

Kincasslagh Parish Newsletter, June 20th, 2021

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Schedule of Masses

St. Columba's Church

Monday @ 10.00 a.m.

Tuesday @ 10.00 a.m.

Thursday @ 10.00 a.m.

Friday @ 10.00 a.m.

Saturday @ 5.30 p.m.

Sunday @ 11.30 a.m.

St. Mary's Church

Wednesday @ 7.00 p.m.

Friday @ 7.00 p.m.

Saturday @ 6.30 p.m.

Sunday @ 10.00 a.m.

Anniversaries and Masses

Michael McShane, Edward Gallagher, Hugh Gallagher & Peadar Gallagher, Father's day Remembrance, Saturday, **StC**

Annie & Brian Ward and Gracie & Sheila Bonner, Keadue, Sat, **StM**

Edith Jakob, Sunday, **StM**

Mollie Gallagher 41st Anniversary & her husband **Neilly** and her son **Paddy Neilly**, and his wife **Bridget**, Meenbannad, Monday, **StC**

Eileen Dixon, Sheskinarone, Thursday, **StC**

Mark Coyle, Meenmore & Glasgow, Friday, **StC**

Mimmie Ward, the Glen, Friday, **StM**

Shaun and Joe McBride, Roshine Lodge, Saturday, **StC**

Maura Conlon, Months mind, Sat, **StM**

Bridget, Barney, Joe and John McCarron, Meenbannad, Sunday, **StM**

Recent Deaths

Kate Treacy, sister of the late Michael Tracey, Maghery, who died during the week

Anniversaries

Michael Doogan, Gortnasade.

Grace Ward, Arranmore

For the sick and those under treatment

Two cousins, Karen Hughes and Lynn & Shay Doyle who are being treated for breast cancer.

Schedule of Masses

Next weekend is the last weekend we have two evening Vigil Masses on Saturday. We will

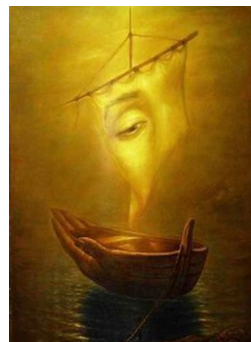
revert to a three Mass schedule for July, beginning in Masses in Acres only on Saturday, and in Kincasslagh in August.

MARKET/BARGAIN RAIL

We are delighted with the number of callers we have had since we reopened the Market/bargain rail in the Community Centre a few weeks ago. A good selection of items are on offer, at very reasonable prices. Remember we are open on Tuesdays from 10am until 2pm.

RAILWAY WALK

Huge number of people are using our walk on a daily basis. We have commenced strimming along the walk which will continue over the next couple of weeks. We have 75 members registered as "Friends of the Walk" for 2021 and would welcome more members. You can also leave donations in the box beside Charlie Sweeney's Gatehouse. Many thanks and keep safe.



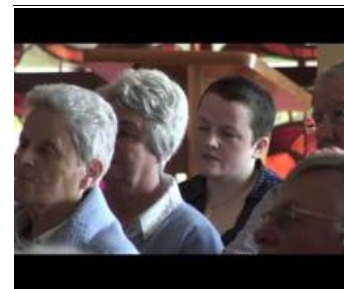
Our Gospel gives us the command of Jesus to the Elements, "Quiet now, Be Calm!"

Lord, help us to find your peace in the turbulence of life, and to hold fast to the means of our salvation. Amen.

Adult Faith Formation

Our basic Adult Faith course, Pathways, is offered over 9 Saturdays per year for two years. It has no educational prerequisites and no written work attached but provides a good basis for people resuming faith formation, perhaps years after leaving school. We also offer a follow-on to Pathways, the Certificate in Christian Thought which we offer in collaboration with St Mary's University College, Belfast, who validate it. Both of these courses will be offered in-house (Covid permitting) and via Zoom. In this way we hope they may be accessible to people living a distance away. I attach details and include below a 6 minute presentation about Pathways.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YxZ_f8khjly



Pathways Adult Faith Development at Drumalis [Watch now...](#) Find newsletter online to do this....

The **Certificate in Christian Thought** is a two-year course, delivered over 7 days per year with the option of doing the course solely for further personal development or also for validation by St Mary's, this option involving a small amount of written work.

We also offer the **Diploma in Pastoral Theology** in collaboration with St Patrick's Pontifical University, Maynooth. This is delivered over two years and includes 3 x Saturday-Sunday weekends in-house and 18 x 2 hour evening sessions via Zoom per year. Students are required to have a pastoral placement in parishes in order to gain or increase their pastoral experience.

Keadue Rovers Bingo Results 11/6/2021

Winners of our €100 house were Hughie Gallagher Belcruit & Rose Mary Conaghan Crickamore. No winner of our Snowball. Snowball will now be for €8,000 Friday 18/6/2021

Covid Interruptions

Blessing of Graves

Due to on-going Covid restrictions there will be no public Blessing of the Graves in our parish this year. I would encourage you to bring Holy Water to the graveyards and bless your loved ones graves.

First Holy Communions

First Holy Communions have been postponed until schools resume in September. A date will be fixed then for this event.

Visitation of the sick and Housebound

I am willing to bring Holy Communion to the sick and housebound who have been vaccinated in our parish. It is understood that

many people still prefer not to have people in their homes too much so I ask you to get in contact with me if you would like confessions and Holy Communion at your home. Each visit will be quick and without delay.

The A Team!



We take this opportunity to wish Máire McCole (Right) all the very best upon her retirement this year from the position of principal in Keadue NS. Máire spent her entire teaching career (38 years) in Keadue and the last 6 were as principal. The above photo shows the team that worked together in the school for all these years, Naul McCole, Máire Rodgers Coyle and each was principal in their turn. Máire will be missed from the school and we wish her every success in her future endeavours. Thank you from the Board of Management, Pupils, Staff and Parents and of course neighbours for your dedication.

Items for inclusion in the Newsletter should be forwarded to the parochial house by Thursday @ 6.00 p.m. Thank you.