



**Kilgeever Parish** welcomes our new Archbishop, Francis Duffy, and wish him every blessing in his ministry in the years ahead.

**Live Streaming of Masses on Webcameras**  
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<b>Sunday</b>	<b>14 Nov</b>	
<b>Mass Killeen Church</b>		<b>10.00 a.m.</b>
Mary Kitterick, Month's Mind. Anthony Scanlon, 1 <sup>st</sup> anniversary. Tess and John McGrath. Mary Ellen Jennings, Thallabawn and Castlebar.		
<b>Mass Louisburgh Church</b>		<b>11.30 a.m.</b>
Geoffrey Gibbons, Accony, 4 <sup>th</sup> anniversary. Seán and Ellie Gibbons, Ballyhip. James F Powers Jnr, U.S.A., 8 <sup>th</sup> anniversary. Annie Lyons and deceased family, Accony.		
Monday,	15 Nov	10.00 a.m.
Nora O Grady, 20 <sup>th</sup> anniversary and family.		
Tuesday	16 Nov	10.00 a.m.
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>17 Nov</b>	<b>No Mass</b>
Thursday	18 Nov	10.00 a.m.
Austin & Annie McHale and sons, John & Jarlath, Emlagh.		
Friday	19 Nov	10.00 a.m.
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>21 Nov</b>	
<b>Mass Killeen Church</b>		<b>10.00 a.m.</b>
Tommy Jordan, 1 <sup>st</sup> anniversary. Noreen Noone, nee Jordan.		
<b>Mass Louisburgh Church</b>		<b>11.30 a.m.</b>
Anna Kilcoyne, Month's Mind. Kathleen Kitterick, 1 <sup>st</sup> anniversary. Katie Kilcoyne, Crickeen. Mary and Peter Kilcoyne & Pat and Nora Tierney, Cregganacopple. Mike and Beecie Scott & deceased family.		

**R.I.P. Please pray for:** John Dynes, Portaferry who died recently, brother of Valerie Tiernan, Doughmakeon. Jimmy Tiernan, Cregganbawn. Kathleen Warde, nee Loftus, late of Killary Farm, Thallabawn, who died in Bristol recently.

**Holy Communion for those with Coeliac disease**  
 If those with coeliac disease wish to receive Holy Communion under the form of wine, they should inform the priest, or ask one of the stewards to do so, before Mass.

**Prevention of Illness and Infections during Winter**

Anybody with any covid, flu-like, or cold-like symptoms, cough, sneezing, sore throat, temperature, lack of smell etc. should not attend church and should phone their G.P. for advice.

It is absolutely necessary that all people attending Mass or services in church must wear a mask correctly at all times. To do otherwise disrespects the health and life of all others in church, especially the vulnerable.

**Corona Virus : Numbers allowed in Churches:**

"religious services and weddings can proceed without capacity limits *but with all other protective measures remaining in place.*" One of these protective measures is the requirement for 2 metres physical distancing between people, or between a group of people that live in the same house and others. This distancing imposes limits on the number of people in church.

So, if planning a wedding, funeral, or any other service in either of our churches in Kilgeever parish, until this requirement is changed numbers will be severely limited as at present.

**November Masses for the Dead:** If you wish to list members of your family or friends please write out the names and leave it in the church. They will be prayed for at all Masses that will be celebrated during the month of November in Louisburgh and Killeen Churches. Note that all the dead are prayed for and included in all Masses. *Please do not leave money with these lists.*

**Would you like to make your home warmer and more comfortable to live in?**

If you are over 65 and own your home or have right of residence where you live, you can receive grants to replace doors and windows with modern draft proof and highly insulated doors and windows. To receive detailed information and free assistance in making application call 087 284 7695

**Trócaire, East Africa Appeal:** The Irish Bishops asked parishes throughout Ireland to undertake a special Church collection to invite the public to support Trócaire in its work to alleviate the humanitarian crisis in East Africa.

They expressed particular support for the people of East Africa, where up to 30 million people in Somalia, Ethiopia, Sudan, South Sudan, Kenya, Uganda and the Democratic Republic of the Congo are currently face life-threatening food shortages. In the countries where Trócaire works, less than 5% of the population have been vaccinated for Covid and infection rates are up to 50%. An additional 200 million people have fallen into poverty globally as a result of the Covid crisis. [www.trocaire.org](http://www.trocaire.org).

**St. Vincent de Paul:**

- Annual collection, Saturday 04 December, drive through from noon to 3.00p.m. at both Louisburgh and Killeen Churches.
- For assistance, please contact 087 921 0885 in confidence.

**Church Closing Time.** The Churches will continue to open daily for private prayer until 5.00 p.m.

**Louisburgh NS Parents Association A.G.M.** will take place in the GP room on Thursday, 18 November, at 7.30 p.m. All parents are encouraged to attend. Masks and social distancing regulations will be in place.

**Killeen Community Council** are delighted to announce that the public toilet facilities adjoining the Killeen Community Centre are now open to the public. Thanks to funding under the Town and Villages Renewal Scheme 2019, this enabled construction of this vital facility as well as an amenities shed.

**GAA AGM:** Louisburgh GAA will hold its AGM on Friday, 03 Dec at 7.30 pm in the Parochial Hall. All guidelines will be adhered to with masks and social distancing. Please email the secretary for nomination forms or to raise a motion for consideration on the agenda. Please email [secretary.louisburgh.mayo@gaa.ie](mailto:secretary.louisburgh.mayo@gaa.ie) and a form can be sent to you. Additionally, some forms will be available in Durkan's Butcher Shop.

Forms what nominations for roles and motions must be completed and emailed back to [secretary.louisburgh.mayo@gaa.ie](mailto:secretary.louisburgh.mayo@gaa.ie) no later than 30 November at 6.00 pm.

**Local Cemeteries:** November is a month when we remember our dead in a special way. Our cemeteries are unique and very special places where our loved ones are laid to rest. In Louisburgh a voluntary steering group has been busy looking at ways to enhance, preserve and maintain Kilgeever Old & New Cemeteries & St. Catherine's Cemetery into the future.

The steering group will work closely with Mayo County Council, local representatives, County Mayo Heritage Officer, landowners, Parish Priest, Cemetery Care Takers, Louisburgh Community Futures, Louisburgh Area Men's Shed, Louisburgh-Killeen Heritage, Undertakers and many other stakeholders.

Some essential drainage works have already begun on site at Kilgeever New Cemetery. Finding marked graves is now easier due to a new map board at the gate but also available online. New footpaths have been laid and there are plans to continue this. A Go Fund Me Page-Kilgeever Cemetery Development Plan- has been set up to help with costs. For those not online, a special envelope available in the church porch, can be used and returned with the weekly church donations or dropped in the letter box at the Parish Priest's House. Please do not leave donations in the church. Contact Email; [kilgeevercemetery@gmail.com](mailto:kilgeevercemetery@gmail.com) Keep up to date on Louisburgh-Killeen Heritage web pages.

**Weekly Collection Envelopes:** The weekly collection is used to pay the running expenses of the parish and the upkeep of parish property. An updated list is being prepared for 2022.

If you do not currently receive envelopes in the past year and would like to contribute please return the attached form to the Church. By using the envelopes we are able to avail of the Revenue Commissioners' income tax rebate scheme

**Parish of Kilgeever**

*I wish to receive a set of weekly envelopes to help contribute to the upkeep and running of my parish.*

Name .....

Address .....

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