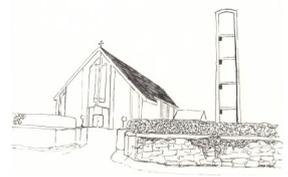




# The Parish of Ardrahan

# The Parish of Kilchreest

Facebook—Ardrahan Kilchreest [www.ardrahan-kilchreest.com](http://www.ardrahan-kilchreest.com)



Items for newsletter to be in by  
12.00 noon on Friday

[Web Site -  
www.ardrahan-kilchreest.com](http://www.ardrahan-kilchreest.com)

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**Fr. Joseph Roche PP**  
091-840859/635164, 087-9822156

**Masses for the Parish of Kilchreest**  
Castledaly - Sat 7.30pm  
Kilchreest - Sun 12.00noon

**Masses for the Parish of Ardrahan :**  
Saturday 6.00pm / Sunday 10.30am

**Weekday Mass Ardrahan**  
9.00am Mon-Tue - Thur - Fri

Fr. Joe will be off on Wednesday

### Office Hours

Friday 10.00am—2pm  
Monday 10.00am—2pm

Phone 635164/840859  
at these times for Baptism,  
Anniversaries Weddings

### Baptism

To be held on the 1st and 3rd weekend  
in Ardrahan 2nd & 4th weekend in  
Kilchreest \Castledaly

No Mass may be offered after 4.30pm  
on Saturday other than the Saturday  
Vigil at 6pm/7.30pm.

No extra Masses on Sunday with the  
exception of a funeral.

**25th October 2020**  
**30th Sunday of the year in**  
**Ordinary time**



*You shall love the Lord, your God, with  
all your heart, with all your soul, and  
with all your mind. ... You shall love your  
neighbour as yourself*



## Anniversaries



### Ardrahan Sun 25th Oct 10.30am

Paul Higgins  
Margaret Stankard mts mind  
Molly Murphy

### Kilchreest Sat 24th Oct 7.00pm

Patrick & Margaret Haverty  
Bridie Stewart, Nora Deely

### Ardrahan Fri 30th Oct 9.00am

Kieran Roche

### Ardrahan Sat 1st Nov 10.30pm

Frank & Bridie McHugh  
Bridget & Martin Roche  
Tom & Mary Morrissey  
Johnny & Margaret Whelan  
Paddy & Lena Niland

The list for the Holy Souls can be found  
on our web page under the newsletter  
section

You can download this and post it to the  
office or drop it in the mail box  
There will also be some envelopes at the  
back of the church

MASS for the next few weeks will  
be **Online** only due to Level 5  
Restrictions  
Kilchreest 7pm  
Ardrahan 10.30am

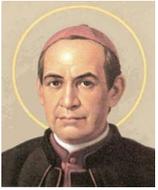
### Holy souls

**Mass at 9am in Ardrahan and  
Kilchreest @7pm from the 2nd  
Nov until the 12th Nov**

**Love**  
**IS**  
**the**  
**greatest**

1 Cor. 13:13

## Saints of the Week



**24<sup>th</sup> October St. Anthony Mary Claret 1807-1870**

Founded the Claretians in Spain for missionary work; Archbishop of Santiago, Cuba; returned as chaplain to the Queen of Spain, and built schools and museums, before being exiled with the monarchy.

**25<sup>th</sup> October Bl. Thaddeus**

### McCarthy

Was born in 1455. His appointment as Bishop of Ross was opposed and Innocent VIII then appointed him bishop of Cork and Cloyne. He set out as a humble pilgrim to Rome where he was confirmed as bishop of Cork and Cloyne. On his return journey in 1492 he died at Ivrea in Italy.

**25<sup>th</sup> October English Martyrs**

**27<sup>th</sup> October St Otteran**

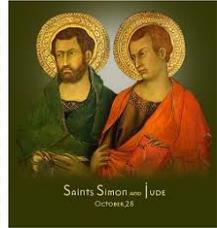


**28<sup>th</sup> October Sts. Simon and Jude**

Both were Apostles. The name of Simon is placed eleventh in the list of Apostles.

