

MILFORD & KERRYKEEL NEWSLETTER

Sunday 15th December 2024 - Third Sunday of Advent

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| Date | Time | Church | Intention |
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| Saturday 14th | 6:00pm | Milford | Thomas Mc Ginley Month's Mind Mass |
| Sunday 15th | 9:30am | Kerrykeel | Martha Ward Anniversary Mass |
| Sunday 15th | 11:00am | Milford | Paul Giles Anniversary Mass |
| Tuesday 17th | 10:00am | Milford | Frank Hannigan Anniversary Mass |
| Wednesday 18th | 9:00am 9:30am | Kerrykeel | Confessions Before Mass Christmas Mass Card Intentions |
| Thursday 19th | 10:00am | Milford | Christmas Mass Card Intentions |
| Friday 20th | 7:00pm | Milford | Jean Conlon Anniversary Mass (Please Note Time) Confessions After Mass from 7:20pm - 7:50pm. |
| Saturday 21st | 6:00pm | Milford | Michael Doherty Anniversary Mass |
| Sunday 22nd | 9:30am | Kerrykeel | Christmas Mass Card Intentions |
| Sunday 22nd | 11:00am | Milford | Cathal Mc Taggart Anniversary Mass |

Weekly Collections

St Peter's, Milford:

€1,550:00

Development Fund: €370:00

Our Lady of Lourdes, Kerrykeel:

€205:00

Thank you for your generosity
and continued support.



Recently Deceased



Thomas Mc Ginley, whose Month's Mind Mass takes place in St Peter's Church, Milford this weekend.

Gerard Fleming, whose 1st Anniversary occurs at this time.

Anniversaries:

Martha Ward, Paul Giles, Desmond Toyne, Frank Hannigan,
Jean Conlon & Hugh Mc Fadden.

Eternal Rest Grant unto them O Lord

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

St Peter's Church Milford:

Thursdays 10am-10pm

Directed Holy Hour takes place
on the second Thursday of
every month from 9pm-10pm.



Our Lady of Lourdes
Church Kerrykeel:

Wednesday 10am - 12 Noon

A Blessing for The Christmas Tree in The Home

God of all creation,
we praise you for this tree
which brings beauty and memories
and the promise of life to our home.

May your blessing be upon
all who gather around this tree,
all who keep the Christmas festival by its lights.
We wait for the coming of the Christ,
the days of everlasting justice and of peace.
You are our God, living and reigning,
forever and ever. Amen.



Anniversaries

Anyone wishing to book an Anniversary Mass or have a name included in the Weekend Newsletter Anniversary List over the Christmas and New Year Period, please contact the Parish Office on 074 9153236 or email milfordkerrykeel@gmail.com before 10am on Thursday 19th December.

Christmas 2024 Mass Times

St Peter's Church, Milford:

Christmas Eve: 4:00pm & 9:00pm

Christmas Day: 11:00am

Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Kerrykeel:

Christmas Eve: 6:00pm

Christmas Day: 9:30am



Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Kerrykeel

A sincere word of thanks to all those who helped with the cleaning of Our lady of Lourdes Church on Monday evening, your help was greatly appreciated. Fr Stephen.

Children's Nativity Play

Children's Nativity Play in St Peter's Church, Milford at the 4pm Mass on Christmas Eve. A meeting will take place in preparation for our Children's Nativity in St Peter's Church at 11:30am on Sunday 15th December, directly after Mass. All children who were involved are asked to please come along to the meeting. A Parent or Guardian must accompany the child to the meeting.

Christmas Confessions

Our Lady of Lourdes Kerrykeel Wednesday 18th 9:00am

St Peter's Milford Friday 20th December 7:20pm - 7:50pm

St Mary's Ramelton Friday 20th December 8pm

St Eunan's Cathedral, Letterkenny Christmas Confessions

Wednesday 18th December: 10.30am - 12 Noon and 7.30pm

Thursday 19th December: 10.30am - 12 Noon and 7.30pm

Friday 20th December: 10.30am - 12 Noon and 7.30pm

Saturday 21st December: 10.30am - 5pm and 7pm

Sunday 22nd December: 2.30pm - 5pm

Monday 23rd December: 10.30 am - 1pm and 7pm

If there is a Funeral Mass at 11am on any of the above dates

Confessions will be from 12 Noon - 1 pm.

Milford Care of the Aged - Christmas Lunch

Milford Care of the Aged is having a Christmas Lunch in The Travellers Inn on Saturday the 21st of December at 2pm. Cost is €15 per person. Please contact either Helen on 086 894 2533 or Fiona on 087 6870682 to book a place. All are welcome. Looking forward to seeing you there.



Parish Office

The Parish Office will Close on Friday 20th December at 1pm and will reopen on Monday 7th January at 10am.

Newsletter Notices

Anyone wishing to have a notice included in the Weekly Newsletter please contact the Parish Office on 074 9153236 or email milfordkerrykeel@gmail.com before 11am on a Thursday.



Baptisms in the Parish

Friday 20th December at 3pm in St Peter's Church, Milford.

St. Vincent de Paul: Please call us in confidence on 086 0611040

St Peter's Church, Milford Minister's of The Word

Saturday 21st December: Oliver Gallagher

Sunday 22nd December: Sammy Greene

Minister's of The Eucharist

Saturday 21st December: Patrick Sweeney

Sunday 22nd December: Colm Mc Gettigan

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Our Lady of Lourdes Church Minister's of The Word

Sunday 22nd December:

Cabrini Friel

Minister's of The Eucharist

Sunday 22nd December:

Regina Mc Gettigan

Milford United Bumper Christmas 50/50 Draw

Milford United Bumper Christmas 50/50 Draw takes place on Sunday 29th December and Tickets are on sale from usual outlets, Tickets are priced at €5 each or 3 for €10. All support for this important fundraiser is much appreciated.