## ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH, KILDYSART.

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23rd/24th November



Mass Times: Monday, Tuesday, Fri -10am.

(Thurs 9.30am - Cranny). Wed – 8pm

Notices for the parish newsletter: may be given in writing to Fr Albert by hand or email: a.mcdonnell@killaloediocese.ie or may be given to the Coolmeen Office.

The Shared December Anniversary Mass: will be celebrated on Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> December at 11am. Names of deceased loved ones to be included may be given to the Parish Priest, to the Coolmeen Office (065 6832070) or may be written in the book provided at the back of Kildysart Church.

Basket collection: 16<sup>th</sup>/1<sup>7th</sup> November - €721

Months Mind Mass: The months mind Mass for Margaret (Peggy) Eyres, Main Street will be celebrated in St Michael's Church, Kildysart on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> November at 8pm. May the Lord grant her eternal rest.

<u>Funeral Mass</u>: You are asked to remember in prayer Tom Galvin formally of Newbridge, Coolmeen who died in England on 16<sup>th</sup> October 2013. Tom's funeral Mass will be celebrated in St Benedict's Church, Coolmeen on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> November at 9.45am. May the Lord take him to Himself.

**Rest in Peace**: You are asked to remember in your prayer Alfie Sheedy late of Lisnafaha and Philadelphia, U.S.A who died recently. May the Lord grant him eternal rest and console all who mourn him. At the request of his friends and neighbours Mass will be offered for Alfie on Wednesday at 8pm at St Michael's Church, Kildysart.

**The Sacristan's Collection:** will be taken up this weekend 23<sup>rd</sup>-24<sup>th</sup> November.

**Trócaire:** or ganised a National Emergency Collection on behalf of the Syrian Refugees and the victims of Typhoon Haiyan in the Philippines last weekend. The parish community in Kildysart contributed €2,219.69 to this collection which is an extremely generous donation.

<u>Pilgrimage to Medjugorje from Shannon</u>: Date 25<sup>th</sup> June 2014 − 7 Days with Spiritual Director and guided tours. Full Price €629. If paid by 12<sup>th</sup> December reduced price €479. Contact Bernadette Murphy 086 1634553 or murphybarefield@eircom.net

<u>Clare Cancer Support, Kilnamona, Christmas Fair:</u> at the Holy Family School Hall, Ennis, Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> November at 10.30am. Knitwear, Jewellery, Christmas cards painted by our members, Santa Clause, Gifts, Tea and Coffee. Please come along and join us.

## Next weekend - 30thNov/1st Dec: First Sunday of Advent.

Altar Servers: Saturday – St. John Bosco

Sunday – St. Brigid

Ministers of the Word: Saturday – Bridget Garry

Sunday – Michael Keane

**Eucharistic Ministers:** Saturday – Carmel Kiernan & Trish Moloney

Sunday - Anne Casey & Jean Ginnane

## Killaloe Pilgrimage to the Canonisations of Popes John XXIII and John Paul II

from 23<sup>rd</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup> April. Staying beside the Vatican within walking distance for the canonisation and visiting the principal holy places of the Eternal City. Also visiting Montecassino and Assisi. €1,100 per person sharing. Chaplain: Fr Albert McDonnell. Contact: 057 9355050 (mornings only) or a.mcdonnell@killaloediocese.ie Details may be found on the Kildysart parish website: www.kildysartparish.org

The National Audit of Child Safeguarding Practice in this Diocese of Killaloe: will take place from 27<sup>th</sup> to 29<sup>th</sup> November. As part of the Audit every parish is required to publish this fact in their parish newsletter. The Auditors and the Bishop are inviting any person who may have been affected by abuse within the Church in this Diocese to make contact with the Director of Safeguarding, Cleo Yates on 065 6828638. **Builders of Hope – Pastoral Plan Diocese of** Killaloe 2013-2020: will guide the work of our diocese and our parishes during the next seven years. The plan is the fruit of the listening process that took place in our diocese over the last two years. Bishop Kieran O'Reilly will launch the plan for our cluster of parishes on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> November at 8pm in Bellbridge House Hotel, Milltown Malbay. Fr Brendan Quinlivan will present the main points of the plan at the launch. Everybody interested in the future of our Church and faith is welcome to attend the launch.

The West Clare Family Resource Centre: is collecting items for Christmas in aid of Clare Haven Services at the Community Centre, Toler Street, Kilrush. Items including Women's toiletries and tined food are welcome. Baby and Child items also in need. If you have any queries, please phone 065 905 2173.

The Clare Branch of the Irish Kidney Association: wish to thank most sincerely all those who contributed so generously to their recent Church gate collection.

The Hills of Aylroe Walk: in aid of the RNLI will take place on December 1<sup>st</sup>. Please come along and support this great cause. All welcome!

## **GAA Lotto Results:**

details later.

Monday 18th November: 03-07-08-25.

€50 - Paul Kenny, Clondrina.

€30 - Shane Murphy, Liscormick. Flan McNamara, Cranny. John Cahill, Kildysart. Brendan Frawley, Kildysart. Mary Hehir, Labasheeda.

**Next Draw:** Monday 25<sup>th</sup> November at: Cahill's. *Jackpot* €10,400.

Office Administrator - CE Scheme: Kildysart: This is a developmental opportunity, no experience is necessary. Accredited training will be provided to support your career. Must meet Department of Social Protection Criteria. Hours per week: 19.5 Phone: 065 6832070/086 8513077 or E-mail to <a href="mailto:cranny@eircom.net">cranny@eircom.net</a> Kildysart GAA: AGM takes place in Community Centre Friday 6th December at 8

secretary by November 22<sup>nd</sup>. **Kildysart Senior Citizens Christmas Party:**will take place on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> December in the Community Centre at 12.30pm. Further

o'clock. Please submit motions/proposals to

Providing Pathways to Support People in Debt: The Clare Citizens information Service and MABS will host an information session for the public on how to use the new legal infrastructure around personal debt and insolvency. Taking place at the Temple Gate in Ennis on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> November at 7.30pm the event will be addressed by practitioners from the Money Advice & Budgeting Service, legal and Insolvency Profession.

Congratulations: to Stephen McInerney who was awarded a JP McManus All Ireland Scholarship. He is studying Pharmacy inU.L. Jamie O'Reilly also a past pupil of St. Bosco C.C also received a 'Scholars Award' recently.

The Irish Bishops' Alcohol & Drug Initiative: invites you to their diocesan seminar on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> December in St Flannan's College, Ennis at 7.30pm. Information, knowledge, supports as well as how parishes can best respond to local alcohol and drug problems. All welcome. Queries 015053044 <a href="https://www.irishbishopsdrugsinitiative.com">www.irishbishopsdrugsinitiative.com</a>