

ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH, KILDYSART.

14th December

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

Mass Times For Next Week:

Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday - 10am (Kildysart)

Thursday - 9.30am (Cranny)

Friday - 10am (Kildysart)

Basket Collection: 7th December 2014 €584.00.

Christmas & New Year in Kildysart and Cranny - Coolmeen:

Reconciliation Ceremonies:

- Cranny - Wednesday 17th December at 7pm
- Coolmeen - Thursday 18th December at 7pm
- Kildysart - Monday 22nd December at 8pm

Christmas Eve Mass:

- Cranny at 7pm
- Kildysart at 9pm

Christmas Morning:

- Coolmeen at 9.45am
- Kildysart at 11am

New Year's Eve:

- Kildysart at 5pm (Mass as the sun sets on 2014)

New Year's Day:

- Cranny at 12 Noon

21st December 2014 Next Weekend - Fourth Sunday of Advent

Altar Servers: St Columban

Minister of the Word: Michael Keane

Eucharistic Ministers: Fintan Ginnane, Kathleen McMahon, Jean Ginnane

Prayers of the Faithful: Katie Donnellan

St Michael's Church, Kildysart will be closed on Tuesday 16th December and Wednesday 17th December to allow for treatment of woodworm. On those days morning Mass will be celebrated in the community centre.

The First Anniversary Mass for Mrs Margaret Coyle will be celebrated in St Michael's Church, Kildysart on Sunday 21st December 2014 at 11am. May she rest in peace.

The Priests' Christmas Collection will be taken up next weekend. We thank you for your unfailing support.

Our next preparation Mass for First Holy Communion will be celebrated in St Michael's Church, Kildysart on Sunday 21st December at 11am. **Kildysart Children's Choir** will sing during this Mass.

We wish the members of our Wednesday club and their friends well as they gather to enjoy their Christmas Dinner today.

Our Parish Choir will perform Christmas Carols before and after 11am Mass on Sunday 21st December. We thank our choir for the wonderful contribution they make to our liturgy and our parish.

KILDYSART/COOLMEEN G.A.A. LOTTO DRAW

NEXT DRAW: Monday 15th December

At: Tir na Nog - **Jackpot €6,000**

LAST WEEK'S WINNING NUMBERS:

13, 14, 20, 28.

€50 Darragh Mc Grath, Labasheeda

€30 Mikey McGuane, Birrinfadda

€30 Pat Donnellan, Kildysart

€30 Cyril Kelly, Kildysart

€30 John O'Dea, Lisnafaha

€30 Emma McMahon, Sydney

A Ceremony of Light in preparation for the celebration of confirmation will take place in St Michael's Church, Kildysart on Monday 15th December at 7pm. We pray for the young people who are preparing to receive the Holy Spirit in Confirmation.

Kildysart National School Christmas Concert: Well done and congratulations to the teachers, staff and children for putting on a wonderful performance of music, song and drama on Wednesday. A great night was had by all!

Mass with Anointing on next Wed. 17th Dec. in Ballycorick Church at 2pm. All are welcome.

St John Bosco's Young St Vincent de Paul Group are collecting food/toys for the 2014 appeal. If you can help boxes are in the school, Michael Michael's and Doochan's Shop. The appeal finishes on Friday 19th December when the food will be distributed to those who are in need. Thank you for your support.

Congratulations to Joe Kelly, son of Treasa & Johnny and Sinead Kelly, daughter of Cyril & Mairead who took part in the AIB Primary School Bake Off competition in Spanish Point recently. Sinead had the added bonus of coming second in her category. Well done to both of them!

Sponsorship cards for the 17th Annual West Clare Mini Marathon are available from John O'Connell, Labasheeda; Margaret A, Miltown Malbay and at the Cancer Centre, Kilkee. For more information contact 0659060762 or 0659056181.

Church Cleaning: Group B will be cleaning the church on Thursday 18th December.

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.