


MILFORD & KERRYKEEL NEWSLETTER

18th February 2024: The First Sunday of Lent


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Date	Time	Church	Intention
Saturday 17th	6:00pm	Kerrykeel	Mary Mc Nulty Anniversary Mass
Saturday 17th	7:30pm	Milford	Tommy Mc Gettigan 1st Anniversary Mass
Sunday 18th	11:00am	Milford	Brid & Hugo Duggan Anniversary Mass
Monday 19th	6:30pm	Kerrykeel	Lent Mass
Tuesday 20th	10:00am	Milford	Lent Mass
Wednesday 21st	10:00am	Milford	Lent Mass
Wednesday 21st	6:30pm	Kerrykeel	Eddie & Nora Mc Brearty Anniversary Mass
Thursday 22nd	10:00am	Milford	Lent Mass
Friday 23rd	10:00am	Milford	Lent Mass
Saturday 24th	6:00pm	Kerrykeel	Mary & James Mc Laughlin Anniversary Mass
Saturday 24th	7:30pm	Milford	Patrick Griffin Anniversary Mass
Sunday 25th	11:00am	Milford	Anthony & Paul Peoples Anniversary Mass

 **Pope Francis @Pontifex**
Prayer is not an escape from our duties. It helps us accomplish the good we are required to do, here and now.

Weekly Collections
St Peter's, Milford: €1,320:00
Development Fund: €425:00
Our Lady of Lourdes, Kerrykeel: €260:00
Thank you for your generosity and continued support.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
St Peter's Church:
Thursdays 10am–10pm
Directed Holy Hour takes place every Thursday during Lent from 9pm-10pm.

Our Lady of Lourdes Church:
Wednesdays 10am–12 Noon

✠ Recently Deceased ✠

Brendan Mc Laughlin, whose Funeral took place in England last week. Brother of Margaret Mc Bride, Main Street, Milford & Celia Kerr, Calhame, Letterkenny.

Kathleen Friel, Gortnavern, whose ashes were interred in Tully Cemetery on Wednesday.


Tommy Mc Gettigan, whose 1st Anniversary Mass takes place in St Peter's Church, Milford this weekend.

Anniversaries:

Mary Mc Nulty, Brid & Hugo Duggan, Eddie & Nora Mc Brearty, Paul Peoples, Maggie Ferry, Nellie Mc Goldrick & Margaret Mc Crossan.

Eternal Rest Grant unto them O Lord

Trócaire Lenten Campaign
Trócaire Boxes are available for collection at the back of both Churches.



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



Mass of Thanksgiving

There will be a Mass of Thanksgiving with Bishop Mc Guckian on Monday 26th February at 7pm in St. Eunan's Cathedral, Letterkenny, to mark his departure from the Diocese. We hope that people from all across the Diocese will participate. Mass will be followed by refreshments at Loreto Secondary School, behind the Cathedral. If you would like to help with practicalities or by preparing baked goods, please contact Mary on 086 0870446.

Active Retirement Ireland

Milford and District set up meeting Tuesday 27th 10:30am-12pm Gallowglass Centre. Reaching out to older people 55-100+, organising a range of activities from coffee mornings to holidays, both home and abroad. Come and join. Ring Emma 086 770 7586 or contact Milford Resource Centre.

Mary's Meals

Mary's Meals Countywide Church Gate Collection
Saturday 2nd & Sunday 3rd March
€22.00 feeds a child for a full school year.

Donation to St Peter's Church

I would like to acknowledge a donation received this week of €450 towards St Peter's Church, Milford. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.

Alone Donegal

Alone Donegal needs your support: Would you be willing to visit or make friendly calls to Older People once a week, for 1 hour? ALONE are seeking volunteers in your area to help older people who'd like extra social contact. Full training and support provided. If interested, please sign up here: <https://alone.ie/volunteers/> For more information, contact Helena on Helena.madden@alone.ie or call 086 0145829 or 074-9321598.

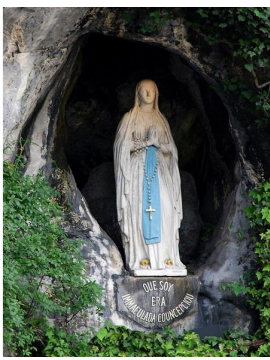
Directed Holy Hour

Would you like to do something special for Lent?
A Directed Holy Hour takes place every Thursday during Lent in the Oratory of St Peter's Church Milford, from 9pm - 10pm. All are welcome.

The Raphoe Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 2024

The Raphoe Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 2024 will depart from The City of Derry Airport on Monday 27th May for 4 nights. The Pilgrimage Director is Fr Stephen Gorman. All bookings should be made through Joe Walsh Tours DIRECTLY on 01 2410800.

Anyone wishing to travel with the Special Assisted Section should apply in writing to: Raphoe Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes, Pilgrimage Director, Fr Stephen Gorman, Parochial House, Milford, Co Donegal, F92 W5C8. Email lourdes@raphoediocese.ie or phone 074 9153236 for further information. The Special assisted/sick section is accommodated at the Accueil. Acceptance for travel with the special section for the sick is subject to approval of the Raphoe Pilgrimage Medical Board.



Baptisms in the Parish

Saturday 9th March & Saturday 13th April
St Peter's Church, Milford at 4pm
Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Kerrykeel at 5pm.

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 Thursday.

Anniversaries

Anyone wishing to book an Anniversary Mass or have a name included in the Weekend Newsletter Anniversary List please contact the Parish Office on 074 9153236 or email milfordkerrykeel@gmail.com before 11am on Thursday. If you leave a message your call will be returned and the booking will be confirmed.

St Peter's Church, Milford
Minister's of The Word
Saturday 24th February: Mary Mc Ginley
Sunday 25th February: Winnie Felle
Minister's of The Eucharist
Saturday 24th February: Patrick Sweeney
Sunday 25th February: Sally O' Donnell

Our Lady of Lourdes Church
Minister's of The Word
Saturday 24th February: Kay Mc Grory
Minister's of The Eucharist
Saturday 24th February: Regina Mc Gettigan

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