

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

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

Saturday 8th February	Kiltoom 7pm	Paul Hughes (2nd Anniversary) & Martin Hughes
Sunday 9th February	Curraghboy 10am	Tom Mannion (1st Anniversary, Galway & Ballyline) Ollie, Patrick & Winifred Mannion & Fr. Tom Mannion (Ballyline)
Sunday 9th February	Kiltoom 11.30am	Joe Lynch Jr., Joe Lynch Snr. & Bridie Lynch
Tuesday 11th February	Kiltoom 7pm	Mass for all those who are sick
Wednesday 12th February	Kiltoom 9.30am	Mary Harvey
Thursday 13th February	Curraghboy 9.30am	Teresa Naughton & deceased family members
Friday 14th February	Curraghboy 7pm followed by	Catherine McDonnell Exposition & Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament (Holy Hour)
Saturday 15th February	Kiltoom 10am	Elizabeth Price (Months Mind)
Saturday 15th February	Kiltoom 7pm	Peter & Matilda Cunnane & deceased family members
Sunday 16th February	Curraghboy 10am	Dan Carroll 'Grow in Love' mass for First Holy Communion children of Brideswell & Curraghboy National Schools
Sunday 16th February	Kiltoom 11.30am	Michael & Elizabeth Keenan 'Grow in Love' mass for First Holy Communion children of Ballybay Central National School

ALTAR SERVERS

Kiltoom: Saturday 15th February, Group 1
Curraghboy: Sunday 16th February, Group 1

RECENT BAPTISM

We welcome to the Christian Community
Eve Mae Mannion

Who was Baptised in our Parish recently

We congratulate her parents and we wish them all God's blessing

RECENT DEATHS: *We pray for the soul of*

Noel Mannion, Baylough & late of Hill of Berries,
Brother of Liam Mannion, & Maura Leavy, Kiltoom

God grant him eternal rest & comfort, and console his bereaved family & friends

CATHOLIC SEMESTER ABROAD EXPERIENCE IN ROME: Are you a Catholic aged 18 – 30 who would like to learn more about the Catholic faith and experience living in an intentional community with other young Catholics? Community members live in common at the Pontifical Irish College close to the Colosseum and the Lateran Basilica. Immerse yourself in the history and culture of Catholicism while sharing in spiritual, personal and communal formation opportunities. Applicants have the opportunity to study theology and philosophy at a Pontifical Roman University. For further details: reception@irishcollege.org / www.irishcollege.org

PARISH OF KILTOOM & CAM

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**FIFTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**

9th February 2025



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

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

**Parish of
Kiltoom & Cam**



*And when they had done this,
they netted such a huge number
of fish that their nets began to tear
Luke 5:1-11*

young-catholics.com

YOUNG ADULT PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY: Young Adult Pilgrimage to Italy 29 July - 8 August 2025 with Bishop Kevin Doran. The pilgrimage is open to 18 - 35 year olds. The cost is €995 per person sharing and this includes flights, coach transfers, accommodation, Youth Jubilee with Pope Francis in Rome, 3 days on the St Columbanus Camino in northern Italy and day trip to Milan. All the details and how to book are available at www.achonrydiocese.org and www.elphindiocese.ie This is an inter-diocesan pilgrimage for young adults living in the dioceses of Achonry and Elphin; Galway and Clonfert.

ELPHIN & ACHONRY DIOCESAN JUBILEE PILGRIMAGE TO ROME: 'Pilgrims of Hope' is the theme of Jubilee 2025. To mark this special year of faith, the Diocese of Elphin and the Diocese of Achonry will journey on pilgrimage to Rome from 22nd to 27th October 2025. This 5 night pilgrimage promises to be a special time in Rome, visiting Vatican City and Rome's most important basilicas and religious sites. Price per person: €1499 on half board basis at centrally located hotel (€300 single room supplement). For bookings and enquiries: email info@joewalshstours.ie or phone Joe Walsh Tours: 01 241 0800.

YOUNG PIONEERS & ACCOMPANYING ADULTS RETREAT: Young Pioneers & Accompanying Adults Annual Retreat takes place in Donamon Castle on Saturday 15th February. More details @ www.elphindiocese.ie/youth-retreat. All welcome but booking essential.

