

St. John the Baptist Church and Carmelite Friary

The churches are open for personal prayer only.

Monday to Friday

Carmelite Friary: 10.30am to 5.00pm

Parish Church: 9.00am to 5.00pm

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament: Mondays: 9am - 1pm; Tuesdays: 9am - 6pm

Saturdays

Carmelite Friary: 10.30am to 5.00pm **Parish Church:** 11.30am to 5.30pm

Sundays

Carmelite Friary: 12 noon to 5.00pm **Parish Church:** 1pm to 5.00pm

MASSES will be celebrated behind closed doors.

You can participate through the webcams:

Parish Webcam (log on to www.kinsaleparish.org and click on Live Church Streaming)

Carmelite Friary Webcam (log on to www.carmeliteskinsale.ie or www.churchservices.tv/kinsalecarmelites)

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

Parish Church: Vigil 6.30pm (Saturday), 10.00am and 12 Noon

Carmelite Friary: 8.30am and 11.00am

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Parish Church: Mondays and Tuesdays: 8.30am. Wed, Thurs and Fri. NO MASS

Carmelite Friary: Monday to Friday: 10.00am

SATURDAY MASS TIMES

Parish Church: 11.00am

Carmelite Friary: 10.00am

HOLY SOULS DEVOTIONS

A Novena of Masses will be offered for the Holy Souls from November 2nd to 10th.

MASS TIMES (behind closed doors)

Parish Church: Mon – Tues: 8.30am; Sat: 11am and 6.30pm; Sun: 10am and 12pm

Friary Church: Mon – Sat: 10am; Sun: 8.30am and 11am

Envelopes are at the back of the church for you to write the names of your loved ones, and they will be remembered during the Novena.

Fr. Robert writes...

REMEMBERING OUR DEAD 2020

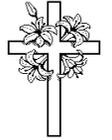
November is the time of year when we remember our dead: visiting the graveyard where our loved ones are buried or the place where their ashes have been scattered; writing the names on the Altar list for the dead; praying for them at the Novena of Masses and reflecting on the story of their lives.

Sadly, this year we will not be able to have our usual community prayers in the cemeteries because of the Corona virus.

If you live within 5km of the grave of your loved ones, I invite you to go privately, in your own time. You could use the prayer we have inside this Beacon, say a decade of the Rosary there, sprinkle Holy Water on the grave. If you live further away, please pray for your loved ones at home, and visit their grave when it is safe to do so.

I will be offering a Novena of Masses (9) for the Holy Souls beginning on Monday 2nd November. If you would like your loved ones included in the Novena, please fill in the Altar List for the Dead and place it with your offering in the envelope that you will find on the table at the back of the church. Please hand your envelope into the Sacristy or parish office by Sunday 1st November.

Remembering our dead these days reminds us that we usually only see death from one side – the painful side of loss, pain, grief, tears; a difficult and sad time. There is another side that tells us that death is a friend who takes us to the Father's House, where every tear will be wiped away. Remembering our dead, praying for them, visiting their graves, reflecting on their story helps us to see what is important in life. May we all learn from remembering our dead.



PARISH OFFICE

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

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• **Email:** parishoffice@kinsale-parish.org

• **Website:** www.kinsaleparish.org

• **Webcam for streaming Masses & Services:** Open website & click on Live Church Streaming

• **Facebook Page:** <https://www.facebook.com/kinsaleparish/>

OCTOBER DEVOTIONS IN THE CARMELITE FRIARY

7.00pm each evening during October (behind closed doors). Join over the Friary webcam www.churchservices.tv/kinsalecarmelites

ANNIVERSARIES

We remember in our prayers:

**Eileen and Tim Murphy,
Paddy Timmons,
Dan, John and Jimmy O'Connor,
May McCarthy,
Julia O'Leary,
Lena Lyons,
Dennis Murphy.**

May they rest in peace.

