

KILLEEN & LOUISBURGH NEWSLETTER 19 October 2025 Sunday 29 in Ordinary Time

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Sunday 19 October Killeen 10.00 a.m.

Bernard Lacey, Feeone28th 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.

Michael and Bridget Staunton & deceased family members.

John Patrick Frazer, Barnabawn and deceased family members.

Sundy 19 October Louisburgh 11.30 a.m.

Anna and Anthony, Kilcoyne.

Breta O Malley, 2nd anniversary.

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

Paddy and Mary Ann Moran, Falduff.

Monday	20 October	10.00 a m.
Tuesday	21 October	10.00 a.m.
Wednesday	22 October	No Mass
Thursday	23 October	10.00 a.m.
Friday	24 October	10.00 a.m.

Liturgical Ministers Killen: October

Readers: Michael (Dan) O Malley **Eucharistic:** Geraldine Ruane

Liturgical Ministers Louisburgh October 26

Readers: Maureen Scott

Eucharistic: Ann Billingham, Teresa O Malley

Please Pray for Fr. Oliver McNamara, Annaghdown and Chapel Street, Louisburgh.

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.

Sunday 26 October Killeen 10.00 a.m.

Seamus O Malley, Cloonty.

Ann and Austie O Malley, Cross & deceased family members.

Sundy 26 October Louisburgh 11.30 a.m.

Jim McGuirk, Baby Aoife MacAlasdair and Detta McGuirk.

Mary McDonnell, Bridge Street, her husband, John Joe and her brother-in-law, Anthony, Main Street.

Sharon Murray.

Fr. Leo Morahan.

Mission Sunday, Mission Month, October 2025.

Today we come together in celebration, solidarity and unity within our Church on World Mission Sunday!

Today, every single parish worldwide shares what they can so the life-transforming work of missionaries overseas can continue.

Today, through your prayers and contributions, you are fully appreciating the dedication of our missionaries who live and work in communities that are struggling and often war-torn and oppressed.

World Missions Ireland ensure that today's contributions are distributed justly to where the need is greatest within our Universal Church. Please call **Missio Ireland** on (01) 497 2035 or go to **www.missio.ie** for further information.

World Mission Sunday Mass, taking place this Sunday, 19 October (11.00–11.45am), and broadcast on RTÉ One, RTÉ Radio 1 Extra, and the RTÉ Player.

This special Mass will include a video message from Pope Leo XIV, in which the Holy Father draws on his experience as a former missionary priest and bishop to offer a heartfelt appeal to support the Church's missionary work.

The Mass will be celebrated by Father Michael Kelly, Director of Missio Ireland, with the participation of representatives from Misean Cara, Missio Ireland, and AMRI. Music will be led by Ian Callanan.

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.

Breast Cancer Awareness Month takes place October 01 to October 31. For further information,

Log onto www.breastcancerireland.com

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 RTÉ 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

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 <u>louisburghpopup@gmail.com</u> 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.

Monster Fundraising Foróige Bingo

Sunday 26 October in Louisburgh Town Hall Doors open at 7.30 p.m. and Eyes down for Bingo at 8.00 p.m.

Over €1,000 euro in prize money given out on the Night.A Big Thanks to All the Local Business who are Sponsoring our Games on the Night

All funds raised on the Night go directly to Foróige Youth Services

All Welcome, please come along and support.

Killeen N.S & Community Lotto would like to extend thanks to all their supporters to date. Friday 31 October will see the last draw of the current lotto year. There will be a break for a fortnight and the new lotto year 2025/2026 will begin on Friday 21 November (48 draws), in P.Dan's, Killadoon. Annual subscriptions for 2025/2026 are now available. If you would like to subscribe, please contact Meaghan on 087 2737225, Deirdre on 087 9353745, email killeenlotto@gmail.com or contact Killeen N.S. directly. Many thanks for your continued support, The Killeen N.S & Community Lotto Committee.

A charity gig in aid of the Family Centre will take place at the Castlecourt, Westport on Saturday 01 November with the Whistlin' Donkeys and Kojak.

The Family Centre provides professional counselling, psychotherapy, as well as the Flourish Social Prescribing and Mayo Suicide Bereavement Liaison Services to individuals, couples and families across Co Mayo and surrounding areas.

Tickets cost 28 euro and are available via https://www.eventbrite.ie/manage/events/16448
23664859/tickets or call The Family Centre 0949025900 or from Helen Fahy 086/8870656 or Marie Birt086/1089801

Please support this worthwhile cause.