ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH, KILDYSART. RADHARC NA NOILEANN

15th November 2015

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Parish Ofice Opening Hours 9.30am 2pm Monday—Thursday

Mass Times for Next Week:

Monday/Tuesday—No Mass. Wednesday/Thursday -10am. Friday—8pm.

Offertory Collection: 8th November -€

Preparation for Sacraments:

- The enrolment Mass for our Confirmation candidates, their parents and families will be celebrated in St Michael's Church, Kildysart on Sunday, 15th Nov 2015.
- Our second preparation Mass for our Fist Holy Communion class and their parents and families will be celebrated in St Michael's Church, Kildysart on Sunday 22nd Nov at 11am.

We pray for all the children in our parish who are preparing to receive sacraments this year and for their parents, families and teachers.

Rest in Peace:

- We pray for Michael Guerin, Kilmurry, Sixmilebridge who died on 9th November, 2015. We pray that the Lord may welcome him into paradise and console his daughter Lily Kirrane, Ballyvohane and all who knew and loved him.
- Mass will be offered for Sr Lelia Cleary, M.M.M., Drogheda and formerly of Kildysart on next Friday at 8pm in St Michael's Church, Kildysart. We pray that Sr Lelia may be welcomed to the house of the Father and that the Lord will console her sisters Frances, Nora, Nan and Peggy, her brother James, her M.M.M. community and all who mourn her.

Next weekend - 22nd Nov: Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

Altar Servers: St. Columbian.

Gifts: Aibhe Casey & Parent

Ministers of the Word: Jane Casey

Eucharistic Ministers: Anne Casey, Tracey Keane & Kathleen McMahon.

The next meeting of *Kildysart Pastoral Council* will take place in the Community Centre on Thursday, 19th November 2015 at 8.30pm. Any member of the parish who wishes to have an issue discussed is welcome to contact any member of the Council.

The Matt Talbot Novena 2015 in Shannon and Kilrush to pray for all suffering or sharing in the life of addictions, will continue on this Monday, 16th November in St Senan's Church, Kilrush at 7.30pm and on Tuesday 17th Nov at 7pm, in SS John & Paul's Church, Shannon. The preacher will be Fr. DaAvid Collins, OFM, Killarney. The novena can be viewed each Tuesday at www.shannonparish.ie and petitions can be sent using the online petition form.

World Day of Remembrance for Road Traffic Victims takes place this Sunday as we remember and pray for the victims of road traffic crashes and their families. It is also a reminder for us to exercise care on the roads.

Pope Francis has announced a *Holy Year of Mercy* beginning on 8th December next. The Diocese has invited Fr Dermot Ryan, St Kieran's College, Kilkenny to introduce us to the year. He will give a talk entitled 'Pope Francis and Mercy - A worldly weakness, a Christian Strength' at St Flannan's College, Ennis on Monday 14th December at 8pm. All welcome.

Kildysart Cemetery: Ticket sellers from the Kildysart Cemetery Committee are currently calling to houses in the parish hoping to get support for the Christmas Raffle. Many prizes kindly sponsored by local and other businesses are on offer and participation in the raffle would be greatly appreciated. Draw will take place in Mitchell's on Friday 18th December.

The Irish Red Cross Clare Area will hold a Fun Table Quiz to raise much need funds for our New Community Mini Bus/Patient Support vehicle on Friday 20th Nov at the Grove Bar Roslevan, Tulla Road, starting at 8.15pm Table of four €40.00 Contact James (086)8323456. Please help us to care - You make a difference.

CÙIL MÌN/KILDYSART G.A.A. LOTTO DRAW

Next draw: Monday 16th November At: Tír na n-Óg - JACKPOT €5,000 LAST WEEK'S WINNING NUMBERS: 05 - 11 - 22 - 25

€50 Pat Donnellan Kildysart €30 Geraldine Finucane Kilrush Rd. €30 Leo O'Donoghue Kildysart €30 John Cavanagh Crovraghan €30 Green Family Moyralla €30 Collette McMahon Clondrina

The *Sacristan's Collection* will be taken up next weekend. We thank you for your unfailing generosity.

SPECIAL REMEMBERANCE MASS: As we enter the month of All Souls, Kilrush Darkness into light committee have arranged a special remembrance mass for families and friends affected by suicide throughout Clare on Thursday 19th November in St. Senan's Church, Kilrush at 7.30pm. The mass will be attended by Joan Freeman founder of Pieta House.

The Peadar Clancy Festival Committee: are delighted to announce that Santa Claus will be joining us for our annual Christmas Party in Tír na n-Óg on Sunday 13th December 2015 and he is really looking forward to meeting all the girls and boys. All welcome

Have you been affected by someone else's drinking? If so, help is available. *Open Public Al-Anon Meeting on Thursday, 26th November at 8:00pm* in the new Ennis Parish Centre, Station Road, Ennis. Please come, listen and share a cup of tea. All welcome!

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.