VIRTUAL MEDJUGORJE PILGRIMAGE

Visit Medjugorje every Wednesday and Sunday night at 8pm to take part in Rosary at the Blue Cross (Wednesdays) and Torchlight Procession (Sundays) via Joe Walsh Tours Pilgrimages Facebook page in company of Philip Ryan and Sean O'Shaughnessy.
<https://www.facebook.com/joewalsh>
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PRAYER FOR VISITING A GRAVE OR CEMETERY

ON ANNIVERSARY OR ON THE FEAST OF THE HOLY SOULS

Lord of the living, hear our prayer this day as we come to the burial place of (*name*). With reverence, we visit this sacred shrine where his/her body was placed within the womb of the earth to await the final day of glory.

We pause in silence to be united with him/her.

Lord, we have come on this pilgrimage of prayer to keep the flame of love alive within our hearts. As we read his/her name upon the headstone, we rejoice because that name has been written for all ages in the palm of Your divine hand.

May the breath of creation that surrounds this grave – in trees, grass and earth, birds and sun – join us in prayer. May this pilgrimage remind us of what we already know: that nothing dies; rather, life is only transformed into new life.

Holy is this grave, holy this earth that has held in gentle embrace the bodies of all who are buried in this cemetery.

Lord, with reverence, we leave a wreath of flowers at this grave, woven with love, adorned with memories and with our faith in the reality of that earthen Easter morning when all the holy dead shall rise in the splendor of Your glory.

Till that day, eternal rest to (*name*) and to all the holy dead.

May they rest in peace. Amen

Lord God, whose days are without end and whose mercies beyond counting, keep us mindful that life is short and the hour of death unknown. Let your Spirit guide our days on earth in the ways of holiness and justice, that we may serve you in union with the whole Church, sure in faith, strong in hope, perfect in love.

And when our earthly journey is ended, lead us rejoicing into your kingdom, where you live for ever and ever. Amen.

OBITUARY

**Gillian Sullivan,
Stonewell, Kinsale**

The death took place peacefully at Marymount Hospice of **Gillian Sullivan** on Wednesday 14th October 2020.

Gillian's death was the cause of widespread sadness in our community. She was much loved and respected by many people as expressed by the large number of floral tributes at her funeral, and the gathering of many people on route to the church and cemetery.

The funeral Mass was celebrated by family relative, Carmelite priest Fr. Christopher Clarke, accompanied by Fr. Robert. The burial was to St. Eltin's. We extend our deepest sympathy to Gillian's father Frank, son Frank, sister Claire, Frank's partner Sharron, aunts, uncles, extended family, relatives and friends.

May she rest in peace.

SACRED SPACE PRAYER BOOK 2021

The Sacred Space prayer book for 2021 costs €10 and is available from the parish office.

ONLINE AUTUMN STATION MASSES ON PARISH WEBCAM

Thursday 29th October at 7.30pm for: Browns Mills, Camphill, Farm Lane, Waterlands, Knockduff, Snugmore, Garraha, Kilcaw.

Friday 30th October at 7.30pm for: Farrangalway, Ballyvrin, Ballinamona, Melifontstown, Ballythomas, Ardclayne, Dunderrow, Whitecastle, Knocksmall, Horsehill, Ballyregan, Puckane.

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**Theresa Arnopp,
Ballinacubby, Kinsale**

The death took place peacefully at her home, after an illness bravely borne, resting in God's arms, of **Theresa Arnopp** on Thursday 15th October 2020.

A native of Kinsale, Theresa was the third in a family of five. Her father was the local barber in Kinsale. Theresa worked in the Balsa Wood factory where the Kinsale Holiday Village is now. Then she worked in Kinsale Candle factory where Shearwater apartments are now.

Theresa was a great carer - she looked after many people. She was blessed with a deep faith and was one of the first Eucharistic Ministers in the parish.

The funeral Mass was celebrated by Fr. Robert and there followed a service at the Island Crematorium. We extend our deepest sympathy to her husband Gerald, daughter Catherine, grandsons Josh, Sam, Zack and Tadhg, sisters Phil, Mary, Carmel and Joanie, in-laws, nephews, nieces, relatives and friends.

May she rest in peace.