenneally on "Life after Suicide" at the Temple Gate Hotel, Ennis on Tuesday, 17 January at 7.30 p.m. Christy Kenneally is well known for his work in the area of bereavement.

Senior Citizens Wednesday Club will return on 18th January. We look forward to seeing everyone back and new members are always welcome.

Chiropodist Visit: Marie will also attend the Senior Citizens Wednesday club on 18th January. To make an appointment contact Marie on 085-1232723 or Sheila on 087- 1862291. Appointments are open to anyone in the village and surrounding areas who wish to avail of this service.

St. Mary's A.C.: Open invitation to all in celebration and appreciation of Tommy Mc Carthy's lifetime dedication to athletics including St. Mary's A.C. He held positions at both county and provincial level. To mark Tommy's contribution of over 60 years to the running club, please join us on Friday 27th January at the Hilltop Bar, Coolmeen from 9pm. There will be music and finger food on the night. All welcome.

Kildysart First Responders are on call 24/7 as part of the HSE. Dial 999 in case of emergency. Meeting 1st Tuesday every month at 8pm in Community Centre. All welcome.