

The Parish of Ardrahan, Kilchreest & Peterswell

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Items for newsletter to be in by 12.00 noon on Friday

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Mass Times for the Parishes

Ardrahan -Saturday 6.00pm

Kilchreest-CastleDaly Saturday 7.30pm Alternative weekends

Peterswell - Sunday - 9.30am

Ardrahan - Sunday 11.00am

Weekday Mass Ardrahan

9.00am Mon-Tue - Thur - Fri

Summer Office Hours

Monday 10am - 3pm Tuesday 10am - 1pm Thursday 10am - 1pm 10am - 3pm Friday Mass can be viewed on line

Kilchreest-Ardrahan – Parish Website

Baptisms

Ardrahan 1 & 3rd Weekend Kilchreest-CastleDaly 2nd Weekend Peterswell 4th Weekend

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

No extra Masses on Sunday with the exception of a funeral



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Anniversaries



Ardrahan Sat 7th October 6pm

Bridget 'Deila' Burke Paddy & John Furey Sonny & Mary Gardiner

Kilchreest Sat 7th October 7.30

Fr Paddy Togher Patrick Larkin, May Donoghue Malonev Miko, Maureen & Richie Kelly

Peterswell Sun 8th Oct 9:30 am

Fr Patrick Geraghty Phil Murphy John & Mary Holland

Ardrahan Sun 8th Oct 11:00am

Sean Finnegan and Deceased family members

Thomas & Michael Connolly

Ardrahan Sat 14th October 6pm

Sheila & John Moylan Jennifer Whiriskey Alfie, Kathleen & Anna Kelly

Kilchreest Sat 14th October 7.30

Padraig Fahy Patrick & Mary Niland

Peterswell Sun 15th Oct 9:30 am

Tom Hehir

Mattie O'Donnell Bridget & Michael Deeley

Ardrahan Sun 15th Oct 11:00am

Available

Ardrahan Sat Readers Oct

7th Shauna Gardiner 14th Michael John Helly 21st Annabelle O'Flynn 28th Rebecca Gardiner Ardrahan Sun readers Oct

Ardrahan Ministers Oct

7th St Brendan 1st St Clare 14th St Ciaran 15th St Bridget 21st Kevin 22nd St Enda 28th St Brendan 29th St

Peterswell Readers Oct

1st Sarah Mulkerins 8th\15th Mary Fitzgerald 22\29th John Neylon

Eucharist Ministers Oct

1st Sarah Mulkerins 8\15th Maresa Burke 22\29th Rosemary Murray

1st St Enda, 8th Ita, 15th Colman 22th St Enda 29th St Ita

CastleDaly Readers Oct

Frank Moylan

CastleDaly Ministers Oct John Niland & Declan Shevlin

CastleDaly Altar Society Oct Mary Fahy & Noreen Fahy

Servers

14th St Colman 28th St Attracta,

Kilchreest Ministers Oct

Michael Coy

Readers Yvonne McGlynn

Servers 7th St Anne

21st St Brendan

Synod Assembly October 2023 Please remember in your prayers Pope Francis and those who are gathering in Rome during the month of October for the Universal Synod. Pray that the Holy Spirit will guide them in their deliberations as they try to listen to discern what God is asking of his People – the Church today. Prayer for the Synod During the Month of October Loving Father, Lord of all ages. God of all peoples. Through your Son, Jesus Christ, you have called us by name. You have gathered us into the family of the Church. Send forth your Holy Spirit upon us. Inspire Pope Francis and all those who are assembled in Rome at this time. Open their hearts to your voice. Help them to recognise how best to respond to your call. Give us a new heart and a new spirit. Strengthen our faith. Renew your Church. Inspire us to work for a world where love abounds, justice reigns, and peace prevails. With Mother Mary by our side. All this we ask of you. Amen. I thank you for your cooperation



Saints of the week

9th October Sts. Denis. Rusticus and

Eleutherius They were beheaded and thrown into the Seine in 258 and later buried at Montmartre. Denis, the first Bishop of Paris, is one of the patrons of France.

