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**Sunday 06 February**  
**Mass Killeen Church 10.00 a.m.**  
 Mike McNamara, Month's Mind.  
 John Joe Kitterick, Month's Mind.  
 Pat Joe Prendergast, Bunlahinch and his brother John, Chicago.  
 James O Malley, 5<sup>th</sup> anniversary, Corragaun.  
 Derek and Phil Taylor.  
 James Gallagher, Dadreen, 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary and deceased family.  
 Anthony O Toole, Curragaun, 9<sup>th</sup> anniversary.  
 Una O Malley.  
 John Joseph McDonnell, Kinnadoohy.

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**Mass Louisburgh Church 11.30 a.m.**  
 Annie B Casey, 5<sup>th</sup> anniversary.  
 Rita Kilcoyne, Shrancloye.  
 John, Mary and Patrick O Reilly, Laughta.

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Monday	07 February	<b>No Mass</b>
Tuesday	08 February	<b>No Mass</b>
Wednesday	09 February	10.00 a.m.
Thursday	10 February	10.00 a.m.
Friday	11 February	10.00 a.m.

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**Sunday 13 February**  
**Mass Killeen Church 10.00 a.m.**  
 Seamus Heneghan, 1<sup>st</sup> anniversary.

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**Mass Louisburgh Church 11.30 a.m.**

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**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.

**St. Vincent de Paul:** For assistance, please contact 087 921 0885 in confidence.

**Mayo Cancer Support** offers a range of emotional support to people with cancer and their families. Call 094 903 8407 for information.

**Lifting of Corona Virus Restrictions.**

Following the public health announcement that the two-metre physical distancing is no longer a requirement there are now no restrictions on the number of people who may attend Mass and other services in our churches.

**Prevention of COVID 19;** While restrictions have been lifted the virus is still being transmitted in community and we must all do what we can to prevent those who are vulnerable getting infected and potentially becoming very ill.

- It is absolutely essential that everyone attending Mass or services in church must wear a mask covering nose & mouth at all times. Not to do so shows disrespect for the health and life of all others in church.
- Please use the hand sanitisers on entry to the church.
- We will not, as of yet, resume the use of the holy water fonts and will still omit the sign of peace at Mass, as well as the reception of Holy Communion under both species.
- Holy Communion will still only be given into the hand.
- You are asked to use your own common sense when picking a seat in church and avoid crowding together as much as possible. Use all the space that is available.
- Anybody with any covid, flu-like, or cold-like symptoms, cough, sneezing, runny nose, sore throat, temperature, lack of smell etc. should not attend church but should isolate and phone their G.P. for advice and seek a PCR test. You must isolate while awaiting PCR test results.
- Ventilation of Churches: In order to reduce the risk of spreading the corona virus, an airborne virus, the churches are ventilated as best we can when congregations are present. To facilitate airflow windows and doors are open when possible.
- Please, do not close doors if they are open when you enter the church.

## World Day of the Sick, 11 February

### Message of Pope Francis

The theme chosen for this Thirtieth World Day of the Sick, *"Be merciful, even as your Father is merciful"* (Lk 6:36) He always watches over his children with a father's love, even when they turn away from him. Mercy is God's name par excellence; mercy, understood not as an occasional sentimental feeling but as an ever-present and active force, expresses God's very nature. It combines strength and tenderness. For this reason, we can say with wonder and gratitude that God's mercy embraces both fatherhood and motherhood (cf. Is 49:15). God cares for us with the strength of a father and the tenderness of a mother; he unceasingly desires to give us new life in the Holy Spirit.

Dear brothers and sisters, to the intercession of Mary, Health of the Infirm, I entrust all the sick and their families. United with Christ, who bears the pain of the world, may they find meaning, consolation and trust. I pray for healthcare workers everywhere, that, rich in mercy, they may offer patients, together with suitable care, their fraternal closeness.

To all I cordially impart my Apostolic Blessing.

Francis

### Warmer Homes: free energy saving works

If your home was built after 1940 and you are in receipt of one of the following welfare payments from the state: *Fuel Allowance as part of the National Fuel Scheme; Job Seekers Allowance for over six months and have a child under seven years of age; Working Family Payment; One-Parent Family Payment; Domiciliary Care Allowance; or Carers Allowance and live with the person you are caring for,*

You are entitled to have free energy saving works carried out to your home. The types of works include:

*Attic insulation; cavity wall insulation; external wall insulation; internal wall insulation; other secondary measures such as lagging jackets, draught proofing & energy efficient lighting; and in some cases, heating upgrades and/or single glazed window replacements may also be recommended.*

For further information, please ring 087 284 7695.

### Bereavement Support:

Losing a loved one is always a difficult experience. During Covid many support services were missing but from 02 February, the weekly bereavement support group will resume every Wednesday morning at 11.00 am in the Family Centre at Knock Shrine. These meetings aim to help those who are grieving to find healing, hope and comfort. All are welcome.

Further information from Monica Morley on 094 937 5320.

### Synod of the Catholic Church

A new website [synod.ie](http://synod.ie) has been launched to support engagement with the national synodal pathway for the Catholic Church in Ireland.

The website provides information about the synodal pathway and the timeline for the work, as well as making available a variety of resources to support engagement.

### Invitation to Participate in Parish Activities

All parishioners are invited to become involved in the liturgies in either of our parish churches. Please indicate your preference below and return this form to the Church.

#### Parish of Kilgeever

Name .....

Address .....

Phone no .....

#### Liturgy

Reader ☐

Eucharistic Minister ☐

Choir ☐

Steward / Collector (Baskets) ☐

At

Louisburgh Sunday Mass ☐

Killeen Sunday Mass ☐