COME, FOLLOW ME - OUTREACH TO CHILDREN AND CATHOLIC FAMILIES

A special gathering of adults, including parents and grandparents, open to exploring how we can complement the work of parents and teachers in sharing our faith with children, 7 – 11 years, will take place at Donamon Castle on Thursday 13th and Friday 14th February from 10.30am to 5.00pm (both days). All welcome, but pre-booking essential. For more details see www.elphindiocese.ie/cfm

RESTORE, RENEW, REKINDLE – Marriage Enrichment Weekend: Catholic Marriage Encounter in Ireland welcome you to their next Marriage Enrichment Weekend from Friday 28th - 30th March at Knock, Co. Mayo. The Catholic Marriage Enrichment Programme offers a weekend experience that helps couples enhance their communication and deepen their love for each other and provides a broader and deeper understanding of the sacrament of marriage. For further details, see www.marriageencounter.ie

LINE DANCING CLASS on Friday morning at 11.15am and Sunday evenings at 6pm in the Quad Centre, Circular Road, Roscommon Town. F42 CH70. Line Dancing Class on Tuesday evenings at 7pm in the Kilbride Community Centre, Fourmile House, Roscommon F42 N277. A special welcome to come and enjoy a class with a mixture of Fun, Dance and Exercise. Beginners and Improvers very welcome Further information from Tutor Christopher Beirne 086 8474744

MOORE YOUTH DRAMA GROUP presents an evening of comedy sketches on Saturday 15th February in Moore Hall @7:00pm. All are welcome. No admission fee. Donations supporting 'Spotlight Moore Youth Drama' and 'Rainbows Ireland' are gratefully accepted at the door.

THANK YOU: The Roscommon Underwater Search and Recovery Unit would like to thank you all for your very generous support last weekend at our annual church gate collection. We are very grateful for all your help and support and your words of encouragement. As a voluntary organisation we depend on the support of community and with the help we received last weekend we will continue to provide an underwater search service to the county of Roscommon. Kiltoom Euro507.23 Curraghboy Euro360.44

MOBILE LIBRARY 2025: On 20 February (1-3.30) the mobile library will visit Monksland, SuperValu Carpark. We have a great selection of books, e-books and audiobooks for all ages and library membership is free.

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.

FEAST OF OUR LADY OF LOURDES: Tuesday 11th February, mass at 7pm in Kiltoom will be offered up for all who are sick.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CANDIDATES: Your next 'Grow in Love' mass will take place next Sunday 16th February at 10am in Curraghboy for the children of Brideswell & Curraghboy National Schools at 11.30am in Kiltoom for the children of Ballybay National School. All communion class children must attend in preparation for their first holy communion.

HOLY HOUR: Fr. Michael will host a Holy Hour in St. Patrick's Church, Knockcroghery on Wednesday 19th February at 8pm. All Welcome.

LISMOIL N.S. are currently enrolling for September 2025. Visit our website <http://lismoilns.scoilnet.ie/blog> or our facebook page Lismoil National School to take a look at what we have to offer. Contact us by email on lismoilschool@gmail.com or phone 0906623373 for further details.

BRIDESWELL NS are holding an Information/Enrolment evening on Tuesday February 18th @7pm for parents wishing to enrol their Child for September 2025. Please contact the school on 0906488272 or email brideswellns@gmail.com if you wish to get an enrolment form or need further information.

CURRAGHBOY N.S.: are now taking enrolments for September 2025. Should you require any further information, or you would like to visit the school please contact 090 6488293. They are also holding an enrolment evening on Monday 17th February from 6-7pm.

CARD GAME continues Tuesdays at 9pm in Curraghboy Handball Complex.

DYSART RURAL MEN'S GROUP welcome new members to join their group each Tuesday from 12-2 PM in Dysart Community Centre. This is a great opportunity to connect, share memories, hear and see new things, enjoy outings and day trips in the company of neighbours and friends. Transport available if necessary. Please contact Anthony on 086 826 48 68

ST. BRIGID'S LOTTO: Lotto Jackpot this weekend €6,800. Last weeks results: Numbers Drawn— 02 / 12 / 25 / 30. There was no winner. 1 match three winner, €200. Draw takes place Sunday night 09-02-25 at 9pm.

ST. BRIGID'S ANNUAL LUNCH: St Brigid's are hosting our annual club lunch and awards at the Hodson Bay Hotel on Sunday 9th February at 12:30. Please come along and support. It promises to be a lovely afternoon.

TABLE QUIZ: Will take place in St. Brigid's GAA Club on Saturday 15th February at 8.30pm sharp. Table of 4 €40. Contact Des 085 8306931