



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



SUNDAY 29 SEPTEMBER 2019

Priest on Duty: Fr Sebi – Phone: 046/9240213 & 046/9240842
Times of Weekend Masses: Sat: Vigil 6.30pm, Sun: 9am & 11.30am Girley - Sunday: 10am
Weekday Masses: Kells - Mon to Fri:- 9.30am Sat:- 10am
Confessions: Saturday 10.30–11am, 2-2.30pm, 6–6.30pm
Baptisms: Second and Fourth Sunday at 1.30pm.
Adoration of Blessed Sacrament: Mon to Fri: 9am-5.30pm
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FIRST COMMUNION ENROLMENT

Next weekend (5th/6th Oct) the Parish Community welcomes the children who are being enrolled by their parents in the programme for First Penance and First Eucharist. The children & parents from Our Lady of Mercy Junior School will participate in the **6.30pm** Vigil Mass while the parents & children from Drumbaragh N.S. will participate in the **11.30am** Mass. The top 15 seats of the church will be reserved for the families at the Vigil Mass & the top 4 seats at 11.30 Mass.

PARENTS COMMITTEE— Meeting of the newly-formed Committee takes place on Friday Oct 4th at 8pm in the Parochial House.

DATES FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2020

Sun **May 10th** Drumbaragh National School & Sun **May 17th** Our Lady of Mercy Junior School

WORLD DAY OF MIGRANTS AND REFUGEES
SEPTEMBER 29TH 2019

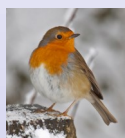
Throughout history, humans have migrated across the globe, making their homes in new places. Yet, at this moment, we are experiencing the largest migrant and refugee crisis in modern history. Conflict, poverty and violence have forced tens of millions of people away from their homelands into unknown futures because the insecurity of the journey is preferable to the unsafe conditions in their own homes and countries.

We know God is with our sisters and brothers seeking refuge. Will we answer the call to stand with them and recognise that we share their journey?

WELCOME:

This is an appropriate day to welcome the Refugee Family from Syria that has arrived in Kells. Great credit is due to the organising committee who have done such sensitive planning in preparing for their arrival. Kells has set a headline for the rest of the diocese and country.

“I was a stranger and you made me welcome”.



KELLS BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

Bereavement meeting in Parish Hall on first Thursday of each month.
 Next meeting is Thursday 3rd October at 8pm.
 Anyone experiencing grief or loss of any kind is welcome.



FIRST FRIDAY WEEK

Friday: 9.30am Mass. Saturday: Padre Pio Mass 10am.



Recently Departed.

Paddy Murray, late of St. Colmcille's Villas who died in Edenderry.
Lena Cassidy, Horath, Carlanstown; Frank Mulvey, Williamstown;
Jackie Maguire, St. Brigid's Tce.

Mass Intentions for Week - Kells

Mon (Sept 30) - FEAST OF ST. JEROME
Tue (Oct 1) - FEAST OF ST. THERESA OF THE CHILD JESUS
Wed (Oct 2) - FEAST OF THE GUARDIAN ANGELS.
Thurs (Oct.3) 9:30am - 50th Anniv - Mary Cusack
Fri (Oct 4) - FEAST OF ST. FRANCIS OF ASSISI
Sat (Oct 5) 10.00am - Anniv - Enda & Liam Smyth, Rockfield Rd
- 2nd Ann - Seamus O'Reilly, Maudlin Villa
- 2nd Ann - Sinéad Hugh, Balgeeth
6.30pm - 7th Ann - Philly Sheridan, Maudlin Rd
- Anniv - John Quinn, Carrick St
- Anniv - Jim Brunnock, Cavan Rd also deceased members of Brunnock
and Monaghan families
- 8th Ann - Joseph Burke, Gardenrath Close



Mass Intentions for Week - Girley

Sun (Sept 29th) 10 am - Anniv - Sean Darcy, Drewstown Little

Anniversary Masses:

Josephine & Joseph Flanagan & Deceased members of Flanagan family, Climber Hall, Kells;
Seamus Ennis, Fr MacCullen Park.

MINISTERS OF THE WORD FOR OCTOBER (weekend Masses)

Sat 6.30pm — Anne Moloney, Aidan Wall
Sun 9.00am — Marna Cahill, Evanna Cahill
11.30am — Patricia Meehan, Martin Flanagan

MINISTERS OF THE WORD FOR OCTOBER (weekday Masses 9.30am)

Ann Carolan (30 Sept-5 Oct), Eileen O'Reilly (7-12 Oct), Geraldine O'Dea (14-19 Oct),
Patricia Meehan (21-26 Oct), Jane Smith (28 Oct-2 Nov)

SPECIAL MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST FOR OCTOBER — Group 1

COLLECTIONS

Offertory/missalettes Kells €1,459 Girley €183
Weekly envelopes Kells €1,401 Girley € 121
Thank you to all those who contribute, collect and count.

Handball €400;
Kilmainham €5,200;
Drumbaragh €2,800;
Gaeil Colmcille €12,000



KELLS THEATRE SCHOOL - enrolment now under way for workshops in drama, singing, dance and creative story-telling and writing 6 to 16 years - with end-of-year production in June 2020. Closing date for applications is Fri 20th Sept 2019. Classes begin Wed 2nd Oct at 4pm in Kells Theatre. Further info: John - 0872079557.

EUREKA LEAVING CERT CLASS OF 1969 - will hold a reunion to celebrate their 50th anniversary on 4th Oct in Kells. For further details of time and location please contact: Marie Rogers on 0857182730 or Eileen Griffin on 0877857280.

ANNUAL REMEMBRANCE CEREMONY - for Pregnancy Loss, Babies and Children, organised by Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital, Drogheda, will be held on Sun 6th Oct at 3pm in the Auditorium, MMM Convent, Beechgrove, Drogheda. Parents, siblings and extended family are kindly invited.