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St. John the Baptist and the Carmelite Friary churches are open for Masses with restrictions in place. Please be guided by stewards and signage.

SUNDAY MASS TIMES

- Parish Church: Vigil 6.30pm (Sat.) 10.00am & 12 Noon.
- Carmelite Friary: 8.30am & 11.00am.

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

- Parish Church: Mon and Tues: 8.30am. Wed, Thurs, Fri: NO MASS
- Carmelite Friary: Monday – Friday: 10.00am.

SATURDAY MASS TIMES

- Parish Church: 11.00am.
- Carmelite Friary: 10.00am.

You can also participate in Mass 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)

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

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

ROSARY

- **Parish Church:** Monday to Friday at 12 Noon; Saturday at 10.40am
- **Friary Grotto:** Rosary at 7pm every evening during October

SPECIAL COLLECTION

Mission Sunday is next weekend (**23rd/24th Oct**). The Mission Sunday collection goes to the Society for the Propagation of the Faith and is used to support the young churches throughout the world in the establishment of parishes, dioceses, training catechists and building of seminaries etc.

PARISH OFFICE

- **Hours:** Mon – Fri 9.30am to 12.45pm
- **Tel:** 021 4773821
- **Address:** Frenchfield, Lower Catholic Walk, Kinsale, Co. Cork
- **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/>



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Mairead Ruane, Kinsale Parish Assembly, writes...

WHAT CAN WE TEACH OUR YOUNG PEOPLE ABOUT RELATIONSHIPS?

‘I feel the capacity to care is this thing that gives life its deepest significance.’

Pablo Casals

It may seem impossible for us as a community to teach our young people about how to have a relationship with Jesus if they have never felt His love.

Psychologists believe that all of us have the capacity to love, an ability to shift the focus of our minds out from ourselves to the needs, happiness, and fulfillment of others. To the extent that we can do this and actualize what is inherent within our Spirit, we will be loved. We can support our young people to use whatever capacity they have for love, and to start from there. When we are trying to strengthen relationships with them, we can recognize their capacity for love as a willingness to engage with us, so we nourish and strengthen this willingness with a selfless approach and no expectation. The love of Jesus and a relationship with him asks for nothing in return. Our young people need to experience this.

Society teaches young people to focus on their own fulfilment, having their immediate needs met, but this does not pave the way for a healthy relationship because the focus is on themselves. This journey can take young people in a vicious circle, in pursuit of their own needs through others and back into themselves.

The paradox of relationship is that all of us experience feelings of loneliness or isolation, but we can seek to fill this with the love of Jesus. Otherwise, we may continue to seek connectedness but not achieve it. The experience of growing up may be marked by failures but the response of young people and reaction to this can be transformed by the love of Jesus which is critical and definitive. The only real failure is giving up.

‘You better not compromise yourself, it’s all you got.’

Janis Joplin

AUTUMN STATION MASSES IN ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CHURCH

- **Monday 18th Oct. at 7.30pm for:** Ballinacubby, Commogue, Knocknacurra, River Meadows, Rose Abbey Park, Abbey Crescent, Presentation Pl, Rose Abbey, Radharc an tSaile, 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, 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
- **Tuesday 19th Oct. at 7.30pm for:** Farrangalway, Ballyvryn, Ballinamona, Melifontstown, Ballythomas, Ardclloyne, Dunderrow, Whitecastle, Knocksmall, Horsehill, Ballyregan, Puckane
- **Tuesday 26th Oct. at 7.30pm for:** Brownsmills, Camphill, Farm Lane, Waterlands, Knockduff, Snugmore, Garraha, Kilcaw.

SACRED SPACE PRAYER BOOK 2022

Sacred Space prayer and reflection book for 2022 is available from the parish office. Cost €10

TIMBER CUTTING AT THE MILL WHEEL BAR Fundraiser in aid of

Kinsale Day Care Centre
Monday 25th October at 1pm at the Mill Wheel Bar, Jagoes Mills. Followed by music. All welcome.

SAFEGUARDING IS EVERYBODY'S RESPONSIBILITY

To safeguard those most vulnerable, we all have a part to play. If we have a concern for the safety / wellbeing of anybody, we must report this to the appropriate authority, whether that be, Gardai, HSE, Tusla, GP or Church Authority. The Diocesan Designated Liaison persons are not only available to you for church related concerns, but can offer you advice on how to report any concerns in the wider context. Please feel free to contact Cleo Yates or Fr. Alan O'Leary at safeguarding@corkandross.org

ANNIVERSARIES

We remember in our prayers:

**Denis Kiely,
John O'Donovan,
Eileen and Tim Murphy,
Teresa Arnopp,
Denis Corcoran,
Stacia McCarthy,
Conor Coleman,
Jimmy Hurley,
Donie O'Connell,
Tony O'Donovan,
Tom Quigley,
Elba Leon Salas,
Tony Connolly,
Jerome Keohane,
Garrett (John) Hickey.**
May they rest in peace.

PARISH ASSEMBLY UPDATE

The Parish Assembly met via Zoom on Tues. 5th Oct. Topics discussed:

- Season of Creation update
- COP 26
- Easing of Covid restrictions
- First Holy Communion and Confirmation updates
- Pew cards for Church
- Volunteer roles
- Synod of the Church

OBITUARY

Marie Miller (O'Leary) (nee Cronin) Chairman's Lane

The death took place, peacefully at Rosenalee Care Centre, Ballincollig, in her 100th year, of Marie Miller on Friday 8th October 2021.

Marie was the beloved wife of the late John Miller and the late Con O'Leary. Marie was much loved by her family and the people of Kinsale. She was noted for her beautiful style and she was a great card player.

The funeral Mass was celebrated by Fr. Peter Kehoe O.Carm and there followed a service at the Island Crematorium.

We extend our deepest sympathy to her family: June, Tom, Carol and Cornelia, son-in-law Noel, daughter-in-law Colette, 12 grandchildren, 22 great-grandchildren, sisters Mona and Claire, brother Michael, relatives and friends.

May she rest in peace.

THE WELL PROJECT HARVEST MOON WALK

5km Fun Walk on **Friday 22nd October** to raise funds for Kinsale Community Health and Well Being Resource Centre, which is providing a new home for KYSS (Kinsale Youth Support Services), Kinsale Men's Shed and Kinsale Youth Community Centre. Start time is 8.30pm at Kinsale Community School car park.

Cost €10 or a donation. Register Mon – Fri 9am – 5pm at Kinsale Youth Community Centre, Pier Road, or at the start of the walk or online <https://www.idonate.ie/fundraiser/harvestmoonwalk>