

THE HOOK OF FAITH ZOOM CONFERENCE

The team at 'The Hook of Faith' (www.thehookoffaith.com) are pleased to announce a Zoom Conference for the month of October that focuses on 'EVANGELISING IRISH CULTURE TODAY'. Each session will be led by an expert speaker followed by 10 mins of Q and A. Each session will begin at 8pm. We hope that as many as possible participate in this event for the missionary month of October. Speakers next week are:

Tues. 20 Oct, Mission and Family, Bairbre Cahill

Thurs 22 Oct, Mission and Media, Breda O'Brien

RATHVILLY G.A.A. CLUB

Lotto Results: No Jackpot winner. Numbers drawn 2-8-14-26

Match 3 win or share €150

Bernie Molloy Ricketstown 2-8-14-28

Robbie Molloy

Dorothy Byrne Slaney Bank 2-8-10-14

Collette & Helen

Fiona Corcoran Monovote 8-14-17-26

On Line winner

Promoters Prize €20 Mary Kehoe

Next draw 20 Oct. 2020 in Club House. **Jackpot €10,000**

SEEING YOUR LIFE THROUGH THE LENS OF THE GOSPEL

18 October 2020 • Mission Sunday

1. The story sees a mixture of religion and politics, a potentially explosive combination. Jesus does not ask us to avoid politics, but that our involvement in the affairs of the world be informed by the perspective of the Reign of God. How does the gospel give you a vision of how your involvement in society should be?

2. Pharisees and Herodians were not natural allies but a shared dislike of Jesus brought them together in an attempt to discredit him. Perhaps you experience the same opposition in society today when you profess to being a Catholic. Jesus did not get into an argument with them but simply professed his belief in the priority of God in his life. What have you found helpful in bearing witness to the fact that you are still a Catholic?

3. Jesus recognises that we can be faced with conflicting claims for attention. He does not tell us how to solve that dilemma, but challenges us to make sure that our allegiance to God takes priority. When have you been faced with a conflict of loyalties? What helped you to get your priorities right?

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RATHVILLY KILTEGAN PARISH

NEWSLETTER

St. Brigid's

Talbotstown

17th & 18th October, 2020

St. Patrick's

Rathvilly

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

The Assumption

Tynock

ANNIVERSARY MASSES

Sat/Sun, 17th & 18th October

Thomas Donovan, Rathdangan

Frank Fitzpatrick, Mount Kelly

Bridie, John & Terry Doyle and deceased members of the Doyle Family, Coolmanagh

Sat/Sun, 24th & 25th October

Months Mind Mass for Peter Gahan, Kevin Barry Road on Saturday, 24th October

Months Mind Mass for Joan Sibbald, Kevin Barry Road on Saturday, 24th October

ANNIVERSARY MASSES

Kathleen & Ned Kelly, Rathmore

Frank Balfe

MASSES THIS WEEK – will be celebrated behind Closed Doors

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday – Mass 9.30 a.m.

Friday – Mass at 7.30 p.m. Rosary before Mass each day.

ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH IS OPEN DAILY FOR QUIET PRAYER

Monday – Thursday – 10.00 a.m. – 5.00 p.m. Friday – 10 a.m. – 7 p.m.

Saturday – 10.00 am. 5.00 p.m. Sunday – 12 Noon – 5.00 p.m.

- Please use hand sanitiser when entering and leaving the Church.
- Please use one way system and follow the signs.
- Please adhere to social distance and wear a face covering.
- Please do not sit in the restricted areas.
- **Seats at the front of the Church is an unrestricted area.**

THE CHURCH IS OPEN FOR EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Thursday – 10.00 a.m. – 11.00 a.m. Friday – 6.00 p.m. – 7.00 p.m.

AN ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.

I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally,

come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You.

Never permit me to be separated from You. **Amen.**

WEEKEND COLLECTIONS – Sat/Sun, 10th & 11th October, 2020

We thank our parishioners who left in Weekly Envelopes of €185 during the week. Any financial contribution you can make will be very much appreciated. You can also make your donation to the parish by electronic banking. You can contact the Parish Office for details or log on to the Diocesan Website www.kandle.ie

Donation Buttons on KandLe Website: There are now two electronic 'Donate Buttons' on the front page of the diocesan website www.kandle.ie. The first button is called '**Parish Collections**'. This button allows a donor to donate to any of our parishes towards the Weekly Collection or the Clergy Collection. The second button is called '**Diocesan Collections**'. This allows the donor to support any of our Diocesan appeals and they are listed: Retired Priests, Vocations, Missions, Faith Development, Peter's Pence, Youth Ministry and Trócaire.

