

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

Kiltoom masses live streamed on www.churchservices.tv/kiltoom

Saturday 28th September	Kiltoom 7pm	Bridie & Thomas Shine
Sunday 29th September	Curraghboy 10am	Eamon McDonnell
Sunday 29th September	Kiltoom 11.30am	Hubert & Lily Martin
Tuesday 1st October	Kiltoom 9.30am	Myrl O'Carroll & her son Aidan
Wednesday 2nd October		No Mass
Thursday 3rd October	Curraghboy 9.30am	People of the Parish
Friday 4th October	Kiltoom 7pm	John Joe Naughton, his parents William & Mary Kate & deceased family members
Friday 4th October	Curraghboy 7pm	Exposition & Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (Holy Hour)
Saturday 5th October	Kiltoom 7pm	Michael, Margaret & Mary McManus Margaret Mary Monaghan & Thomas Monaghan Mark Lenehan Paddy & Mary Kilcommons
Sunday 6th October	Curraghboy 10am	Paddy & Joseph Gately & Jessica Shannon John & Margaret Grehan (Bridswell) Nora & PJ Coyle (Lysterfield) P & Kitty McHugh
Sunday 6th October	Kiltoom 11.30am	Patrick Ennis Brendan & Mary Brosnan Eileen Brien

VISIT OF THE RELICS OF ST BERNADETTE: The relics of St Bernadette will visit the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Sligo 1st and 2nd October; the Cathedral of the Annunciation and St Nathy, Ballaghaderreen 5th and 6th October; Sts Peter and Paul's Church, Athlone 2nd – 4th November; Church of the Risen Christ, Kiltoom 4th and 5th November. A detailed schedule of liturgies is available at www.elphindiocese.ie



Dioceses of Achonry and Elphin

Details will be available locally and on the websites below prior to each visit

Date	Church
1 - 2 October	Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Sligo
5 - 6 October	Cathedral of the Annunciation and St Nathy, Ballaghaderreen
2 - 4 November	Church of Saints Peter and Paul, Athlone
4 - 5 November	Church of the Risen Christ, Kiltoom

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PARISH OF KILTOOM & CAM

Church of the Risen Christ,
Ballybay
Kiltoom
Athlone
Co. Roscommon
N37 NY36

St. Brigid's Church
Curraghboy
Athlone
Co. Roscommon
N37 KV62

**TWENTY-SIXTH
SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

**Sunday
29th September
2024**

Parish Newsletter

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Our Parish on-line

www.kiltoomandcam.com

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Masses live streamed: churchservices.tv/kiltoom

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Parish Safeguarding Liaison Officers

Kiltoom: Orlagh Tieman (086) 8257831

Cam: Deacon Willie Gacquin (086) 1693902

Further safeguarding details can be found on the Diocesan website www.elphindiocese.ie



“ WELCOME TO THE FAMILY” - EXPLORING THE SACRAMENTS OF BAPTISM, EUCHARIST AND CONFIRMATION: A series of talks by Fr. Eugene Duffy exploring the meaning and importance of the sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation. The talks will take place on Monday evenings from Monday 7th October to Monday 2nd December from 8pm to 9.15pm at the Prayer Centre, Knock Shrine. This series will be of particular interest to parents preparing children for these sacraments, for parish teams and for those who wish to better understand the reason why these Sacraments are central elements in our lives as Catholics. This is a free series. No advanced booking is required. For further information, phone: Knock Shrine 094 9388100 / email: faithrenewal@knockshrine.ie

CELEBRATING 800 YEARS OF THE DOMINICAN FRIARS IN IRELAND: Eucharistic Conference 11th & 12th October at St John's Centre, Knock Cost €75.00. Further details and booking contact michael.dunleavy@dominicans.ie Annual Dominican Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine Sunday 13th October 2.30pm (Anointing of the Sick) followed by Mass at 3pm with Celebrant and Homilist Archbishop Anthony Fisher OP, Archbishop of Sydney. Bus will leave Market Yard, Sligo at 11am. Please give your name at the Friary Door.

INSPIRE – a Young Adult Faith Event (18-40) organised by Achonry Youth Ministry: St. Brigid's Hall & Theatre, Tubbercurry, Friday 15th November, 8 pm. Theme: The Relevance of Faith in the Modern World. Keynote speaker: Co. Louth Manager/former GAA All-Ireland winner Ger Brennan will speak about life, sport, & faith. Other speakers will join Ger for panel discussions & questions from the audience. Promises to be a great evening. Free to register via - <https://www.eventbrite.ie/e/inspire-tickets-1024415382987>

CATHOLIC MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER: Catholic Marriage Encounter in Ireland is a weekend experience is for married couples who want something more in their marriage. Our next Marriage Enrichment Weekend is Friday 8 - 10 November 2024. Venue: Focolare Centre, Prosperous, Co. Kildare. Online booking only: www.marriageencounter.ie

ATHLONE DEANERY, TRUE DEVOTION TO MARY: Interested in deepening your relationship with God and Our Lady? Open to making a fortnightly commitment during this school year? See www.elphindiocese.ie/mary for details of an initiative that has enriched the hearts and minds of many past participants. All welcome but places limited.