Nothing is known of him except that he was born at Cana and was known as the Zealot. Jude, also known as Thaddaeus, was the apostle who, at the Last Supper, asked the Lord why he showed himself only to his

disciples and not to the world (John 14:22). Jude's help is frequently invoked by students facing examinations. He is the patron of hopeless cases.



**29<sup>th</sup> October St. Colman Patron of Kilmacduagh**

Hailed from Kilmacduagh, Gort, Co. Galway in the seventh century. He had studied in Aran under the guidance of St Enda, where he founded two churches on Inis Mhór. His cousin, King Guaire, King of Connaught gave Colman the land to build his Monastery. He was appointed the Abbot and first Bishop of the diocese. He resigned his see to return to a hermit's life near the Burren. He died around the year 630 and was buried in the grounds of the Monastery. In later generations the Tower was built. It tilts and it is the tallest tower in Ireland. The Diocese is the only one that carries the name of its founder, Kilmacduagh, *The Church of The Son of Duagh*. The diocese were recognized in the Synod of Kells, 1152. It remained separate until 1751 when it was united with Kilfenora for the next 119 years until the last bishop of Kilmacduagh died Patrick Fallon. The Bishop of Galway, was made Administrator of the two Dioceses and in 1883 the new Diocese of Galway, Kilmacduagh and Apostolic Administrator of Kilfenora came into existence.



**Seamount College Kinvara Co Galway**  
Catholic Voluntary Secondary School  
**Applications** are now open for Prospective  
First Year 2021 Students  
[www.seamountcollege.ie](http://www.seamountcollege.ie) for Admission  
Statement and Application form

### COVID-19 Support Line for Older People

ALONE manage a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to the outbreak of COVID-19 (Coronavirus). Professional staff are available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary. The support line is open seven days a week, 8am - 8pm, by calling 0818 222 024.

Self-care is  
so important.  
When you take  
time to replenish  
your spirit,  
it allows you to  
serve others  
from the overflow.  
You cannot serve  
from an  
empty vessel.

- Eleanor Brown

### God's Breaking Point

Every parent, no matter how patient, has a breaking point. Even a parent who can tolerate endless noise and outrageous disobedience from his children will finally blow up when his breaking point is reached. In the [First Reading](#), God tells us what his breaking point is. It has to do with those people who are aliens and orphans.

Let us join with God in losing all patience with those who afflict God's hopeless or homeless children.

Some people live as strangers in a strange land; they are aliens in their own communities. And some people lack love and care. They are like orphans, alone, without a home. You might suppose that these aliens and orphans are easy to recognize. They are the ones without money, or the ones without a family, you might think. But there you would be mistaken. People rarely are so transparent. There can be aliens and orphans among the rich and powerful, just as there can be much loved and cared for people who live among the poor. You just don't know.

But here is what we do know, from the [First Reading](#). If something you do makes someone, who lives as an orphan or an alien, cry to God in their suffering, God will lose all patience with you. He will blow up at you, and sooner or later you will know what it is to have made God angry at you.

This ought to be a very alarming prospect to us.

But what is the point of this thought? Is it to make us always anxious and scared of God? No, of course not! What good would we be to anyone in that condition?

The point is rather to make us watchful of the way in which we treat any one of God's children. Let us look at each person who crosses our path, each one, rich or poor, obnoxious or likeable, as under the protection of the God who is Father in Heaven to us all. Let us make sure that we do not cause any person to cry to God by what we say or do to him. And let us join with God in losing all patience with those who afflict God's hopeless or homeless children. Then what we will know is not the wrath of the Lord, but the joy that comes from being with God in his love.



19/10/20

Numbers: 2, 4, 5, 14  
Jackpot: €3,900

Winner: Aidan Barrett Match 3's: Elaine  
Tannian Promoter: Mary Cooney  
Next Week's Jackpot: €2,000

**Clocks will go  
back on  
25 October  
at 2am**