



The Parish of Ardahan - 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

Ardahan -Saturday 6.00pm

Alternative Weekends

Kilchreest-Castledaly
Saturday 7.30pm

Peterswell - Sunday - 9.30am

Ardahan - Sunday 11.00am
Mass can be viewed on line

[Weekday Mass Ardahan](#)
9.00am Mon-Tue - Thur - Fri

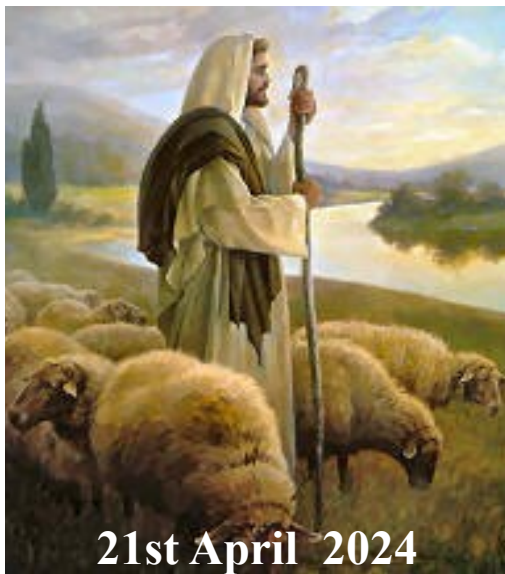
Office Hours

Monday 10am - 3pm
Tuesday 10am - 1pm
Thursday 10am - 1pm
Friday 10am - 3pm

Baptisms

Ardahan 1 & 3rd Weekend
Kilchreest-Castledaly
2nd Weekend
Peterswell 4th Weekend

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



4th of Easter

21st April 2024

Anniversaries

Ardahan Sat 20th April 06.00pm

Molly & Michael Whelan
Elizabeth Thompson

Kilchreest Sat 20th April 07.30pm

Mikey Tom & Sabina Deeley
Mary & Denise Carty, Jack Connors

Peterswell Sun 21st April 09.30am

Special Intentions
Ardahan Sun 21st April 11.00am
Fr John Considine Mickey Glynn
Eddie & Nora Burke and DFM

Ardahan Sat 27th April 06.00pm

Bridget & Thomas Kilkelly
Grata & Michael Roche

Castledaly Sat 27th April 07.30pm

Rosario Brennan
Bob, Nellie & Gerard Kelly

Peterswell Sun 28th April 09.30am

Paddy Kearns
Michael & Christina McGinty and
DFM

Ardahan Sun 28th April 11.00am

Mattie & Bridie Coen and John Coen
Stephen O'Shea, Martin & Kathleen
Keane and DFM

Please pray for the repose of the soul
of Micheal Sylver, late of Rathbane,
who died in London. RIP

Ardahan Sat Readers for April

20th Mary Roche
27th Michael J Helly

Sun Readers for April

21st Cara Giblin,
28th Margaret Divilly
Ardahan Ministers for April
20th Martha Dunne, Danny McConnell
21st Pat Murphy, Mary Helly
27th Padraig Broder, Annette Nelly
28th John & Angela Andrews

Servers

3th St Brendan, 14th St Bridget, 20th
St Ciaran, 21st St Enda

Kilchreest Ministers for April

Martin Fahy
Readers for April

Collette Kelly

Servers

April 6th St Anne 20th St Brendan

Castledaly Readers for April

Aine Brady

Castledaly Ministers for April

Mary Kelly & Mary Burke

Castledaly Altar Society

Margaret Slattery, Kellie Egan

Servers

13th St Ita 27th St Colman

Peterswell Readers April

21st\28th Lorraine Burke

5th\12th Sarah Mulkerins

Eucharist Ministers April

21st\28th Lorraine Burke

5th\12th Sarah Mulkerins

Servers

7th St Enda, 14th St Ita, 21st St
Nicholas, 28th St Colman

Pope Francis releases his message for the **61st World Day of Prayer for Vocations**, and urges Christians to welcome our shared vocation to sow the seeds of hope and peace in our world. The Holy Father noted that all Christians are called to welcome our God-given vocation to serve Him in the world, whether it be through the consecrated life, the priesthood, marriage, or even as a single person.

Gratitude, he said, should characterize World Vocations Day celebrations, as we recall the countless Christians who serve God in all walks of life. He especially invited young people to make room for God, so that they might find happiness in His call, which always respects our freedom. "Let Jesus draw you to Himself," said the Pope. "Bring Him your important questions by reading the Gospels; let Him challenge you by His presence, which always provokes in us a healthy crisis." "we are called to listen to one another and to journey together in order to acknowledge them and to Discern where the Spirit is leading us for the benefit of all."

