



DOONBEG PARISH NEWSLETTER

4th January 2026 Second Sunday after Christmas/A

Pastoral Area Clergy
Fr. Gerry Kenny Co-PP. Kilkee 065-9056580
Fr. Michael Casey Co-PP. Cross 065-9058008
(Doonbeg, Kilkee, Carrigaholt, Killballyowen)

Masses from Doonbeg Church are live streamed on the parish webcam at
www.doonbegparish.com

Mass intentions can be booked at Kilkee Parish Office by phone at 065-9056580
or by email at office@kilkeeparish.com

Mass Intentions

Doonbeg Church (Livestream on Parish Webcam)

Thursday 1st January New Year's Day 11.00 am

Christmas Mass Bouquet Intention

Saturday 3rd January 7pm

Michael & Bernadette Ryan, Clifden and their daughter Catherine

Thursday 8th January 7pm

Special Intention

Saturday 10th January 7pm

Ann Kelly, Clohanes (Month's Mind)

Michael Killeen, Clounagarnane (Month's Mind)

Valarie Flanagan, Kilrush - 1st Anniversary

Bernadette McDonnell (nee Stack) and deceased member of the Stack and Walsh families.

Bealaha Church

Tuesday 6th January 7pm

Maura Keane, Farrihy

Signed Mass cards for special occasions and for the deceased are available in the sacristy of Doonbeg and Bealaha Churches at Mass times. Donation for each Mass intention is €10.

Eucharistic Adoration in Doonbeg Church every Tuesday 10am - 12 noon

Tap2Donate: A newly installed facility for people to make donations to the parish using their bank card or mobile phone payment method is now in operation in Doonbeg Church - it is located on the right, inside the main door.

Wishing all our Parishioners a Happy New Year

New Year Prayer

God our Father, give us an appreciation of the many gifts You have given us during the past year.

Help us bless you in return during the coming year by sharing some of our gifts with others.

Grant Eternal Rest to those we have loved who have gone before us in the past year.

May Your Holy Spirit guide our journey to You in all we do this coming year. Amen.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

DCD Office will re-open on Monday, 5th January at 8.30am.

West Clare Drama Festival 2026

will run from 7th to 15th March in Doonbeg Hall. Season tickets available online at www.westclaredramafestivaldoonbeg.com

Healthy Clare Winter Futsal

Programme will run for 4 weeks in Doonbeg Hall from Mon 12th January. Open to children aged 7 to 12 years. Session 1: 5.30pm-6.30pm for 1st & 2nd class; session 2: 6.30pm-7.30pm for 3rd & 4th class; session 3: 7.30pm to 8.30pm for 5th & 6th class. Places limited, advanced booking required. Contact Denis Hynes on 087-0508618

PJ Murrihy's CD is available in the shops & pubs in Doonbeg. CD includes his new song, Doonbeg is Calling Me, which tells the story of an emigrant coming home.

Michael English Concert on Sunday January 25th at St. Mary's Church, Mullagh. Tickets available from Quilty Post Office and in Mullagh Parish Office at €30 each. This would make a great Christmas present.

Turf for Sale good quality black turf by the bag. Contact 086 6002892

West Clare Cancer Centre

provide a valuable and confidential service to the community. To avail of the taxi service to and from chemotherapy & radiotherapy treatments, counselling & complimentary therapies, contact 065 9060762 or email

westclarecancercentre@gmail.com

Clare Suicide Bereavement

Support It may help to talk to someone confidentially. Contact 086 0565373 or www.claresuicidebereavementsupport.ie

Doonbeg Senior Alert Scheme if anyone would like to apply for a Panic Button, contact Caroline on 086 8365604

Clarecare are looking for Home Support Workers throughout Co. Clare. Contact 065 6894209 or 086 7713229 or email ncarroll@clarecare.ie for further information.

Grow Mental Health

Friendly community-based peer support groups for anyone experiencing mental health issues 0818 4747474

Doonbeg Bingo Friday nights at 8.30pm in the hall. Doors open at 7.30pm.

Doonbeg Community Defibrillator Local Responder: 065 7050112
Doonbeg Text Alert: 065 9080550