FR CRISTIAN PISTA

Thank you for the donations for Fr. Cristian Pista. To date €230 was collected and will be sent to him at the end of October. His Parish called 'Saint John Paul II' will be inaugurated this Sunday.

MISSION SUNDAY 2020

World Mission Sunday takes place this weekend. With Masses being held in empty Churches the collection will suffer. Overseas Missionaries are in urgent crisis. Their task is to serve the poor. You can donate by sending in your Mission Envelope or to donate €4 to their life-giving work please **text MISSION to 50300** or you can donate on the Diocesan website. The Diocesan Donate Button on www.kandle.ie have a specific "**Missions**" collection option you can select from the dropdown list. You can view the World Mission Sunday 2020 video on www.wmi.ie. Thank you for all you make possible.

LOCAL RADIO MASS

KCLR (Kilkenny Carlow Local Radio) are broadcasting Sunday Mass at 9.30am on October 18, 25 and November 1. The frequencies for KCLR station are 96.6FM and 96.9FM. Bishop Denis is the celebrant this Sunday, 18th October.

NATIONWIDE PRAYER SERVICE

A Prayer Service for those who died during Covid 19 will take place in all Cathedrals and Churches on Sunday, 1st November at 3.00 p.m. and can be viewed on the Church webcam.

VIEW ALL MASSES AND PRAYERS ON OUR WEBSITE - www.rathvillykilteganparish.ie/our-parish/webcam/

The Irish Catholic Newspaper is available each week at €2 each

GOSPEL READINGS – 18th – 25th October, 2020

Sunday: Jn 17: 11, 17-23 Mon: Lk 12: 13-21 Tues: Lk 12: 35-38
Wed: Lk 12: 39-48 Thurs: Lk 12: 49-53 Fri: Lk 12: 54-59
Sat: Lk 13: 1-9 Sunday: Mt 22: 34-40

All the Sunday and Daily Mass Readings can be accessed from our website.

ZOOM FAMILY ROSARY

In this month of October the 'Zoom Family Rosary' is an online meeting place where families from Ireland and other parts of the world can pray the Rosary together, using mobile phones, tablets, laptops and desktop computers. Download the Zoom app and sign up for free. Once you are signed up click on the link: <http://bit.ly/ZoomFamilyRosary> which will bring you to a web page where you can register. Once registered, you will receive a return email with a clickable link to 'Join'. This link will bring you to the 'Zoom Family Rosary'. Use this link each Saturday to join in the online Rosary.

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.

SLANEY ROVERS A.F.C.

LOTTO - No jackpot winner. Winning numbers were 10 - 13 - 21 - 26
Match Three: win or share €150

Tom Clarke, Waterstown Brigid Harmon, Kiltegan
Teresa Byrne c/o Martin Curran Eithne O'Connor Waterstown
Joe Lawlor, Woodgrove Avenue, Rathvilly
Promoter's prize was won by Gabriel Deering.

Next draw for jackpot of **€11,300** draw will take place in the Parish Meeting Room, Monday 19th October at 8pm.

Tickets are on sale in Bruno's, Mace and the Post Office, as well as online <https://clubforce.com> Thank you for all your support

Results from Slaney Rovers Golf Classic Fundraiser

1st Gavin Wynne's Team 113 pts; 2nd Diarmuid Cronin's Team 111 pts;
3rd Declan Kennedy's Team 106 pts. Longest Drive: Mark Ashton.
Nearest To Pin: Adrian Gahan. Many thanks to our sponsors:
Baltinglass Golf Club; Kilkea Castle Golf Club; Coolattin Golf Club and JF Sports.
And a big thank you to all who participated on the day.

Club will be running a nursery every Saturday, starting at 9.30 a.m. on the soccer pitch. All kids from 4-6 years old welcome.