

KINSALE GAA - Be sure to save the dates for these great social events!

- On **Friday 8th March**, we will celebrate the success of 2018 in the Blue Haven! Tickets are €20 and include a 2 course sit down meal, followed by music. A limited number of tickets are sale from the Blue Haven reception now!!
- November may seem like a long time away but the Club is already planning our next fundraising event!! Kinsale GAA has plans to take on Hollywood! Watch this space!!!

THANK YOU

Many thanks from SVP Kinsale to all in Macra Kinsale for cutting a large quantity of blocks for the needy and elderly. They were much appreciated by everyone who received them.

YELLOW BEACON

The Yellow Beacon will be published on Thursday 21st February. Please submit articles by **Monday 18th February** to the parish office on 021 4773821 or email kinsalebeacon@circom.net

PARISH ASSEMBLY MEETING

Parish Assembly meeting on **Monday 11th February** at 8pm in the Friary Centre.

KINSALE 10 MILE ROAD RACE

On **Sunday 24th February** at 12 noon over 600 runners will complete the inaugural Kinsale 10 mile road race. There will be signs along the route. There will be delays on this route between 11.30am and 2.30pm. The organisers will do their best to minimise any inconvenience on the day. For more information visit www.Kinsale10mile.com

FOLLOW THE FOOTSTEPS OF JESUS FROM GALILEE TO JERUSALEM 2019

Take the trip of a lifetime to the Holy Land, **28th May - 7th June 2019**. In association with Premier Travel, Cork. Group Leader, Mícheál de Barra and Spiritual Director, Fr. John Newman (Bible Scholar). Contact Mícheál at [0868337681](tel:0868337681) or email culturaltoursireland@gmail.com

K.A.R.A.

Kinsale Active Retired Association
Meeting on **Tuesday 12th February** at 2.30pm in the back room of the Armada for cards.

BEEF PLAN MEETING

The Beef Plan Movement is about like-minded farmers coming together to try and get a fair price for their beef. There will be a Beef Plan meeting in the Vienna Woods Hotel, Cork, on **Thurs 28th February** at 8pm.

28th DIVINE MERCY CONFERENCE

Saturday 23rd & Sunday 24th February in the Main Hall, RDS, Dublin. Tickets: Saturday €30, Sunday €20, Weekend €35. Visit www.divinemercuryconference.com or phone 086 0669203

MINISTERS OF THE WORD AND EUCHARIST

- Practical training meeting for Ministers of the Eucharist on **Mon 18th Feb** at 8pm in the parish church.
- Practical training meeting for Ministers of the Word on **Mon 25th Feb** at 7.30pm in the parish church.

INFORMATION EVENING FOR BEREAVED PARENTS

Anam Cara West Cork, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Bereavement Information Evening on **Tuesday 19th February** at 7:20pm in the Munster Arms Hotel, Bandon. This is a free event and open to all bereaved parents. As Anam Cara will need to confirm numbers for teas, coffees, etc, please RSVP to info@anamcara.ie before Monday 18th February or call the Information Line on 085 2888 888.

KINSALE SCOUTS

COFFEE MORNING & CAKE SALE
Saturday 16th February in the Temperance Hall from 10am to 12.30pm. Donations of baking would be greatly appreciated.

DUNDERROW N.S OPEN EVENING

Re-scheduled to **Wednesday 13th February** from 7-9pm. Talk by Catherine Hallissey, Senior Child Psychologist at 8pm. All welcome. Contact 021 4774041

ROSARY AT BALLINSPIITTE GROTTO

Feast Day of Our Lady of Lourdes
Rosary at Ballinspittle Grotto on **Mon. 11th February** at 8pm. World day of prayer for the sick. All welcome.

SPRING STATION MASSES

- **At the home of Patrick and Eilish O'Shea on Friday 15th February at 8pm:** for Ballyregan and Puckane

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Children's Liturgy continues this **Sunday 10th February** at 10.00am Mass. This is a special Liturgy held in the Upper Sacristy. Young children (pre-First Communion) will be helped to understand the meaning of the Gospel of the day.

OBITUARY

Dawn Healy, Harbour Heights.

