



CHURCH OF ST. COLMCILLE KELLS  
CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION GIRLEY



**SUNDAY 6 MAY 2018**

Priest on Duty – Fr John - Phone: 9240213

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION**

The children of the Parish will receive their First Holy Communion over the next three Sundays at the 12.15pm Mass. Girls Primary School on 13th May, Drumbaragh Primary School on 20th May and the Boys Primary School on 27th May.

**NEWLY BAPTISED**

We welcome into the Christian Community:



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| Joseph William Dillon-Foley - | Clonmellon, Navan             |
| Sam Adrian McGrane -          | Townparks Manor, Kells        |
| Noah John Murphy-Denman -     | Hermitage Glen, Kells         |
| Alfie Peter Sheehy -          | Balrath Wood, Kells           |
| Ellen Margaret Sheehy -       | Balrath Wood, Kells           |
| Sally May Conlon -            | Terenure, Dublin              |
| Carrie Leigh Addison -        | Rathaldron Court, Navan       |
| Cooper David Coleman -        | St. Colmcille's Villas, Kells |
| Daisy Olivia Devine -         | Carrick St, Kells             |
| Calum James Fitzsimons -      | The Glebe, Kells              |
| Alan Christopher Healy -      | The Glebe, Kells              |
| Kai Brian Healy -             | Hermitage Glen, Kells         |
| Thomas Morrissey -            | Newtowngirley, Fordstown      |
| Ayla Xena Rogers -            | Kilmolin, Enniskerry          |



**Recently Departed**

Elizabeth Dollard, Drewstown; Michael Campbell, Febog, Kells; Paddy McGovern, late of Rodstown, died in Athlone

**Mass Intentions for Week - Kells**

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| Sat (May 5)   | 6.30pm                | -Anniv - Thomas Phillips, St Colmcille's Villas also Thomas Phillips Junior<br>-4th Ann - Margaret Smith, Suffolk St also Joe, Jackie & Bea Smith<br>-6th Ann - Bridget (Babie) Carpenter, Church View |
| Sun (May 6)   | 11.00am<br>12.15pm    | -MM - John Maguire, Bellair, Moynalty & late of Blackwater Heights<br>-1st Ann - Richard Harcourt, Grand Priory<br>-Mass will be at 10am   |
| Mon (May 7)   |                       | -Deceased members of the Mulroe family, Allenstown   |
| Thur (May 10) | 9.30am                | -Brian Geraghty, Rathstephen, Moynalty   |
| Fri (May 11)  | 9.30am                | -3rd Ann - Bridget Dunne, Fyanstown also Paddy & Christy Dunne   |
| Sat (May 12)  | 10.00am<br><br>6.30pm | -15th Ann - Teresina Caffrey, St Brigid's Tce<br>-10th Ann - Michael Smith, Magdalene Crt<br>-3rd Ann - Chris Quinn, Carrick St<br>-3rd Ann - Patrick McLoughlin, Magdalene Crt                        |
| Sun (May 13)  | 11.00am               | -1st Ann - Michael John Lynch, Market St   |

**Mass Intentions for Week - Girley**

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| Sun (May 6)  | 10.00am | -3rd Ann - Kitty Sheridan, Fordstown                             |
| Sun (May 13) | 10.00am | -Anniv - Deceased members of the Slevin family, Chamberlainstown |

**Anniversary Masses**

Jack Walsh, Kilmainham; Frank & Julia Farrelly & Deceased members of the Farrelly family, St Brigid's Tce; Sam Black, Palmerstown & late of Loyd; Noel Dardis, Fr MacCullen Pk.



**STAND UP FOR LIFE FINAL RALLY BEFORE THE VOTE!**

SATURDAY 12TH MAY 2018 - MERRION SQUARE, DUBLIN 2PM

This is our last chance to come together in huge numbers to show our support for the 8th and play our part in these critical days before the vote. If the 8th Amendment is repealed, Ireland will be a very different place - where abortion on demand happens. The rally will be a family-friendly event with wonderful speakers from home & abroad. Your presence is vital. (Contact Amy 0872668702 for info on buses from your area)

## CEMETERY DRAW RESULTS

**€500** Mavis Carry / *Mavis Carry, (Promoter)*

**€200 each** Seamus Keaveny / *Seamus Keaveny (P)*; Morgan Flanagan / *Eileen Flanagan (P)*;  
Tommy Curran / *Brian Curran (P)*; Elizabeth Casserly / *Paddy Carry (P)*;  
Lauren Smyth / *Kathleen Smyth(P)*

