

Our Parish Newsletter

6th August - The Transfiguration of the Lord *Blessing of the Graves - in Drumkilly & Crosserlough*

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Mass Times :

St. Mary's - Sunday - 11 am, (Blessing of Graves); Mon, Tues 10 am; Thursday & Friday 7.30 pm

St. Joseph's - Saturday 6 pm (Blessing of Graves); Wednesday 10 am;

St. Patrick's - Sunday 6th August - **No Mass in Kilnaleck Church**

We Pray For The Deceased:

St. Joseph's`

Wednesday 9th	10.00 am	Bartley, Josephine & Michael Galligan Corlislea
Saturday 12th	8.00 pm	Gerry Duffy, Drumbrath, 2nd Anniversary Mass
Monday 14th	8.00 pm	Katie, Matt, Bridie, Denis Tully & Decd. Aughnahague.
Saturday 19th	8.00 pm	Shane O'Rourke, Poleragh 3rd AM Annie, PJ, Baby Katie & all the decd. Galligan's Drumhirk
Saturday 26th	8.00 pm	Nancy Cahill Tedehan, MMM; Also Nancy O' Reilly Crenew & Gerry Donohoe Tedehan

St. Mary's:

Sunday 13th	10.00 am	Eddie Reilly, Clare, MMM
Friday 18th	7.30 pm	Ann (5AM) & Sean Briody, Graddum & Decd & Decd Briody & Cosgrove Families.
Monday 21st	10.00 am	Peter Greene, Derrylea
Friday 25th	7.30 pm	Norrie O'Reilly, Curraghbreedin
Sunday 27th	10.00 am	Benny Maguire, Finaway 4th Am.

- ◆ **We ask parishioners who have anniversary mass for their family on Sundays, to please bring up the gifts to the Altar.**

St. Patrick's:

Sunday 20th	11.15 am	Sean & Kieran Reilly, Lisduff Cross
Sunday 27th	11.15 am	Mary Briody, Kilnaleck 4th AM

Volunteers August: St. Joseph's Church

Reader: Margaret Callery.

Eucharistic Ministers: Peter Galligan Tomas Harten.

Altar Society: Martina McVetty, Carmel Shalvey, Dolores Gaffney.

Collectors: Michael Cronin, Peter Galligan.

Altar Society - St. Mary's: D McEnerney, I Duffy, Mary Reilly, Tina Briody

- ◆ **Crosserlough Ladies:** Annual Bake Sale after the blessing of the graves in Crosserlough Old School Sunday 6th August- lots of goodies promised. All Support greatly Appreciated.. Thank you all for your continued support.
- ◆ **Kilnaleck Church committee** - meeting on Thursday 10th Aug at 8pm. All members please attend.
- ◆ **General Clean-up of Kill Cemetery** - on Wednesday 9th Aug at 7pm in preparation for blessing of graves on Sunday 13th Aug. All plot owners please attend.
- ◆ **Mission Appeal:** A missionary Sister from St. Peter Claver, Dublin will give a talk at all masses on week ending 12th & 13th August.
- ◆ **Thank You:** To all those who supported annual Kilmore Apostolic Collection in the Parish— €570 was raised which is much appreciated.
- ◆ Please Note - No Adoration in the Churches during August
- ◆ Blessing of the Graves - Please Bring your own Holy Water to the Ceremonies: Blessing of the Graves Kill Cemetery on Sunday 13th August at 12 noon

The importance of a good beginning.

A key element of the Christian message is that life is not the way it was meant to be. It is broken in all sorts of ways. Your life and mine are fraught with human limitations and so we need to become aware of the realities of sickness deafness and blindness the captive, and the poor. As part of the religious formation of the children in primary school we try to help them understand that the burdens of life, can be eased if we work as a united group, no matter how small that help can be offered and no matter who is helped by the generosity. Schools with a religious ethos exist in all countries exist in almost all countries except those where they are outlawed by non-democratic regions. In many nations as in Ireland they form a central part of the education system, while in almost all democratic societies they are funded by the state. Such school's provided a real public service and they are a notable expression of the contribution of the voluntary sector to the development of a vibrant civil society. At the core of this development of the promotion education for the masses was the desire of the early church to spread the teaching of Jesus and the hope that the traditions handed on by Jesus would become a permanent tradition. *Michael Drumm*