



KILLEEN & LOUISBURGH NEWSLETTER
12 October 2025 Sunday 28 in Ordinary Time
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Sunday 12 October Killeen 10.00 a.m.

Philip Hedley.
 Rita Lyons, Cahir, her husband, John
 (Furmoyle) and their son, Jack.

**Wednesday 15 October 70th Anniversary of
 Migration to Westmeath, Killeen 6.00 p.m.**

Sunday 12 October Louisburgh 11.30 a.m.

Triona McConnell, 1st anniversary, her
 husband, Paddy, their son Michael & deceased
 family members.
 Johnny, Norah and James Tiernan

Monday	13 October	10.00 a.m.
Tuesday	14 October	10.00 a.m.
Wednesday	15 October (Killeen)	6.00 p.m.
Thursday	16 October	10.00 a.m.
Friday	17 October	10.00 a.m.

Liturgical Ministers Killeen :October

Readers: Michael (Dan) O Malley

Eucharistic: Geraldine Ruane

Liturgical Ministers Louisburgh October 19

Readers: Ann O Reilly

Eucharistic: Mary B Durkan, Helen Fahy

Adoration in Killeen Church Monday
 evenings, 7.00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m.

Newsletter notices: Anniversary Masses and
 notices for the newsletter must be sent in no later
 than Thursday Morning.

St. Vincent de Paul for assistance please contact
 087 921 0885

Sick calls

If anyone would like fr. Nelson to attend the
 sick at their home, phone the parish office on
 098 66198.

Louisburgh Choir Practice Monday nights
 6.30 p.m. to 7.00 p.m. New members welcome.
 Children from 1st class upwards.

Breast Cancer Awareness Month takes place
 October 01 to October 31.

For further information, please log
 onto www.breastcancerireland.com

Sunday 19 October Killeen 10.00 a.m.

Bernard Lacey, Feeone 28th anniversary and his
 wife, Evelyn.

Mary Kitterick, Woodfield, 4th anniversary.

Kevin Kitterick, Woodfield, 16th anniversary.

Davy Gibbons, Cloonlaura, 2nd anniversary and
 his wife, Eileen, 17th anniversary.

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Anna and Anthony, Kilcoyne.

Breta O Malley, 2nd anniversary.

Fr. Gerard Harney, his parents, Thomas and
 Laurena & deceased family members.

Mission Month October 2025

Next Sunday is World Mission Sunday!

On this very special day every Church, in every
 parish across our globe will give what they can,
 no matter how little, towards the World Mission
 Sunday collection.

Flu Vaccine Clinics:

Dr. Karina Morrison, The Old Convent. Flu
 vaccines are now available. Please phone for an
 appointment on 098 66681.

Louisburgh Medical Practice: flu, covid and
 child nasal flu (for children from 2 to 17 years)
 vaccines are now available for all patients of
 Louisburgh Medical Practice. Please phone the
 surgery at 098-66168 for clinic details and
 appointments.

Gena Heraty Haiti fund: Killeen Community
 Council are hosting quiz night in P Dans on
 Sunday night 26 October at 9.00 p.m. We,
 greatly appreciate your support. Gena has had a
 difficult time recently and every euro she gets
 goes straight to helping the poor and sick in
 Haiti.

Handel's Messiah at Knock Basilica, Saturday
 22 November. Featuring the RTE Concert
 Orchestra, Nicholas Chalmers – Conductor,
 Soprano Aoife Miskelly, Alto Anne Marie
 Gibbons, Tenor Andrew Gavin, Rory Musgrave,
 Baritone and vocal ensemble, Resurgam.
 Tickets available
 online <https://knockmessiah2025.eventbrite.ie>

70th Anniversary of Migration to Westmeath
 2025 marks the 70th anniversary of the migration of nine families from Cregganbaun, Mayo to Kiltoom in Westmeath. These nine families together with one family from Bohola showed courage and resilience in moving away from their families and community in 1955. Their migration left an emotional, social and visible scar on the community who remained. Some of these families and their descendants will visit Louisburgh 15th-17th Oct. You are all welcome to Killeen Church, Wednesday 15 October at 6.00 p.m. for a celebration mass followed by refreshments in Killeen Centre. If you would like to contribute or send good wishes to the families please email- lkheritage@gmail.com or call: 087-6652426

Mayo School Leaver Information Fair, "Where to From Here"

This event is to support young people with a disability and their family decide what they will do when they leave school. On **Wednesday, October 15th at Breaffy House Hotel, Castlebar**, people can drop in anytime between **11.30am and 3pm** to gain information from:

- Disability Day Service Providers – Western Care Association, National Learning Network, Rehab Care, Resilience Health, Praxis Care, Irish Wheelchair Association
- Education and Training Providers – Mayo College of Further Education, Mayo, Sligo, Leitrim Education and Training options, National Learning Network.
- Vocational Support Services – Employability Mayo, Ready to Work, Erris Workability.
- Community Service Providers – Citizens Information Service, Intreo, Chime, National Advocacy Service, Vision Ireland, Spina Bifida Hydrocephalus Ireland.

The Information Fair is organised by HSE Community Healthcare West in partnership with Day and Rehabilitative Training providers and certain educational, vocational and community service providers in Mayo. All are welcome and entry is free.

Join Our Caring Team! Dementia Support Worker (Care in the Community)

Looking for meaningful, flexible work? We're seeking compassionate, honest, reliable people to support individuals living with dementia in their own homes in Co. Mayo

Locations: All throughout Co. Mayo

What You'll Do:

- Offer companionship and social connection
- Assist with daily living activities
- Support meaningful activities
- Give primary carers a well-deserved break

Flexible hours – work

around *your* schedule! Make a real difference, one visit at a time.

Essentials: QQI Level 5 modules in **Care Skills & Care of the Older Person**

Desirable: Previous experience in caring / QQI Level 5 in Health Care

Interested? Get in touch today!

094 93 64900 or

email careers@westernalzheimers.ie

Louisburgh Community Market

Get your Christmas shopping started early in a fun-filled atmosphere, as Louisburgh Community Market proudly hosts our first Pop-Up Christmas Market at 12 noon on Sunday, 16 November in the Louisburgh Hall.

Children, you can post your letters to Santa in our exclusive North Pole Express letterbox that Santa will collect at a later date.

If you are interested in having a table at the Pop-Up Christmas Market, please contact us at louisburghpopup@gmail.com limited spaces available.

The AGM of the Louisburgh Senior Resource Committee will be held in the Old Convent Louisburgh after the Friday Club on Friday 07 November 2025 at 1.30 pm.

A workshop for Choirs at Knock Shrine with Dr. John O'Keeffe, St. Patrick's College, Maynooth and Una Nolan, Knock Shrine, will take place on Saturday, November 15th. Advanced booking is essential. Cost: €20 includes resource pack. See www.knockshrine.ie for more details.