9th October BI John Henry Newman

John Henry Newman, the 19th century's most important English-speaking Roman Catholic theologian, spent the first half of his life as an Anglican and the second half as a Roman Catholic. He was a priest, popular preacher, writer and eminent theologian in both Churches. Born in London, England, he studied at



Oxford's Trinity College, was a tutor at Oriel College and for 17 years was vicar of the university church, St. Mary the Virgin. He eventually published eight volumes of *Parochial and Plain Sermons* as well as two novels. His poem, "Dream of Gerontius," was set to music by Sir Edward Elgar. After 1833, Newman was a prominent member of the Oxford Movement, which emphasized the Church's debt to the Church Fathers and challenged any tendency to consider truth as completely subjective. Historical research made Newman suspect that the Roman Catholic Church was in closest continuity with the Church that Jesus established. In 1845, he was received into full communion as a Catholic. Two years later he was ordained a Catholic priest in Rome and joined the Congregation of the Oratory, founded three centuries earlier by St. Philip Neri. Returning to England, Newman founded Oratory houses in Birmingham and London and for seven years served as rector of the Catholic University of Ireland. Pope Benedict XVI beatified Newman on September 19, 2010, at Crofton Park (near Birmingham). The pope noted Newman's emphasis on the vital place of revealed religion in civilized society but also praised his pastoral zeal for the sick, the poor, the bereaved and those in prison.

9th October St. John Leonardi, 1541-1609

Supported the reforms of Trent, published a catechism, helped to found the Propagation of the Faith in Rome.



Was born in C. Derry around 527 and died in 603. Though his people were poor he studied at Clonard under Finnian and at Glasnevin



under Mobhi. A deep friendship developed between himself and Colum Cille, with whom he worked for a time in Scotland, where he set up a number of church-

13th Edward the Confessor Edward the Confessor was the son of King Ethelred III and his Norman wife, Emma. King Canute invaded England and took the throne. Edward remained in Normandy, was brought up a Norman, and in 1042, on the death of Canute he was acclaimed king of England. His reign was a peaceful one characterized by his good rule and remission of heavy taxes and he was good to his people. The struggle between Saxon and Norman was to be the predominant issue of Edwards reign. During the crises Edward became more interested in religious affairs and built St. Peter's Abbey at Westminster, the site of the present Abbey, where he is buried. His piety gained him the surname "the Confessor". He died in London on January 5, and he was canonized in 1161 by Pope Alexander III.



3, 5, 21, 13 Jackpot: €4,000 No Winner

Match 3's:

Pauline Connaire, Laura Madden, Noel Martyn, Mattie Forde Promoter: Patrick Burke Next Week's Jackpot: €4.100

11,14,25 32 .

Match 3 ;

Mick Curley .

Sellers Prize ;

Sheila Forde.

Jackpot Winner;

None.

Next Week's

Jackpot is

€8,300

Weekly Offering's

Ardrahan €835 Kilchreest €485 Peterswell €251 Thank You for your



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- Gort parent and toddler group meets every Friday morning (term-time) from 10-11.30 at the ICA Hall on Bolands Lane in Gort. All welcome from 0 -4yrs
- To all who contributed to The Hospice Coffee morning in the Studio a sincere thank you. You donated the amazing amount of €1205. Aisling and Phil.
- Creative Writing Workshops for Children 7-12yrs; Sat 21st & Sun 22nd October; 10-1pm or 2-5pm both days; Ardilaun Hotel, Taylor's Hill, Galway; €60. Small groups; Contact Niamh 086 3623971
- Tusla, the Child and Family Agency are currently seeking Foster Carers in Galway City and County. There will be an information session on Wednesday the 18th of October from 10.30am to 12pm in the Tusla Building, Loughrea H62 XR82. If you are interested in becoming a foster carer, please feel free to pop in where our team will be delighted to give you all the information you need and answer any questions you may have. You can also freephone on 1800226771 or visit Fostering.ie to attend one of many online information sessions.

"If you obey all the rules, you miss all the fun.".

"You were born to be a player. ...

"Life is not what you alone make it. ...

"When you reach the end of your rope, tie a knot and hang out." —"

Never regret anything that made you smile.