**€100 each** Trish Drew / *Sean Drew (P)*; Colm Madden / *Sheila Madden (P)*;  
Siobhan McCormack / *Michelle Nelson (P)*; John Smith / *Betty McDonnell (P)*;  
Anne Smyth / *Tina Kerr (P)*; John Griffin / *John Griffin (P)*;  
Elizabeth Fox / *Bridie Fox (P)*; Kitty McEntee / *Cathal McEntee (P)*;

**€50 each** Jim Reilly / *Jim Reilly (P)*; Seamus Keaveny / *Seamus Keaveny (P)*;  
Trish Drew / *Sean Drew (P)*; Daniel McManus / *Gabriel McManus (P)*;  
Fintan Gilsean / *Lynn Gilsean (P)*; Lawna Tierney / *Larry Carolan (P)*.

### **Promoters Prizes €50 each**

Robert Flanagan; Patrick Duff; Larry Carolan; Rose Yore.

**THE CEMETERY COMMITTEE THANKS THE PROMOTERS AND SUBSCRIBERS FOR THEIR SUPPORT IN THE MAINTENANCE OF ST. COLMCILLE'S CEMETERY.**

## ALTAR SERVERS

Altar Serving is an important ministry in the Church and the role of Altar Servers is greatly valued in our Parish. As a number of our current servers are due to finish their ministry we would welcome new Altar Servers to join our existing team assisting our Priests in the celebration of the Mass. If your son/daughter has received their First Holy Communion and is in 3rd, 4th or 5th class, they are welcome to join the Altar Server teams. Training will be provided. Contact details for you/your child can be given to Fr. John, Fr. Liam or the Parish Secretary by Fri 11th May 2018. A training session will take place in St. Colmcille's Church on Sat 12th May at 3pm (one hour approx.).

**LITURGY COMMITTEE MEETING - TUESDAY 8TH MAY AT 7.30PM IN PAROCHIAL HOUSE.**

**KELLS ALPS** - Tues 15th May - Interior Designer. Tues 22nd May - Trip to Mourne.

**KELLS ACTIVE RETIREMENT** - Tea Dance on Sunday 13th May in Handball Club. 3-6pm. Transport provided. Contact 0851169288

**MAINTENANCE WORKER REQUIRED** for TÚS scheme in Girley. Suitable for Jobseekers and those unemployed for longer than 12 months. Contact Sarah on 0867824681 for more information.

**DARK HORSE THEATRE** - presents 'The Importance of Being Earnest' by Oscar Wilde in Kells Theatre on Sat 19th May at 7.30pm. Bookings please email [kellstheatre@gmail.com](mailto:kellstheatre@gmail.com) or ring 0469252405. Booking office opens on Monday 14th May at 10am.

**KELLS LOCAL HEROES** - in conjunction with award-winning Nature's Patch Network present - **STREETSCAPE LANDSCAPING PRESENTATION & TALK** - for the town of Kells and all its estates. Thursday May 10th at 7pm in the Headfort Arms Hotel. Please come along and join in on a discussion about your town.

**COFFEE MORNING** in aid of The Gary Kelly Cancer Support Centre, hosted by Cathleen Rooney & Bernie O'Reilly will be held in Cathleen's home at Mill Lane, Teltown, Donaghpatrick on Saturday 12th May from 10am to 1pm. All welcome. Your support will be greatly appreciated.

**NAVAN FLORAL ART CLUB** - May demonstration in Ardboyne Hotel, Navan - Wed 9th May 8pm. Demonstrator is Veronica McMahon. All welcome.

### COLLECTIONS

Offertory/missalettes Kells €1731 Girley €317,  
Weekly envelopes Kells €1712 Girley €79  
**ANNUAL DUES:** We thank the residents and collectors for their time and generosity:-  
Rockfield Road (PJ McCaffrey) and Cloncat, Drewstown, Johnsbrook and Girley (Tony McGuinness)



Handball €1100;  
Kilmainham €4500;  
Drumbaragh €11,200;  
Gaeil Colmcille €12,000

### Jesus Christ is Risen Today

Jesus Christ is ris'n today Alleluia  
Our triumphant holy day Alleluia  
Who did once upon the cross Alleluia  
Suffer to redeem our loss Alleluia.

Hymns of praise then let us sing Alleluia  
Unto Christ our heavenly King Alleluia  
Who endured the Cross and Grave Alleluia  
Sinners to redeem and save Alleluia.