



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



**SUNDAY 21 APRIL 2019**

Priest on Duty: Fr John – Phone: 9240213 & 9240842



**EASTER WEEK MASSES**

Monday to Friday 10am.

Saturday 10am and 6.30pm.

ADORATION: Tues to Fri 10am-5.30pm.



WE WISH ALL OUR  
 PARISHIONERS AND FRIENDS  
 AT HOME AND ABROAD  
 A VERY HAPPY AND PEACEFUL EASTER



**THANK YOU AND WELCOME**



Today, Easter Sunday, Gerry McManus retires from his position of Sacristan after 24 years of service. Gerry's tenure as Sacristan has been characterised by extraordinary dedication and commitment. All of us in the parish thank him for that.

We welcome Paula Morgan as our new Sacristan and thank her for assuming this important role in our community.

We also thank Francis McGovern who will continue in his role as assistant Sacristan.

**CEMETERY DRAW - 2nd May 2019**

In 2018 the Cemetery Committee spent €20,160 maintaining St. Colmcille's Cemetery. Income from Cemetery draw in 2018 was €14,515. We thank all our Promoters for this much needed income. In order to maintain the Cemetery at its proper level, the Cemetery Committee depends on the proceeds of the Cemetery draw. Cards are available from the Church Sacristy, from the Parish Office 9240213, e-mail: info@kellsparish.ie or from the Cemetery Committee. The 2019 Draw will be held on Thursday May 2nd at 4pm in the Parish Office. There are 10 names on each card. €15 per person. If any Promoter did not receive their card, please contact the Parish Office. Cards should be returned before Wednesday 1st May.



**FEAST OF DIVINE MERCY 2019**

ST COLMCILLE'S CHURCH, KELLS  
 SUNDAY 28th APRIL STARTING AT 2.30PM

Holy Mass, Divine Mercy Chaplet, Rosary,  
 Blessing of Divine Mercy Image & Benediction  
 Celebrant: Fr. Michael Walsh



**EASTER OFFERINGS**

**TODAY SUNDAY APRIL 21ST.**

Kindly use the WHITE envelope from your Box.

### Recently Departed

Edward English, formerly of Taylor Hall, Kells

#### Mass Intentions for Week - Kells

Sunday (Apr 21)	11.30am	-1st Ann - Chris Costello, Headfort Pk also Sheila Skelly, Kells & Dublin
Tue (Apr 23)	10.00am	-Anniv - Sarah Flood, Buncrana & Derbyshire, England
Wed (Apr 24)	10.00am	-Anniv - Maria Zammit, Margaret Gilbert & John Farrell
Sat (Apr 27)	10.00am	-MM - Annie Donohoe, O'Growney Tce
	6.30pm	-6th Ann - Kitty Nelson, Kilmainham
		-4th Ann - Kathleen Smith & 9th Ann - James Smith, Calliaghstown
		-5th Ann - Victor Duffy, Gardenrath Rd
		-8th Ann - Fergus Dalton, Termon Hall
Sun (Apr 28)	11.30am	-MM - Philip O'Connor, Townparks Manor



#### Mass Intentions for Week - Girley

Sun (Apr 21)	10.00am	- Anniv - Serena Dollard, Fordstown
Sun (Apr 28)	10.00am	- Anniv - Deceased members of the Woods family, Drewstown

#### Anniversary Masses

The Carolan Family, Farrell St; Benny & Kitty Carolan, Rockfield Rd; Peg Connell & Connell family, Canon St; Annie Keenan, Canon St; Hannah Kilkeny, Rockfield Rd; The Fleming Family, Gardenrath Close; Kitty & Mick Moriarity, Gardenrath Close; Oliver Condon, Gardenrath Close; Jack, Margaret, Martin & Noel Smith, Suffolk St; Matt, Nancy & Mary Tormay & Ann Ratty, Suffolk St; Thomas, Josephine & Bridget (Babie) Carpenter, Church View; Yvonne Cassidy, Kilskyre & Kenlis Place; Michael Farrell, Gardenrath; John Dunne, Belfast & Kells; Alphonsus & Carmel Stewart, O'Growney Tce; Eamon & Emma Whelan.

#### COLLECTIONS

Offertory/missalettes Kells €1384 Girley €182,  
weekly envelopes Kells €1640 Girley €110.  
We thank all who contribute, count and collect.

#### LOTTOS

Handball €5,700;  
Kilmainham €3,000;  
Drumbaragh €4,200;  
Gael Colmcille €10,500

**KELLS THEATRE COFFEE MORNING** - Friday 26th April from 9.30am to 1pm in aid of ongoing theatre re-furbishment. All welcome.

**KNOCK DIVINE MERCY PILGRIMAGE** - Sunday 28th April. Concelebrant Archbishop Michael Neary. Bookings and details from Marie Donoghue on 0469242091.

**PRIDE OF PLACE COMPETITION** - the 2019 Pride of Place competition is now open for applications. Further details and application forms can be obtained from The Community Dept, Meath Co. Co., Buvinda Hse, Dublin Rd, Navan or by email to [prideofplace@meathcoco.ie](mailto:prideofplace@meathcoco.ie) The closing date for receipt of completed applications is 5pm on Friday 7th June 2019.

**IRISH GREAT BAKE** - to raise money for Temple Street Hospital on Sunday 28th April from 11am - 4pm in Kells Resource Centre. Tasty treats, tea, coffee, face-painting, bouncing castle & monster raffle. Any donations of baked goods please contact Corinna on 0863103133.

**FOSTERING RECRUITMENT** - there will be an information night on becoming a foster carer in the Kells Resource Centre on Tuesday 23rd April at 7pm. This campaign aims to recruit foster carers in the Kells and surrounding area for Meath children.

**DIGITAL SKILLS TRAINING** - free basic iphone, ipad, smartphone and tablet training available in all areas. If you would like to book a place please contact Angela on 0469280790.

**ROYAL COUNTY 5KM & 10KM RUN/WALK** - returns to Kells on Bank Holiday Monday 6th May at 10.30am. Online registration is open until 2nd May. See [www.meathsports.ie](http://www.meathsports.ie) or call 0469067337 for further details. Early bird (available until Thurs 2nd May) €15 for 10km, €10 for 5km. Group discounts also. All ages & abilities welcome.

**ACT OUT YOUTH THEATRE** - presents 'Projections - Tales of Hope & Fear' on May 3rd at 8pm in Solstice Arts Centre, Navan. Tickets €10/€8. Booking: [www.solsticeartscentre.ie](http://www.solsticeartscentre.ie) or call 0469092300.

**SILVER SURFER AWARDS 2019** - final call to nominate someone for a silver surfer award! Closing date is Thursday 25th April. Nominate an older friend, neighbour or relative who uses technology (Facebook, email, Skype, etc) to enhance the quality of their life. Full details on [www.ageaction.ie/about-us/age-action-silver-surfer-awards](http://www.ageaction.ie/about-us/age-action-silver-surfer-awards)

**MOYNALTY DRAMA GROUP** - present 'The Year of the Hiker' by John B. Keane and directed by Liam Daly in Moynalty Hall - Sunday 21st April and then Fri 26th, Sat 27th & Sun 28th April at 8pm. Tickets €12.50 0894709169.