

MILFORD & KERRYKEEL NEWSLETTER

Sunday 7th July 2024 - The Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Date	Time	Church	Intention
Saturday 6th	6:00pm	Kerrykeel	Michael Mc Laughlin Anniversary Mass
Saturday 6th	7:30pm	Milford	Eddie Shiels Anniversary Mass
Sunday 7th	11:00am	Milford	Sunday Mass
Tuesday 9th	10:00am	Milford	Mary Donohue Anniversary Mass
Wednesday 10th	9:30am	Kerrykeel	Morning Mass
Thursday 11th	10:00am	Milford	Morning Mass
Friday 12th	10:00am	Milford	Morning Mass
Saturday 13th	6:00pm	Kerrykeel	Vigil Mass
Saturday 13th	7:30pm	Milford	Willie & Hannah Peoples Anniversary Mass
Sunday 14th	11:00am	Milford	Lena Duffy Anniversary Mass



Prayer is the driving force of our life.
It can seem like an abstract reality, far from our problems.
Yet, prayer is essential, because we cannot go very far on our own.
We are not all-powerful, and we fail miserably when we think we are.

Weekly Collections

St Peter's, Milford:
€1645:00

Our Lady of Lourdes, Kerrykeel:
€375:00

Thank you for your generosity
and continued support.



Recently Deceased



Anniversaries:

Michael Mc Laughlin, Eddie Shiels,
Mary Donohue, Garry Morris, Sadie Mc Glynn,
Maggie Doherty & Frank Mc Bride

Eternal Rest Grant unto them O Lord

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

St Peter's Church:

Thursdays 10am–10pm

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

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



Keep our Graveyards Clean

While everyone is working hard to have the Cemeteries looking good at all times it would be appreciated if a special effort would be made to have them looking well for the Annual Cemetery Masses in the Parish which will take place in the next few weeks.
Could everyone please ensure that they remove used wreaths and flowers from the graveyard and dispose of them at home.
Thank you for your co-operation.

Pioneer Pilgrimage

The Pioneer Pilgrimage to Knock will take place on Sunday 21st July. Mass at 3pm will be followed by Eucharistic Blessing and Procession to the Shrine. Pioneers along with friends and relations of people who are living "one day at a time" with addiction are welcome.

An Invitation from Our Lady.

Did you know that at this critical time in our world, we have been given a special invitation and specific role to play by Our Lady? The Mother of God *invites* us to participate in a devotion called the **Five First Saturdays**. She told the Fatima Visionary, Sr Lucia that this prayer is a powerful tool with the potential to establish world peace, but, *it depends on our willingness to respond*.

The 4 Conditions for Fulfilling
the Five Consecutive First Saturdays are as follows:

1. Go to **Confession** with the intention of making reparation to the Immaculate Heart of Mary (anytime within 20 days of each First Saturday).
2. Receive **Holy Communion** with the intention of making reparation to the Immaculate Heart of Mary.
3. Pray the **Rosary** (5 decades) with the intention of making reparation to the Immaculate Heart of Mary.
4. Keep Our Lady company for an additional **15 minutes while meditating on the Mysteries of the Rosary** with the intention of making reparation to the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

You are invited to participate in The Five First Saturdays Devotion in Milford Parish, commencing **Saturday 6th July**.

The format will be as follows:

- **7pm Rosary** in St Peter's Church, Oratory
Attend Vigil Mass
- **Immediately after Mass in The Oratory - 15 minutes meditation** to keep Our Lady company, as she requested.
Thank you for your interest and we hope that you will join in this devotion.
For further information please collect the leaflet (on The Five 1st Saturdays) which is available in our chapel.

Reek Sunday - Croagh Patrick

The National Pilgrimage to Croagh Patrick will take place on Sunday 28th July. Masses hourly on the summit from 8:00am - 2:00pm. Confessions 7:30am - 2:00pm. Please check the website at westportparish.ie for further details.

Shrine of Matt Talbot Pilgrimage

A Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Matt Talbot will take place on Sunday 14th July. Buses will leave Kilmacrenan. Anyone interested in booking a seat please contact: Caroline Dorrian on 0876223036 .
The cost of the pilgrimage including refreshments is €50 per person.

Lough Derg Retreat

Fr Stephen is organising a One Day Retreat to Lough Derg on **Saturday 17th August**.
A bus will depart from Milford that morning. Cost including bus is €60 per person. To book please give your name and €30 deposit to Patrick in the Sacristy, to Marie in The Parochial House or Sinead in Kerrykeel.

The Annual Cemetery Masses will take place this year as follows:

Tully Cemetery: Sunday 28th July at 3pm.
Milford Cemetery: Sunday 4th August at 3pm.

Baptisms in the Parish

Sunday 4th August
St Peter's Church, Milford at 11:30am.

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

Saturday 13th July: Liam Ferry
Sunday 14th July: Sarah Ramen
Minister's of The Eucharist
Saturday 13th July: Kathleen Logan
Sunday 14th July: Sally O' Donnell

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Our Lady of Lourdes Church Minister's of The Word

Saturday 13th July:
Kay Mc Grory
Minister's of The Eucharist
Saturday 13th July:
Jacinta Callaghan

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