The death took place in Haven Bay Care Centre of **Dawn Healy** on 23rd January 2019. Dawn was born in London in 1930 to Irish parents from Mallow. World War II started when she was 9 years old and she came to Ireland for safety reasons for a time. Her sensibilities were shaped by the experience of war: always keep calm and carry on even in a crisis; appreciation of food from her experience of rationing; not complaining. She became a teacher, she was good at it and enjoyed it. She married Denis who had grown up in Cork and they were blessed with four sons. When Denis and Dawn retired they moved here to Kinsale and Dawn got involved in parish life through the Beacon Newsletter and Parish Assembly. Dawn was also involved in Altrusa, Meals on Wheels and the Community Hospital. She was predeceased by her husband Denis and her son Finntan.

The funeral Mass was celebrated by Fr. Robert and the burial was to Templetrine cemetery. We extend our deepest sympathy to her sons Kieran, Timothy and Garvan, brother Kevin, in-laws, grandchildren, nephews, nieces, relatives and friends.
May she rest in peace.

PARISH OFFICE

Hours: 9.30am – 12.45pm Mon-Fri **Tel:** 021 4773821

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Email: kinsalecatholicparish@eircom.net **Website:** www.kinsaleparish.org

Webcam for live streaming of Masses and other Services: Open website and click on Webcam. www.facebook.com/kinsaleparish

'DO THIS IN MEMORY' MASS

The 'Do This in Memory' Mass for the First Holy Communion children takes place next weekend (16th/17th February)

For Scoil Naomh Eltin & Summercove:

Saturday 16th Feb at the 6.30pm Mass.

For Dunderrow N.S. and Gaelscoil:

Sunday 17th February at the 10am Mass.

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

Parish Church: Vigil 6.30pm (Sat.)

10.00am & 12 Noon

Carmelite Friary: 8.30am & 11am

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Parish Church: 8.30am

Carmelite Friary: 7.30am & 10.00am

SATURDAY MASS TIMES

Parish Church: 11.00am

Carmelite Friary: 10.00am

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Parish Church: Mondays from 9am to 1pm

Tuesdays from 9am to 8pm

CONFESSIONS

Parish Church: Saturdays after 11.00am and 6.30pm Masses.

Carmelite Friary: Saturdays 10.30am & 3.30pm

READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jer 17:5-8. Ps 1:1-4,6, R/ Ps 39:5.

1 Cor 15:12, 16-20. Lk 6:17, 20-26.

PRIEST ON DUTY: Fr. Robert Young

EMERGENCY No.: 086 3339063

ANNIVERSARIES

We remember in our prayers:

Elizabeth Hurley,

Donal O'Driscoll,

William and Eileen McAllen,

Robert Wright,

Ellen Condon,

Maureen Daly,

Agnes O'Connor,

Joan Tisdall,

Maisie Herlihy,

Patricia Sullivan,

Patricia Manahan,

Lil McCarville.

May they rest in peace.

FEAST OF

OUR LADY OF LOURDES:

Mass and Anointing of Sick

Sunday 10th February at 3pm in the Friary Church.

SPRING STATIONS

Could those due to host the Stations please contact the parish office 021 4773821 to organise a date. Thank you.

SPECIAL COLLECTION

The collection for the Diocesan Lourdes Invalid Fund will be taken up at all Masses this weekend, **9th/10th February**. This collection subsidises the Annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes for individuals whose health and/or means would otherwise prevent them from travelling to Lourdes. It also subsidises the travel of essential care personnel.

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PRAYER OF AN AGING PERSON

Lord, you know better than I know myself that I am growing older and will some day be old. Keep me from getting talkative, particularly from the fatal habit of thinking that I must say something on every subject and on every occasion.

Release me from craving to straighten out everybody's affairs. Make me thoughtful, but not moody; helpful, but not bossy. With my vast store of wisdom it seems a pity not to use it all, but you know, Lord, that I want a few friends at the end. Keep my mind from the recital of endless details – give me wings to come to the point.

I ask for grace enough to listen to the tales of others' pains. Seal my lips on my own aches and pains – they are increasing, and my love of rehearsing them is becoming sweeter as the years go by. Help me to endure them with patience.

I dare not ask for improved memory, but for a growing humility and a lessening cocksureness when my memory seems to clash with the memories of others. Teach me the glorious lesson that occasionally it is possible that I may be mistaken.

Keep me reasonably sweet. I do not want to be a saint – some of them are so hard to live with – but a sour old person is one of the crowning works of the devil.

Give me the ability to see good things in unexpected places, and talents in unexpected people. And give me, O Lord, the grace to tell them so.

[Source: Anonymous seventeenth-century nun]