



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



**SUNDAY 5th JULY 2025**

**Weekend Masses: Kells: Sat: Vigil 6.30pm, Sun: 9.30am & 12.00pm  
Girley - Sunday: 10.30am**

**Masses for week - Mon - Fri: 10am; Sat 11am**

**Baptisms - Second & Fourth Sundays at 12.45pm - Third Saturdays at 5pm  
Confessions Saturday at 11.30am**



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**A warm welcome to Fr. Mark English, PP & Fr. Declan Kelly, CC.  
We wish them both well in their ministry here in Kells & Girley.**

**Fr Mark was ordained in Bohermeen in October 1998 and has served as Curate at the Cathedral of Christ the King in Mullingar (1998-2008) and Dunboyne (2008-2014), Administrator of Kingscourt (2015-2016). He was appointed PP of Killucan (2016-2021) and Duleek / Donore (2021 - 2025).**

**Fr Declan was ordained in September 2014 at the Cathedral of Christ the King in Mullingar. He is a native of Rochfortbridge and has served as Curate in Trim (2014 - 2017), Dunshaughlin (2017 - 2021, Dunboyne (2021 - 2023) and Duleek/Donore (2023 - 2025).**

**FEAST DAY CELEBRATION OF ST LOUIS & ST ZELIE MARTIN  
- PARENTS OF ST THERESE OF LISIEUX**

**Location: Carmelite Friary Church, White Abbey, Kildare Town, R51 K379**

**Date: Saturday 12th July 2025**

**Time: 10am Mass (celebrant Bishop Tom Deenihan) & 7pm Mass.**

**Veneration of Relics & Exhibition 11am - 9.30pm**

**(Exhibition: Historical Items from the life of St. Thérèse and The Martin Family including unique pieces such as Vestments designed by Celine Martin).**



**CEMETERY DRAW 2025**

**There are still cemetery draw cards outstanding and we would be grateful if they could be returned, even if blank. Also, there are some prize money envelopes left to be collected from the Parish office.**

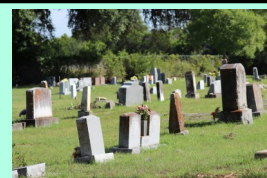
**Cemetery Sunday**

**Cemetery Sunday takes place on 17th August at**

**11am in St Colmcille's Cemetery**

**1.30pm in St Johns Cemetery**

**24th August at 11.15am in St Raeds Cemetery Girley**



### Recently Deceased

Helen Dunne, Belfast & formerly of Kells;  
Maeve Sheridan, Bettystown; Maureen Clarke, Castletown Kilpatrick

### Mass Intentions for Kells

- Sat (Jul 5) 6.30pm - 1st Ann - Maisie O'Sullivan Kehoe
- Sun (Jul 6) 12.00pm - 1st Ann - Paddy Grimes, Drumbaragh  
- 11th Ann - Joe O'Rorke, Castle St & Deceased family members
- Tue (Jul 8) - 2nd Ann - Margaret Lynch, Trim
- Thur (Jul 10) - The Duffy Family, Ballybay  
- 9th Ann - Matthew Reilly, Ard na Greine
- Fri (Jul 11) - ST. BENEDICT, ABBOT
- Sat (Jul 12) 11.00am - 4th Ann - Vera Butler, Newmarket St;  
Also Michael & John Butler
- 6.30pm - 1st Ann - Mary (Toss) Rourke, Magdalene Court;  
Also husband Michael (Speedy) Rourke & sons Rory & baby Michael  
- 9th Ann - Matthew Reilly, Ard na Greine
- Sun (Jul 13) 9.30am - 5th Ann - Anne Farrelly, Kilmainham
- 12.00pm - MM - Bobby (James) Farrell  
- 4th Ann - Dylan Corcoran, Blackthorn Close

### Mass Intentions for Girley

- Sun (Jul 6) 10.30am - Anniv - Jimmy & Willie Devine, Chamberlainstown  
- Anniv - Joseph Kelly, Ethelstown & dec'd mems of Kelly Family
- Sun (Jul 13) 10.30am - 3rd Ann - Seamus Farnan, Newtowngirley, Fordstown  
- Anniv - Kitty & Frank Tully, Clonleason

### Anniversaries

Kathleen & Christy Hoey, Ard na Greine;  
Dec'd mems of Hoey Family, Ethelstown & Suffolk St;  
Margaret Black, Loyd

**KELLS LOCAL HEROES** will unveil a sign to commemorate the one-time existence of Coopers Park in Kells. It will take place on Thursday 10th July @ 7pm at the rear of Jack's pub. Eight families once lived there and the unveiling will ensure the existence of the park is not forgotten.

**KELLS LIVELY CITIZENS CLUB** - Day Trip to Kilkenny on Wed 23rd July, meeting at Kells Garda Station at 9:30am sharp. Delta Sensory Gardens, Carlow. Free Time in Kilkenny City. Dinner in Langtons Hotel, Kilkenny. Total Price €50. To be paid in full by 10th July. Booking with Brian Curran - 0868144495.

**DRUMBARAGH COFFEE DAY** - Sean & Maureen Monaghan are holding their annual Coffee day in aid of Cancer Care on Thursday July 10th from 10 am till late. Please save the date. Bring a friend. A82A0D8

**PITCH & PUTT COURSE** - if anyone is interested in setting up a new Pitch & Putt Club in Kells please contact 0862511220 for more information.

**TABLE QUIZ AT CLAREMONT STADIUM** - A speedquizzing table quiz will take place in Claremont Stadium, Commons Rd, Navan from 2-4pm on Saturday 12th July. Suitable for all ages but children must be accompanied by an adult. €5 per table of 4, smartphones will be required to take part in the quiz.

**DANCE MANIA** - Churchgate collection next weekend (12th/13th Jul). We would appreciate your support.

### COLLECTIONS (Kells & Girley)

Plate : €1533 Offerings: €157 Weekly Env: €1483

Thank you to all who contribute, count & collect.



Kilmainham	€3,100
Drumbaragh	€7,800
Gaeil Colmcille	€2,200
Handball	€900