



CHURCH OF ST. COLMCILLE KELLS
CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION GIRLEY
Kells Pastoral Area with Parishes of Kells, Carnaross, Kilskyre & Moynalty

SUNDAY 8TH NOVEMBER 2026

Masses Kells - Saturday Vigil 6.30pm; Sunday 9.30am & 12noon
Girley - Sunday 10.30am
Weekdays - 10am ***Confessions after the 10am on Saturdays***

Priests of the Parish: Fr. Mark English PP, Fr. Declan Kelly CC & Fr. John Byrne AP
Parish Secretary: Emma Woods **Parish Office Hours: Mon - Thurs 10am - 3pm**
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NOVEMBER A TIME TO REMEMBER During November we commemorate the Faithful Departed. We compile our own Individual list of our beloved dead and add them to the Parish List of the Dead 2026. The Parish List of the Dead envelopes are available in the Churches, your box of Parish Envelopes or simply write on a plain envelope Parish List of the Dead and enclose your name, address, offering and list of beloved dead. Please return to the Parochial House / Parish Office or put into the collection bags at weekend masses.



TREE OF MEMORY In our church we have placed a Tree of Memory on which we placed the names of our parishioners who died and whose funerals were here in the parish in the past twelve months. Everyone is invited to write the names of their loved ones who died elsewhere this past year and also place them on the branches. Tags are available at the foot of the Tree. Also, if you wish simply to remember those who are part of your Family Tree and are now gone before us into God's eternal merciful embrace, then please write their names and add them to our Tree of Memory.

THANKS to all who assisted with the Remembrance Mass last Friday. We hold those who mourn in our love and prayers as we remember their deceased loved ones and all inscribed and you on our Parish List of the Dead, during this month of November and on the First Fridays throughout the year.



CONFIRMATION & FIRST HOLY COMMUNION As families and local faith communities we continue to encourage our parents as they support the children along the journey of preparing for the celebrations of these sacraments in 2027. The children this weekend receive another sticker in their Sacramental Passport, as we remember our beloved dead, who have shared the Gospel of Eternal Life with us.



THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBANUS along with the Sweeney Family & The Knights of St Thérèse will have the relic of St Thérèse of Lisieux in Kells Church at **this weekend's** masses. Veneration directly after 6:30pm Mass; 9:30am Mass and 12pm Mass. All are welcome.

Recently Deceased

Sylvia D'Arcy, Circular Rd, Kells;
Olivia Smyth, Artane, Dublin & formerly O'Growney Tce; **Colin Fagan, Kells & Kilmessin**

Mass Intentions for Kells

Sat (Nov 7)	**6.30pm**	**- Ultan Fitzpatrick,** Rosmeen **- Edward Galligan,** Hermitage Glen **- Margaret Grimes,** Drumbaragh **- Gay Shipp,** Kenlis Crescent; **Also Septi Ephgrave,** Headfort Grove
Sun (Nov 8)	**9.30am**	**- Mona Keaveny,** Oldcastle Rd **- Teresa Smith (née McGovern); Also Jonny & Harriett McGovern** **- Gerry Manning,** O'Growney Tce **- Michael Murray**
	12.00pm	**- Rita Shiels,** Gardenrath Close **(MM),** **- James & Brigid Fitzgerald,** Sycamore Ave **- Thomas Reilly,** Canon St; **Also Dec'd mems Reilly Family** **- Mary & Tom Healy,** Kilmainham
Mon (Nov 9)	**10.00am**	**- Private Intention**
Tues (Nov 10)	**10.00am**	**- Nancy Olohan,** Cross St
Wed (Nov 11)	**10.00am**	**-**
Thurs (Nov 12)	**10.00am**	**-**
Fri (Nov 13)	**10.00am**	**- Phyllis & Patsy Lynch,** Headfort Park **- Thanksgiving Intention**
Sat (Nov 14)	**10.00am**	**ANNIVERSARIES OCCURRING**
	6.30pm	**- Paul Shiels,** Gibbstown & Headfort Grove **(1st Ann)** **- Gerry McManus,** Fr McCullen Park **- Michael & Maureen Byrne** **- Dec'd mems Kells Musical Society**
Sun (Nov 15)	**9.30am**	**- Johan Allen Maguire; Also Kim Allen**
	12.00pm	**- Matt Tormay** **- Eamon & Mary Farrelly & Dec'd mems Farrelly Family** **- Patsy Shine,** Gardenrath **- Eva Ryan,** Headfort Woods

Mass Intentions for Girley

Sun (Nov 8)	**10.30am**	**- Jimmy & Nancy Lynch; Also Terry & Seamus Timmons,** Fordstown
Sun (Nov 15)	**10.30am**	**-**



ROME - During November Fr. Mark is in Rome, with Bishop Tom's blessing, for a month's long course. Be assured of his prayers and remembrance at Masses, as he appreciates yours. In the meantime, Fr. Declan assumes Fr. Mark's responsibilities for the Parish.

COMMUNITY NOTICES: **HEADFORT GOLF CLUB TABLE QUIZ** in aid of The Women's Refuge on Fri 13th Nov at 8pm. Table of 4 €40. All welcome.

COLLECTIONS (Kells & Girley)

Plate Collection : €2,213 **Weekly Env: €1,198** **Offerings: €227**

Thank you to all who contribute, count & collect.

If you wish to contribute by online banking our details are: Kells Church; IE17BOFI90344525066479