LIVING WELL is a free HSE programme which helps people living with a long-term health condition to manage their condition and improve their overall wellbeing. Anyone with any chronic illness such as diabetes, arthritis, COPD, cardiac illness, anxiety, etc. can benefit from these workshops. The next programme in Roscommon commences on Tuesday the 01st October. The programme is delivered over six weekly workshops (2.5 hrs x 6) by trained leaders. Advance registration is required. To find out more, please contact Liam Gildea on 086 014 2675 or by email at lgildea@southmayo.com

BROTHERS OF CHARITY: Brothers of Charity services are offering training in October 2024 for people who have an interest in becoming a short break carer for children or adults who have an intellectual disability. Places are limited. For more information and to book your place, please contact 0872126607 / 0906628500 or email homeshareroscommon@bocsi.ie

CAREGIVERS: Are you looking for a career in caring for the elderly? Have you recently retired or have your children now left home? Home Instead are always looking to recruit CAREGivers. Whether you can work a couple of hours a week or want to work full time, we would like to hear from you. Experience and FETAC/QQI level 5 qualification in healthcare is an advantage but not compulsory, as training is provided. Please contact Seyi or Ciara on (071) 9317051 for further information or email recruitment.sligo@homeinstead.ie.

BORD NA MONA SERVICE: Cessation of Turf Cutting Compensation Scheme: This scheme is open to households impacted by restrictions on domestic turf cutting on Lough Ree bog. Applicants can qualify for single payments of € 24,100. Please call Bord na Móna on 087 2490600 for more details and an application form.

THANK YOU: Sincere thank you to all who continue to return weekly envelopes. I am most grateful for your generosity, support and help towards the upkeep of both of our Churches and Church grounds.

SICK CALLS: Fr. Michael will make his house calls on Monday 30th September, Tuesday 1st & Thursday 3rd October. Those on the list will have received a phone call confirming which day Fr. Michael will visit.

SACRAMENTS 2025: Letters will be sent on with all children receiving the Sacraments next year on Monday 30th September, please check your child's school bag for applications. The Paperwork needs to be completed and **returned to the Parish Office** no later than Friday 11th October.

CHURCH CLOSING TIMES: As we approach the darker evenings, The Church of The Risen Christ will be closed each evening at **7.30pm**.

TEA/COFFEE MORNING on Sunday 29th September after 10am Mass in aid of Mayo/Roscommon Hospice in the Handball Complex Curraghboy. Your support is greatly appreciated.

LINE DANCING CLASSES: continues on Mondays, 8 to 9 30 in Curraghboy Handball Complex. All welcome especially beginners.

CAM DEFIBRILLATOR GROUP: Our gofund.me page is still open for donations <https://gofund.me/bcae181e> If you would prefer to give a Cash donation you can do so by contacting Carmel 0868893897 or Marion 0860713816 Your support would be greatly appreciated



CARD GAME resumes in Curraghboy Handball Complex on Tuesday 1st October @ 9 pm, all welcome

ST. JOSEPH'S YOUNG PRIESTS, Athlone Deanery Group are preparing to launch in our Parish in September. We propose to unite the parishes of Ss Peter & Paul's Athlone, Kiltoom & Cam and Knockcroghery, St. John's & Rahara to create a new committee. The purpose of the group will be to pray for and promote vocations to the Priesthood. This will, in the coming year include six public Holy Hours two in each parish. We invite anyone interested in joining this group to contact the parish office on 090 64 89105 or kiltoomoffice@gmail.com

ST. BRIGID'S LOTTO: Lotto Jackpot this weekend €7,800. Last weeks results: Numbers Drawn— 06 / 16 / 17 / 31. There was no jackpot winner. 3 match three winners €70, Draw takes place Sunday night 29th September at 9pm.

BRIDGE CLASSES - Commence in the Abbey Hotel, Roscommon, Monday 30th September, 2024, at 8 p.m. Contact 086 1607913.

MOBILE LIBRARY: The mobile library will be in Monksland (SuperValu carpark) on 3rd October from 11-3.30pm and 17th October 1-3.30pm. We have a great selection of books, e-books and audiobooks for all ages and library membership is free.

IRISH GUIDE FOR THE BLIND are holding a "Blessing of Animals" at St. Peters and Paul's church on October 6th at 2pm. All welcome.

A HEALTHY, GREENER YOU COURSE – We will cover a range of topics relating to a healthier, more sustainable lifestyle while exploring personal, community and planetary wellbeing. FREE Six weeks course, starting 2nd of October in Lisnamult Sportsground F42 KP86, Roscomon town, at 10-12.30pm Places limited. More info and to book a place please contact RWN on 094 9621690, or text on 086 8099154, email info@rwn.ie or PM on our Facebook page

CONCERT - Ronan Tynan & Eimear Reynolds with guests Bill Lewis & Annaduff Church Choir. Thursday 3rd October at 8pm in St Mary's Church, Carrick on Shannon. Tickers €25 available online www.gr8events.ie or text/WhatsApp 0871274102.