

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

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

MORNING PRAYER (online only)

Carmelite Friary: 9.30am Monday to Saturday during Lent (live-streamed on <https://www.churchservices.tv/kinsalecarmelites>)

SOLEMN EVENING PRAYER (online only)

Carmelite Friary: 7.00pm Sundays during Lent (live-streamed on <https://www.churchservices.tv/kinsalecarmelites>)

ROSARY

Parish Church: Monday to Friday at 12noon.



EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Parish Church: Mondays: 9am to 1pm; Tuesdays: 9am to 6pm.

Parish Church: Tuesdays: **Eucharistic Healing** from 5.45pm to 6pm.

MASSES WILL BE CELEBRATED BEHIND CLOSED DOORS AND LIVE-STREAMED.

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.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



Pope Francis writes...

HAPPINESS

You can have flaws, be anxious, and even be angry, but do not forget that your life is the greatest enterprise in the world. Only you can stop it from going bust. Many appreciate you, admire you and love you.

Remember that to be happy is not to have a sky without a storm, a road without accidents, work without fatigue, relationships without disappointments.

To be happy is to find strength in forgiveness, hope in battles, security in the stage of fear, love in discord. It is not only to enjoy the smile, but also to reflect on the sadness. It is not only to celebrate the successes, but to learn lessons from the failures. It is not only to feel happy with the applause, but to be happy in anonymity.

Being happy is not a fatality of destiny, but an achievement for those who can travel within themselves. To be happy is to stop feeling like a victim and become your destiny's author. It is to cross deserts, yet to be able to find an oasis in the depths of our soul. It is to thank God for every morning, for the miracle of life.

Being happy is not being afraid of your own feelings. It's to be able to talk about you. It is having the courage to hear a "no". It is confidence in the face of criticism, even when unjustified. It is to kiss your children, pamper your parents, to live poetic moments with friends, even when they hurt us.

To be happy is to let live the creature that lives in each of us, free, joyful and simple.

It is to have maturity to be able to say: "I made mistakes".

It is to have the courage to say "I am sorry".

It is to have the sensitivity to say, "I need you".

It is to have the ability to say "I love you".

May your life become a garden of opportunities for happiness ...

That in spring may it be a lover of joy. In winter a lover of wisdom.

And when you make a mistake, start all over again.

For only then will you be in love with life. You will find that to be happy is not to have a perfect life. But use the tears to irrigate tolerance.

Use your losses to train patience.

Use your mistakes to sculptor serenity.

Use pain to plaster pleasure. Use obstacles to open windows of intelligence.

Never give up Never give up on people who love you. Never give up on happiness, for life is an incredible show.

ONLINE CONFIRMATION PREPARATION MASS

Mass for young people preparing for Confirmation will be live-streamed from the parish church on **Saturday 20th March** at 6.30pm

ST PATRICK'S DAY TREAT FROM THE KINSALE PARISH ASSEMBLY

The Parish Assembly Group have created a fun Lenten Carnival Mumming Play to celebrate St Patrick's day. To watch, visit www.facebook.com/kinsaleparish/ or www.kinsaleparish.org

SPRING STATIONS 2021

The Spring Station Masses will be live-streamed on the parish web-cam (log on to www.kinsaleparish.org and click on Live Church Streaming)

- **Thursday 25th March at 7.30pm for:** Farrangalway, Ballyvtrin, Ballinamona, Melifontstown, Ballythomas, Ardclloyne, Dunderrow, Whitecastle, Knocksmall, Horsehill, Ballyregan, Puckane.
- **Friday 26th March at 7.30pm for:** Winter's Hill, Compass Hill, Dromderrig, The Mall, St. John's Hill, The Green, The Ramparts, Rampart Court, Rampart Lane, Rampart Manor, Rampart Mews, Higher & Lower O'Connell St, World's End, The Wharf, Denis' Quay, Viking Wharf, Ferryview, Gift House, St. John's Tce, Lobster Cottages, Shearwater, Sean Hales Tce, Collins Tce, Eastern Rd, St. Eltin's Crescent, Admirals Walk, The Glen, Main St., Market St., Market Sq, Marian Tce, Assumption Tce, Pearse St, Newman's Mall, Sleaveen Hgts, Sleaveen Pk, Scilly, Featherbed Lane, Market Place Apts, Market Ln, Barrack Hill, Glanbeg, Trooper's Close, Malt House Apts, Meadowlands, Short Quay, Pier Rd, Ballinacubby, Commogue, Knocknacurra, River Meadows, Rose Abbey Park, Abbey Crescent, Presentation Pl, Rose Abbey, The Orchards, Eltin's Wood, Springmount, Compass Quay, Hogan's Row, Monastery Gardens, Pine Grove, St. Joseph's Tce, St. Mary's Tce, St. Patrick's Tce, St. Multose Walk, Guardwell Homes, Guardwell, Blindgate, Mansfield Land, Church Lane, Church Square, Radharc an tSáile.

We extend a warm welcome to new residents of Radharc an tSáile

DONATE TO HELP FAMILIES IN NEED

Community Connect Click for Pickup National Collection Day!!

Donate to support our work in four simple steps:

1. Check if we are collecting in your location
2. Look at the list of items and decide what you would like to donate (new/unopened items only please, cash donations can also be accepted in an envelope)
3. Register your details on the link below to book your donation pickup
4. Leave your items outside your door in a waterproof bag by 1pm on Saturday 20th March and we will pick it up!

For more information visit www.communityconnect.ie/clickforpickup/ or donate at <https://communityconnect.ie/sponsor-a-gift/>

ANNIVERSARIES

We remember in our prayers:

**Eddie Hurley,
May McCarthy (nee Buckley),
John and Margaret Daly,
Nora and Edward Fitzgerald,
Louise Tobin,
Jack Tierney,
Vincent Curran,
Timothy and Cornelius Lyons,
John Ryan Purcell,
Mary Lohan,
Eamonn Walsh,
Jackie and Julia Walsh,
Pat McCrae,
James Kiely,
Frank Twomey.**
May they rest in peace.

PARISH FINANCE COMMITTEE

There was a zoom meeting of the Finance committee on Monday 22nd February. The following matters were discussed:

- Parish financial report (published in the Yellow Beacon)
- Donate button on Parish website enabling people to make online donations.
- Church maintenance: trees on parish grounds, heating, gallery
- St Brigid's Room
- Summercove School
- The committee thanked Fr. Robert for his Parish work during these very difficult times.

ONLINE PRAYER IN THE CARMELITE FRIARY

- Triduum in honour of St. Joseph, **Friday 19th to Sunday 21st March** at 7pm live-streamed on <https://www.churchservices.tv/kinsalecarmelites>
- **Morning Prayer** at 9.30am Monday to Saturday morning during Lent live-streamed on <https://www.churchservices.tv/kinsalecarmelites>
- **Solemn Evening Prayer** at 7pm on Sunday evenings during Lent live-streamed on <https://www.churchservices.tv/kinsalecarmelites>

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