



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



SUNDAY 17TH OCTOBER 2021



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**Important
Notice**

PROPOSED CHANGE OF MASS TIMES FOR WEEKDAY MASSES

**WEEKDAY MASSES (MON - FRI): From 9:30am to new time of 10am
SATURDAY MORNING: From 10am to new time of 11am**

Having already raised this idea with the daily mass attendees a few weeks ago and with the overwhelming feedback in favour of the slightly later time, we now propose to trial this for the months of November and December starting on Monday 1st November. Secondly, in order to develop a more social aspect to parish for this group, we plan on a monthly basis to have a tea/coffee morning over in the hotel following on directly from the 10am mass. Post Covid we wish to provide a time and space for a little healthy social engagement to compliment our prayer together here in church.
Tea/Coffee morning dates: Nov 1st, Nov 17th & Dec 8th.

**WORLD
MISSION
SUNDAY
24th October
2021**

Next Sunday is World Mission Sunday when the Holy Father invites all Catholics to contribute to a special collection for Missio, his charity for world mission. Please support Missio in helping missionaries to work alongside communities throughout the world that are poor or in need, regardless of their background or belief. Join in on this special day, that unites Catholics all over the world in prayer and celebration of our Church's mission to share God's love with all people. **Please place your donation in an envelope marked Mission Sunday and return to the Parish. There are also some envelopes available at the doors of the church.**

UNIVERSAL SYNOD

Last Sunday, Pope Francis called the Church across the world to embark on a synodal process. "Synodal" comes from a Greek word meaning "walking together". Over the next two years, all Catholics across the world are invited to walk together in a process of "encounter, listening, and discernment". Today, Bishop Deenihan invites all of us in the Diocese of Meath to embark on this journey together and to participate actively in this process so that we can discern together what it is that God is asking of the Church at this time. See www.catholicbishops.ie/synod to learn more about the synodal pathway for the Church in Ireland.

Prayer offered by Pope Francis:

*We stand before You, Holy Spirit, as we gather together in Your name.
With You alone to guide us, make Yourself at home in our hearts;
Teach us the way we must go and how we are to pursue it.
We are weak and sinful; do not let us promote disorder.
Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path nor partiality influence our actions.
Let us find in You our unity so that we may journey together to eternal life
and not stray from the way of truth and what is right.
All this we ask of You, who are at work in every place and time,
in the communion of the Father and the Son, forever and ever. Amen.*



**A copy of the latest child safeguarding newsletter from the Diocese of Meath is available on our website www.kellsparish.ie/newsletter/
Hardcopies are also available at the doors of the church.**

Recently Departed

Alice Higgins, Gardenrath Close; Jane (Jenny) Black, Kilmainham;
Anne Coyne, Gardenrath Close; Dennis Wright, Tierworker;
Nicholas Sheridan, Birmingham, UK & late of Girley, Fordstown

Mass Intentions for Kells



- Sat (Oct 16) 6.30pm - 80th Birthd Remem & 20th Ann - Mattie Smith, Balrath Rd
- Anniv - Pat & Rose Smith, Balrath Rd
- 9th Ann - George McGuinness Jnr, Loyd also Annie &
George McGuinness Snr & Dec'd members of the McGuinness family
- Anniv - Mary & Raymond Grace & Dec'd members of the Grace family
- Sun (Oct 17) 11.00am - 1st Ann - Susie Dunne, Blackthorn Close
- 2nd Ann - Cepta Ephgrave, Headfort Grove
12.15pm - 6th Ann - Catherine Gaull, Cullishall, Duncormack
- Mon (Oct 18) 9.30am - ST. LUKE, EVANGELIST
- Anniv - Eamonn Grace, Maudlin Rd & Dec'd members of Grace Family
- Tues (Oct 19) 9.30am - Private Intention
- Fri (Oct 22) WEDDING MASS
- Sat (Oct 23) 10.00am - 5th Ann - Sr. Josepha Dolan, St. Colmcille's Villas
6.30pm - 8th Ann - Des Lynch, Blackwater Heights
- 4th Ann - Speedy Rourke, Magdalene Court
Also Rory & Baby Michael Rourke
- Anniv - Josie McMahon, O'Growney Tce & Hughie McMahon
- Anniv - Michael & Mary Vaughan, St. Colmcille's Villas
- 3rd Ann - Paul Olohan, Toronto & Kells
Also Jimmy & Dora Olohan & Ina Daly
- Sun (Oct 24) 11.00am - 1st Ann - Josephine Potts, Monaghan
12.15pm - 13th Ann - Paddy McCabe, Maudlin St
- 12th Ann - Ellen Fagan nee Flanagan
Also Tommy & Pat Flanagan, Cavan Rd

Mass Intentions for Girley

- Sun (Oct 17th) 10.00am - Anniv - Joseph Kelly, Pepperstown
- Anniv - William & James Devine, Chamberlainstown
- Sun (Oct 24th) 10.00am - 7th Ann - Joseph Kirwan

Anniversary Masses

Rose & Matt Healy, Station House; Thomas & Annie McKeesan, Rosmeen



CHURCH CLEANING VOLUNTEERS



The Parish community is very grateful to our volunteers who have been doing wonderful work in the church over the past few years. However, we would appreciate the help of a few more volunteers to "sub" for those who are either sick or on holidays. We have two teams who work alternately every week on Tuesday mornings from 10.30am to 12midday. If you feel that you could help out, please contact Emma/Julie in the Parish Office on 0469240213 or email: info@kellsparish.ie

"HEALING THE LEGACY OF ABUSE" - The Ceili Community invite you to join them in Kilbeggan, Co. Westmeath, 23rd - 25th October. Speakers: Karen Keohane (Recovered Victim of Abuse) and Msr Finbarr O'Leary, M. Sc. For details and accommodation, please contact Rosaleen on 0876333437.

PARISH ADULT CHOIR has resumed practice on Wednesday nights from 8-9pm in Kells church. New members are very welcome. Any queries please contact Richard on 0862215802.

COLLECTIONS

Kells Plate: €603 Girley Plate: €75
Kells Env: €1,446 Girley Env: €111
We thank all who contribute, count and collect.

LOTTOS

Kilmainham - € 7,900
Gaeil Colmcille - €12,000
Drumbaragh - € 5,100