



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



SUNDAY 29th SEPTEMBER 2024

**Weekend Masses: Kells: Sat: Vigil 6.30pm, Sun: 9am, 11am & 12.15pm
Girley - Sunday: 10am
Masses for week - Mon - Fri: 10am; Sat 11am**

Cemeteries

Following on from an extensive piece of work carried out by Johnsbrook Surveys on behalf of the Parish, a now proper and hopefully fully correct mapping of St Raed's Cemetery is available for viewing in the Porch Area of Girley Church and also in the Parish Office. Thank you again for all who attend to the care of our graves and support us in their upkeep.

**Cemetery Sunday Collection 2024 (Kells & Girley): €7,134
Cemetery Draw 2024: €13,385**



INTRODUCTION TO THE BIBLE ON KELLS WEBCAM

Beginning Monday, 7th October, Fr. John will continue his introduction to the Bible. This year he will introduce the St. Matthew's Gospel on Mondays at 12 noon. Each session will last 25 minutes (approx). You can access the talks as you would the Mass each day on www.kellsparish.ie (If you cannot access the talks on the webcam, you are welcome to come to Kells Church to attend in person). The sessions will be recorded. For queries contact Fr. John on: jplovebyrne@gmail.com

REPORT OF THE SYNOD OF BISHOPS HELD IN ROME IN OCT 2023

Point 5: As the experience of the Assembly proved, the synodal process creates an atmosphere of respectful listening that can unite members with different view points. The ultimate aim of the synodal process is not to turn the Church into a more democratic institution, but to enable the People of God to fulfil it's full responsibility to announce the Good News of God's love and mercy of God to all humanity and indeed all creation. It is to achieve this goal that Pope Francis wants the entire Church to become more synodal.

"It is the path of synodality which God expects of the Church of the third millennium". (Pope Francis)



MINISTERS OF THE WORD FOR OCTOBER (weekend Masses)

Sat 6.30pm - Maria Byrne
Sun 9.00am - Mary Connelly; 11.00am - Ann Moloney; 12.15pm - Seamus Keaveny

MINISTERS OF THE WORD FOR OCTOBER (weekday Masses 10am)

Marie Gibney (30 Sept - 5 Oct); Jimmy O'Brien (7-12 Oct);
Val Mulvany (14-19 Oct); Ann Moore (21-26 Oct); Ann Carolan (28 Oct - 2 Nov)

MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST FOR OCTOBER - Group 3



THE HOLY CROSS GROUP BETHLEHEM



A missionary group from Bethlehem, The Holy Land, will be visiting our Parish on the 5th/6th of October to sell religious articles (crucifixes, rosary beads, plaques and nativity cribs made out of olive wood from Bethlehem) to help and support the poor Christian families. Any help you can give them will be greatly appreciated.

CHURCH GATE COLLECTION - CHERNOBYL/UKRANIAN CHILDRENS' FUND

Sponsored by Knights of St. Columbanus THIS WEEKEND 28th & 29th September 2024

COLLECTIONS (Kells & Girley)

Plate : €1511; Weekly Env: €1638;
Offerings: €60;

Thanks to all those who contribute, count and collect.



Kilmainham	Drumbaragh €3,900
€14,300	
Gaeil Colmcille	Handball €1,000
€7,650	

Mass Intentions for Kells



- Sat (28 Sept) 6.30pm - 1st Ann - Tommy Smith, Rockfield Rd
- 2nd Ann - Joe Smith, Calliaghstown & his recently dec'd brother John
- Sun (29 Sept) 9.00am - 48th Ann - Jimmy Rogers, Suffolk St
- Tues (1 Oct) 10.00am - Anniv - Brigid Meehan, The Bullring
- Wed (2 Oct) 10.00am - Anniv - Thomas & Martha Conachy; Also Martha Molloy
- Thurs (3 Oct) 10.00am - Special Intention
- Sat (5 Oct) 11.00am - 4th Ann - Gillian Barry
- 25th Ann - Paddy Nugent, Kenlis Place
- Anniv - Liam & Enda Smyth, Rockfield Rd
- 6.30pm - MM - Philip Reilly, Taylor Hall
- 5th Ann - Lawrence Carolan, Gardenrath Rd
- 12th Ann - Sean Monaghan, Carrick Lodge
- 13th Ann - Joe Burke
- Sun (6 Oct) 11.00am - 2nd Ann - Pauline Duffy, Grand Priory
- 3rd Ann - Bridget Farrelly, Grangegodden; Also Owen Farrelly
- 5th Ann - Mary Reynolds
- Anniv - Nancy & Joe Hogan
- Anniv - Paddy Brodigan, Headfort Grove
- 12.15pm - MM - Seamus Smith, Rosmeen
- 1st Ann - Alec Luddy, Kenlis Crescent
- 22nd Ann - John Quinn, Carrick St

Anniversaries

Vincent & Roseanne Duffy, Canon St; Lottie & Kevin Gargan;
Patrick & Mary Kate Flood, Climber Hall; (39th Ann) Eileen Farrell, St. Brigid's Tce;
Anne & Jimmy Brady, Ballinamona, Carnaross

BOOK OF MEMORIES CAFÉ

THURSDAY 3rd OCTOBER, 12pm - 2pm

Monthly in Eureka House, Kells FREE ADMISSION

For people living with dementia, their family and friends. Tea & Scones served.

All Welcome. Contact No: 0871469624



KINGSCOURT PARISH cordially invite soloists, choir members and musicians to a Free Coral Workshop at the Parish Centre, St. Mary's Road, Kingscourt on Sat 19th Oct from 2:30pm, concluding with a special sung mass at 6pm.

BRENDAN TALBOT MINISTRY - Life in the Spirit Seminar - Bohermeen Community Centre, Navan C15XW97. Started Tues 24th Sept at 7.30pm running each Tuesday for 7 consecutive weeks. Guest speakers each night. Any further queries please contact 0871773844.

RETREAT FOR YOUNG ADULTS (18- 40 YEARS) Dalgan Park, Navan 18th -20th Oct 2024 (Fri eve - Sun afternoon) An opportunity to join with other young people in prayer, friendship in the faith, encouraging talks, Holy Mass, peaceful walks, Confession/ personal talk with one of the team available. Cost: €160 (for students, a donation) full board, own room. Contact: Sr Úna 090 6481666 or Michael 086 2453123 / email: youthretreats@gmail.com

KELLS LIVELY CITIZENS CLUB - Tea Dance on 6th Oct in Eureka House from 3pm - 6pm. Music by Liam Grant & Jim Quinn. All welcome.

ILLUSTRATED HISTORY OF WILLIAMSTOWN HOUSE & TOWNLAND (Pre-Christian to late 20th century) by Liam McNiffe on Wed 2nd Oct at 7pm. Kells Library. Admission free. All welcome.

ST. CIARÁN'S COMMUNITY SCHOOL OPEN NIGHT INVITATION - Thurs 3rd Oct 2024, 5.30pm to 7.30pm. Principal's talk at 5.30pm followed by a tour of the school and subject information. The school welcomes 6th class primary girls and boys and their parents/guardians. This is an opportunity to view the wide range of subject options and modern educational facilities available to prospective pupils.