The Pope also urged everyone to pray for vocations to the priesthood and religious life, so that the Lord may "send out labourers into His harvest." As the Church prepares for the Jubilee with a Year of Prayer, Christians should engage daily in a prayer that listens for the voice of God and helps us become "pilgrims of hope and builders of peace"



Saints of the Week

21st St Anselm Piedmont Italy, he entered the Benedictine Monastery in Asto Italy, but under pressure from his father he left and after a difficult period of time as a young man he fled to France and entered a monastery Bec, France. He later became the abbot, his reputation for preaching grew, and he also reformed the monastery. He wrote many great works of theology during this period. He was appointed

as archbishop of Canterbury, he had to go into exile on two occasions because of disputes between Rome and London. He died in 1109.

23rd. St George. Died as a martyr in Palestine he is honoured in both the Eastern (Greek and Russian Orthodox) and Western Church (Roman Catholic). The knowledge of the saint reached England in 7th Cent. But the popularity of the saint reached new heights because of the crusades. Richard the Lionheart put his army under the protection of George, before the battle, which the English army was victorious. The Saint was again connected with an English Victory when at the battle of Agincourt. During Henry V's speech he invoked George. He was venerated as patron of England. During the Reformation his popularity diminished and devotion to him was discouraged.



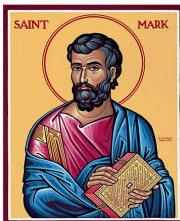
23rd April St Adalbert of Prague Adalbert, bishop and martyr, born 956, after being bishop of Prague, went as a missionary among the Prussians on the Polish coast where he was martyred in 997.

24th April. St Fidelis

Franciscan Capuchin martyr. He was born Mark Rey in Sigmaringen, Germany, in 1577. A practicing lawyer, he traveled across Europe as a tutor to aristocrats but then started defending the poor. In 1612, he became a Franciscan Capuchin monk, taking the name of Fidelis. A missionary to the



Calvinists in Switzerland, Fidelis was stabbed to death. He was canonized by Pope Benedict 14th 1746.



25th St. Mark Was closely connected with the preaching of Sts Peter, Paul and Barnabas. His Gospel was probably written in Rome when he was with Paul, and is traditionally viewed as representing St. Peter's approach to the preaching of the good news. Later tradition has him as an interpreter for St. Peter. His symbol is

a winged lion.



POPE FRANCIS PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

LORD of the Harvest,
BLESS young people with the gift of courage to respond to your call. Open their hearts to great ideals, to great things.

INSPIRE all of your disciples to mutual love and giving - for vocations blossom in the good soil of faithful people.

INSTIL those in religious life, parish ministries, and families with the confidence and grace to invite others to embrace the bold and noble path of a life consecrated to you.

UNITE us to Jesus through prayer and sacrament, so that we may cooperate with you in building your reign of mercy and truth, of justice and peace. AMEN.

4, 17, 26, 8



Jackpot: €2,400
No winner
Match 3's: St. Thomas' Camogie Club, Mauve Thompson, Tommy, Marie, Emma & Zara Keane
Promoter: Mary Cooney
Next Week's Jackpot: €2,500

15, 18, 27, 31.



Match 3 ; Jack & Holly Kennedy
Sellers Prize ; Michael John Cannon
Jackpot Winner ; None
Next Weeks Jackpot €3,300

Weekly Offering's

Ardrahan € 705
Kilchreest €185
Peterswell €350 TROCAIRE €205
Thank You for your Support

National Pilgrimage for Life The first *National Pilgrimage for Life*, organised by the Council for Life of the Irish Catholic Bishops' Conference, will be celebrated on Saturday 4th May in Knock Shrine with Mass at 3.00pm in the Basilica. Anointing of the Sick will take place during Mass. Main celebrant and homilist will be Archbishop Francis Duffy. We invite you to join us in Knock to celebrate the gift of life and to pray for the protection of all human life.

- Have you ever dreamed of walking the Camino. Join the MSC Missions as we walk the shaded lanes and valleys of the **Camino Ingles** walking from Ferrol to Santiago in Northern Spain from the 29th July to 5th August 2024. The temperature in this part of northern Spain in July is perfect for walking, like a balmy summer day in Ireland. For more details of this fundraising pilgrimage ring Mary at 021 454 6691 or email mary.morrish@mscmissions.ie
- **Kiltiernan National School** Kiltiernan, Kilcolgan Are looking for a School Caretaker. The position would be for 15 hours per month. Please contact the school for details. Phone 091 635000

Congratulations to all who made their Confirmation during the week

