



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



**SUNDAY 19TH APRIL 2020**

**Priest on Duty: Fr John – Phone: 046/9240213 & 046/9240842**  
Daily Mass - Mon to Fri: 9.30am; Sat: 10am & 6.30pm; Sun: 11.30am

## **PRAYER FOR THESE TIMES**

### **Psalm 46**



### ***GOD IS OUR REFUGE AND STRENGTH***

God is for us a refuge and strength,  
a helper close at hand, in time of distress:  
so we shall not fear though the earth should rock,  
though the mountains fall into the depths of the sea,  
even though its waters rage and foam,  
even though the mountains be shaken by its waves.

The Lord of hosts is with us:  
The God of Jacob is our stronghold.

The waters of a river give joy to God's city,  
the holy place where the Most High dwells.

God is within, it cannot be shaken;  
God will help it at the dawning of the day.  
Nations are in tumult, kingdoms are shaken:  
He lifts his voice, the earth shrinks away.

Come, consider the works of the Lord  
the redoubtable deeds he has done on the earth.  
He puts an end to wars over all the earth;  
the bow he breaks, the spear he snaps.  
He burns the shields with fire.  
Be still and know that I am God,  
supreme among the nations, supreme on the earth.

## **ALONE**

Alone has launched a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to the outbreak of COVID-19. Professional staff are available to answer queries & give advice where necessary. Support line is open seven days a week,

## **MEATH PARTNERSHIP**

Meath Partnership has a team of employment support coaches working remotely to support jobseekers to access the DEASP COVID-19 payments; complete the online forms; advise on related entitlement, support people to navigate mywelfare.ie and write CVs. To refer a person to this support please contact any of the following:-

Martina McCabe - 085 8342378 email: [martina.mccabe@meathpartnership.ie](mailto:martina.mccabe@meathpartnership.ie)  
Patricia Lynch - 089 4366800 email: [patricia.lynch@meathpartnership.ie](mailto:patricia.lynch@meathpartnership.ie)  
Caoimhe Donnellan - 087 6693031 email: [caoimhe.donnellan@meathpartnership.ie](mailto:caoimhe.donnellan@meathpartnership.ie)

Recently Departed

Rose Farrell, Drumbaragh; Fr. Phonsie Mackin, retired PP of Bohermeen;  
Margaret Cross, née McGovern, London, late of Fair Green

Mass Intentions for Kells

Sat (Apr 18)	6.30pm	-4th Ann - Catherine Molloy & 5th Ann - Mary Mulvany, St Colmcille's Vls -Anniv - Paddy & Maura Landers, Rockfield Rd -2nd Ann - Patrick McCabe, Maudlin St -2nd Ann - Chris Costello, Headfort Pk
Sun (Apr 19)	11.30am	-1st Ann - Mattie Gaynor, Headfort Grove -MM - Patrick Carty, Rockfield Rd
Sat (Apr 25)	6.30pm	-6th Ann - Josie Reddy & Timmy Reddy, Bective St -MM - Robert O'Reilly, Fr MacCullen Pk -40th Birthday remembrance - Paul Hetherton, Balrath Road also Sean Hetherton
Sun (Apr 26)	11.30am	-1st Ann - Michael Smith, O'Growney Tce



Mass Intentions for Cirley

Sun (Apr 19) 11.30am -Anniv - Serena & Elizabeth Dollard, Fordstown and Deceased members of the Dollard family

Anniversary Masses:

Phil Ward, Rosmeen; Terry & Kate Clarke, The Grove.



TRÓCAIRE BOXES

It would be appreciated if parishioners would keep their Trócaire boxes at home until public Masses resume in the church.

CEMETERY DRAW - 2020

Due to Covid-19 the Cemetery Draw has been postponed until further notice.

FUNERALS

Government statement regarding funeral services:-

“The Government wants to ensure that families are able to bury their loved ones in a respectful manner while ensuring that all involved - mourners, funeral directors, celebrants and all involved in these services are protected from Covid-19.”

- \* Immediate family members not exceeding 10 persons may still attend funeral services, burials and cremations, provided that social distancing rules are enforced.
- \* This relates to all funerals including those arising out of COVID-19 deaths.
- \* The number not exceeding 10 persons applies to places of worship and at the graveside.
- \* The number may be restricted in smaller enclosed spaces and churches may put in place restrictions which respond to specific local circumstances.

KELLS CHURCH

The church will remain open (apart from Mass times) until 7pm each evening.  
The church car park will also be available to parishioners visiting for prayer.  
Fr. John & Fr. Sebi are available to parishioners at all times.

THANK YOU

We wish to acknowledge and thank all those who have sent in their Easter Offerings and weekly envelopes and all those who continue to pay by standing order.