

ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH, KILDYSART.

16th November

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

Mass Times For Next Week:

Monday & Tuesday - 10am (Kildysart)

Wednesday - No Mass

Thursday - 9.30am (Cranny)

Friday - 10am (Kildysart)

Basket Collection: 9th November €484.86.

Our second preparation Mass for First Holy Communion will be celebrated in St Michael's Church, Kildysart on Sunday next (23rd November) at 11am. You are invited to remember the children, their parents and teachers in your prepare as they prepare to receive the Lord in Holy communion for the first time

The First Anniversary Mass for Charlie and Bridie Smither, Lacknashannagh will be celebrated in St Michael's Church, Kildysart on Sunday, 23rd November at 11am. May they rest in peace.

Tax Refund: Recently, members of our parish received receipts for the contributions you made to the parish during 2013. The envelope also included a form which allows the parish to reclaim the tax you have already paid on your donation without any additional cost to you. We would be grateful if you would complete and return the form to the parish office during the coming week. We wish to thank you for your generous and unfailing support.

23rd November Next Weekend - Solemnity of Christ the King

Altar Servers: St Brigid

Minister of the Word: Eugene Lorrigan

Eucharistic Ministers: Carmel Kiernan, Fintan Ginnane, Kathleen McMahon

Couples planning to celebrate the **sacrament of marriage** are reminded that in addition to the civil requirements, they need to:

- give at least three months notice to their parish
- Complete the pre-nuptial enquiry form with their parish priest
- And participate in a recognised pre-marriage course (Accord or Esker Retreat House, Athenry)

Missionvale is located on the outskirts of Port Elizabeth, South Africa and is home to 100,000 people. Missionvale has been ravaged by disease, unemployment and malnutrition. The HIV/Aids virus is affecting 70% of its population, including children. Almost 75% of the adult population is unemployed. Sr. Ethel Normoyle, from Lissycasey, and her team of Care workers brings a glimmer of hope and comfort to the inhabitants of this shantytown. Students from St John Bosco Community School, Kildysart have in recent years become involved in this work. A student from the school will speak briefly at Mass today regarding this project.

KILDYSART/COOLMEEN G.A.A.

LOTTO DRAW

NEXT DRAW: Monday 10th November

At: Tir na Nog - **Jackpot €5,200**

LAST WEEK'S WINNING NUMBERS:

1, 19, 24, 25.

€50 Nuala Kelly, Ballylean

€30 Kieran Leahy, Kildysart

€30 Kay O Dea, Sixcrosses

€30 Shane McMahon, Cranny

€30 Brigid Casey,

€30 Vincent O Dea, Cragg

The Sacristan's Collection will be taken up next weekend. Thank you for your generous support.

Kildysart Children's Choir will sing at 11am Mass today.

AGM of Kildysart GAA: The meeting will be held on Friday 21st November at 8pm in the community centre. All members are requested to attend and new members are welcome to help in the running of the Club. **Cuimneamh an Chlair** are having a church gate collection today. Please support this valuable project collecting memories from elderly people.

Regina Nathan plays her annual Christmas Concert "Christmas Spirit" in St Columba's Church Bindon St, Ennis on Saturday 6th December at 8.00pm. Tickets are €20. Book online at www.reginanathan.com or phone 087 2520181.

Social Services Christmas Party will take place on Sunday 14th December at 12.30pm in the Senior Citizens Room. Please give your name to a member of the Social Services Team or the Post Office.

The Alzheimer Society's Dementia Specific Day Care Centre in Ennis currently has vacancies for clients. Specialist Activity Programme tailored towards clients' interests, skills, experiences and personalities. Meals provided. Cost €7.00 per day. For information contact Linda Murphy 087-9152151.

Sláinte an Chláir, Clare Cancer Support, Kilnamona.: 2nd Christmas Fair, Old Ground Hotel, Ennis, Sat 29th Nov, 10-3pm. Great family day. Santa, Bake sale, great value in jewellery, gifts, cards etc. Face painting and lots more. We thank you for your support.

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.