

Parish of Killooney & Creagh

Sunday, MARCH 31st - 4th Sunday (C) 2019

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PRIESTS OF THE PARISH

Fr's Bernie Costello, Colm Allman & Kieran Danfulani.



Mass Intentions this week: St. Michael's. (Monday/Friday)

Evening: 6p.m.

Mon: Private Intention

Tues: Dec mem Hardiman Family, Kiltormer.

Wed: Marian, Trevor & Sarah Stephens, Hymany Park.

Thur: Michael, Teresa & Donal Cullen, St. Joseph's Place.

Fri: Teresa & Patsy Keane & Chrissie Whelan.

Sat: 10a.m. John McDaid; Kyle Waters, Sarsfield Drive.

SUNDAY, APRIL 7th: First Mass of; Sat. 8p.m.

Jim & Mary Burke, Garbally.

Jackie Lynch, 20, St. Brendan's Terrace.

9.15a.m. People of the Parish.

12 noon. Brendan Tully, Brackernagh.

Johnny & Mary Delia Burke, Mackney & Kathleen Lyons.

Our Lady Of Lourdes, Creagh: (Monday/Friday) 10a.m.

Mon: Dec mem Forde Family, Church St. Tues: Personal Intention.

Wed: Michael John Cogavin, Tulrush. Thur: Personal Intention.

Fri: Personal Intention.

Sat: 11a.m. **First Holy Communion: Newtown & Attyrory N.S.**

SUNDAY, APRIL 7th: First Mass of; Sat @ 7p.m.

Pat & Mary Kenny, Ballygill; Private Intention.

10.30a.m. Ellen, James & Jimmy Howley

Patrick & Cecilia Dolan, Togher & Mary Treacy, Killahornia

Patrick Kelly, Killahornia.

HOLY HOUR & ROSARY: every Sunday @ 6p.m. in St. Ml's Church

ADORATION: Wednesday – Friday: 10a.m. -6p.m. and Sunday: 6-7p.m.

CONFESSIONS: every Saturday in St. Ml's Church from 2.30-3.30p.m.

BENEDICTION: First Sunday of the month in St. Michael's. All welcome.

FIRST FRIDAY CALLS: to housebound. If you would like a call please ring the Presbytery @ (090) 9643916 with your details.

LENTEN SCRIPTURE SHARING GROUP: continues in The Presbytery, on Thursdays from 10.45-11.20p.m. Info: Justin @ (087)6171526. All welcome.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS: in St. Michael's Church @ 6.30p.m. on Fridays.

BEGINNING EXPERIENCE: Weekend for people who have lost a spouse through death, divorce or separation in Redemptorist Retreat Centre, Esker on 5-7th April. Tel: Gerry (086) 3855090 / Maureen (087) 6646896.

ALTAR SOCIETY for April: Sheila Walsh.

HEALING SERVICE: in St. John's church on Tuesday @ 3p.m. All welcome

ROSCOMMON FOR LIFE: host a Pro Life Meeting @ 8p.m. in Hannon's Hotel, Roscommon on Thur 4th April. All most welcome.

SUICIDE AWARENESS COURSE: ASIST 2 day course -27th – 28th April in Shearwater Hotel. Places limited. Book: Mary McGrath, Suicide Resource officer, HSE (090)6665071 or email mary.mcgrath@hse.ie. Further info email brian_derrane@hotmail.com. Closing date 23rd April.

CELEBRATION: to the memory of all the children buried in the Teampaillin in Pollboy takes place in Gullane's Hotel on Fri 5th @ 7p.m. Everyone welcome.

NATIONAL TREE WEEK: 31st March-7th Ap. If planting a tree this week it is very important for the health of our ecosystem that we choose native species. Details: www.treecouncil.ie or www.angairdin1@gmail.com

B'SLOE ACTIVE RETIREMENT: monthly meeting in Gullane's @ 3p.m. on Wed Ap 3rd. New members welcome. Speaker arranged. **Thanks:** for donation to Parish Newsletter from Active Retirement Association.

RAY OF SUNSHINE: is a Co Clare based charity who bring volunteers from all over Ireland to do building projects in the poorest areas of Kenya. We work on a voluntary basis. We are travelling to Mombasa in January 2020 and seek volunteers. Details: Olive Halpin, Project Co-Ordinator (087)6994599.

B'SLOE SOCIAL SERVICES: Limited Draw winners: **February-Tess Raftery; March –Nora Callaghy.**

R.I.P: Bridie Mitchell, Deerpark; Margaret Burns, Culliagh (mother of Mary Madden, Brackernagh & Michael Burns, Culliagh); Fr. Jimmy Keane, late of Cleaghmore (cousin of Sean Kealy, Cleaghmore).

As we are approaching on First Confessions & First Holy Communions for the children in the various schools, may I take this opportunity to encourage parents/guardians to bring your child to our various Masses in the parish and to give them a sense of the importance of this event in their lives.