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Sunday	19 June	
Killeen		10.00 a.m.
Mary Donohue, nee Keane, formerly of Feenone who died recently in Dublin. Annie & Thomas Kilcoyne and son Michael and deceased family, Cregganbawn		
Louisburgh		11.30 a.m.
Peter and Mary Flanagan, Kilgeever and family Owen Kilcoyne, Cahir. 12 th anniversary Pat and Mary Scanlon and deceased family, Bridge Street. Martin Duggan, formerly Cahir, who died recently in Northampton, and deceased of the Duggan family, Tommy, John, Nora, Breege and Mary		
Monday	20 June	No Mass
Tuesday	21 June	10.00 a.m.
Wednesday	22 June	10.00 a.m.
Thursday	23 June	10.00 a.m.
Friday	24 June	10.00 a.m.
Sunday	26 June	
Killeen		10.00 a.m.
Thomas and Catherine Coyne, Aillemore, and sons Padraic and Tommy Joe and daughter Kathleen Sutton		
Louisburgh		11.30 a.m.
P.J McGuinness and deceased family members Vincent O Loughlin, 8 th anniversary Paddy Gibbons, 3 rd anniversary Ann Gibbons, 18 th anniversary, Accony Deceased of the Kilcoyne Family, Tully Bridge		

Liturgical Ministries,

Louisburgh, Sunday, 26 June

Eucharistic: Helen Fahy

Breege McCormack

Reader: Úna Morrison-Power

Killeen, Sunday, June

Reader: Paraic O Malley.

Corpus Christi Procession:

The traditional Corpus Christi Procession through the town with the Blessed Sacrament will take place, weather permitting, immediately after the 11.30 a.m. Mass in Louisburgh.

Offertory Collection: In the early stages of the corona virus pandemic it was advised that the passing around of the baskets at the offertory of the Mass, and the use of holy water fonts, be discontinued.

There was then a fear that the virus could be spread by touching objects that the virus was on. With a better understanding of the science of how this virus spreads, being airborne in tiny particles, it is now known that the risk of picking it up by touching objects is very low.

We have been using the holy water fonts since Easter.

With most restrictions lifted, though there is still the HSE advice to wear a mask in congregated settings, it has been decided to re-introduce the passing of the baskets at the Offertory of the Mass.

This will be done from next Sunday, 26 June.

The giving of a donation at the offertory is both practical and symbolic. Practical in that as a parish we have to pay our bills as well as everyone else. We have to pay for all the supplies we need for our churches and the costs of maintaining, heating and lighting the buildings. It is symbolic in that it represents our generosity to God.

Donations to the Parish:

With the planned closure of Ulster Bank we are in the process (which seems unendingly bureaucratic) of opening new accounts for the parish. In the meantime people can continue to use the Ulster Bank ibans for direct lodgements to the Louisburgh Parish Account or the Louisburgh Priests Account.



Donations can also be made at <https://louisburghparish.ie/donate> by credit or debit card or by scanning the QR code opposite into a smart phone or tablet.

The weekly envelopes of course will continue in use. Cheques should be made out to either 'Louisburgh Parish' or 'Louisburgh Priests', depending on the collection. Sincere thanks to all who continue to contribute so generously through the weekly envelopes and via electronic means.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: Louisburgh
 The Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will be held each Wednesday from 10.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. in Louisburgh Church. This is an opportunity for anyone who wishes to come and have some silent time in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament.

Holy Communion for those with Coeliac disease
 If people with coeliac disease wish to receive Holy Communion under the form of wine, they should inform the priest before Mass.

Eucharist Ministers and Readers lists have been sent out by email and will also be displayed on Church notice boards.

Prevention of COVID 19

With the increasing number of hospitalisations because of Covid 19, it is wise to take sensible precautions to prevent the spread of the virus.

- Everyone attending Mass or services in church is urged to wear a mask covering nose & mouth at all times.
- Use the hand sanitisers on entry to the church.
- Anybody with any covid, flu-like, or cold-like symptoms, should not attend church.

HSE advice is to continue to wear masks in congregated settings. Be pro-life, wear a mask and help protect those of us who are vulnerable to this virus due to age, illness, or compromised immune systems.

Summer Concert

Students of Louisburgh Music School, Louisburgh Voices and the Octagon Ensemble, are presenting a Summer Concert on Tuesday, 28 June, at 7:30pm in the Town Hall Theatre, Westport.

The programme, performed by local musicians, will feature songs from stage and screen, Classical favourites by Handel and Mozart, choral music by Verdi and Beethoven, and traditional tunes.

Tickets (€15/€10) are available from the Town Hall Theatre, Tel: 098 28459 and www.westporttheatre.com

The Tuam Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes, led by Archbishop Francis Duffy, will depart Knock Airport on 24 August 2022 for five nights. For enquiries and bookings, please contact Sheila Davin 086 866 4633.

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

Louisburgh/Killeen Senior Citizens Outing is back and takes place to Knock on Friday 01 July. Coach leaving the Old Convent at 10.30 a.m. All Welcome including family members. Contact Teresa at 098 66460 or any committee member.

Are you living in Ireland undocumented?

Do you know someone who may be an undocumented migrant?

Undocumented people can apply for a legal status now. Applications for the new government undocumented scheme are open until 31 July. Don't miss this life changing opportunity. To check your eligibility and get support to apply visit the Migrants Rights Centre Ireland www.mrci.ie or info@mrci.ie or contact 083 075 5387.

Hosting International Students: *Regards Association* are looking for Host Families to host their Students for 2 week stays over July and August. Host Families are paid per student per night. Transport provided to and from student's Classes/Activities.

Contact 087 959 3935 for details.

Thank You, Bone Marrow For Leukaemia Trust:
 The organizing Committee of the Louisburgh Easter Fair fundraiser for Bone Marrow For Leukaemia Trust, wish to thank everyone for their support.

€34,455 was raised and presented to the Transplant Unit at St. James's Hospital, Dublin. The Unit are overwhelmed by the amount raised and ensure us, it will make such a difference to patients needing Bone Marrow Transplant and ongoing care. Míle Buíochas.

Church Choirs: New members are welcome to join our church choirs – the music and singing greatly enhance our Masses, so please consider lending your talents to our community.

Louisburgh; contact Sandra McCluskey.

Killeen; contact Mary T. Gibbons.

Pope Francis on Old Age: *"In old age, one loses a little sight but one's inner gaze becomes more penetrating. One becomes able to see things that previously escaped one. That is how it is: the Lord does not only entrust his talents to the young and the strong: he has talents for everyone, made to measure for each one."*