



# DOONBEG PARISH NEWSLETTER

19th April 2026 3rd Sunday of Easter/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](http://www.doonbegparish.com)

Mass intentions can be booked at Kilkee Parish Office by phone at 065-9056580 or by email at [office@kilkeeparish.com](mailto:office@kilkeeparish.com)

## Mass Intentions

**Doonbeg Church** (Livestream on Parish Webcam)

**Thursday 16th April 7pm**

Special Intention

**Saturday 18th April 7pm**

Kathleen Flanagan, Doughmore  
Gerry & Lourde Burns, Glascloune  
Michael Bourke, Kilkee

**Thursday 23rd April 7pm**

Special Intention

**Saturday 25th April 7pm**

Kathleen Cotter, Parkduff (1st Anniversary)  
Kate Behan, Derryard  
Vincent & James Haugh, Doonbeg  
Michael Egan, Coosheen  
Francie & Mary O'Carroll and deceased family members  
John McGeorge, Doonmore

**Bealaha Church**

**Tuesday 21st April 7pm**

Special Intention

Pray for the repose of the soul of AnnMarie Kelly, Galway (niece of Frank Keane) who died recently. We offer our sincere sympathy, support and prayers to her families, relatives and friends at this time. May she rest in peace.

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.

**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.

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

## Donations received in the past two weeks

Priest's Collection	€2320	Donations	€60
Weekly Collection	€900	Trocaire	€905
Bishops Conference	€30	Shrines	€80

## COMMUNITY NOTICES

**Lotto Draw:** Numbers: 3, 5, 16, 18  
€25 winners - Kevin Callinan, Kilmihil;  
Michael Kelly, Glascloune; Aoibhinn  
O'Gorman, Cooraclare; Des & Sinead  
Browne, Moyasta; John G. Flanagan, c/o  
Bingo. Next draw is on Tuesday 21st  
April at 10am live on FB. Jackpot  
€5,200. Discounts available - annual  
ticket €90 (save €14), 3 for €5, 26  
weeks for €100 (save €30). Play online  
[www.doonbeg.info](http://www.doonbeg.info)

### **Doonbeg Community Development**

**AGM** will be held in the back room of  
the hall on Wednesday 29th April at  
8pm. All are welcome.

**Coffee Morning** on Saturday 2nd May  
at The Igoe Inn from 10am to 1pm.  
Organised by Doonbeg Community First  
Responders. Proceeds will go towards  
the purchase of defibrillators for our  
community. Offers of home baking or  
spot prizes gratefully appreciated. Please  
support.

### **Doonbeg Community First**

**Responders** has been set up to help  
to save lives. In rural areas, those first  
minutes are critical in an emergency.  
Our volunteers will be trained to respond  
to such emergencies. We hope to place  
defibrillators at key locations in the area,  
ensuring help is available when and  
where it is needed. We need support to  
fund training, equipment and insurance  
costs. Please support the Coffee  
Morning or if desired, donations can be  
dropped into DCD office or by calling  
086 3833314.

**Mick Egan 4 Mile Road Race** and  
3.5km route for U16's and walkers on  
Sunday April 26th. All proceeds to St.  
John's A.C. and Doonbeg GAA. Prizes on  
the day for 1st, 2nd & 3rd female and  
male athletes. Prizes for U16's, under  
20's, Senior, over 35's & over 45's.

**Pop Up Shop** - used ladies, men's and  
children's clothing, shoes & accessories

for sale in Miltown Malbay Community  
Centre on Saturday 25th April 10am -  
4pm. Café open on the day with all  
proceeds going to Irish Guide Dogs.  
Free admission. Please support.

**West Clare FRC** - activities for over  
55's in Kilrush Community Centre.  
Health Information One to One with  
Nurse Trish - Marie Keating Foundation  
Mobile Unit on Thursday 23rd April  
11am to 1pm. A talk on Health  
Information will follow at 1pm. Quiz on  
Thursday 23rd April at 2.30pm.  
Challenge your memory and general  
knowledge while having fun!

For information contact 065 9052173

**Monster Bingo** in aid of Kilmurry  
Ibrickane Ladies Football and parish in  
The Armada Hotel on Tuesday 21st April  
at 8.30pm. €5000 pro rata.

**Reading for Wellness Programme** in  
Cultúrlann Sweeney Library, Kilkee on  
Wednesday 29th April from 6pm to  
8pm.

### **Fully Escorted Trip to Medjugorje**

Direct flights from Knock Airport from  
October 21st - 28th. Spiritual Director  
Fr. Séan Sheehy & accompanied by Fr.  
Nelson Joseph. 7 nights accommodation  
with breakfast and dinner €915 pp  
sharing. Details from Sharon on 086  
0523014.

**Childminder** needed from Sept. for  
3 to 4 days/week. Role includes pickup  
from Naíonra and care until 5pm.

Contact Pdraig on 089-9898686

**Guitar Lessons** to suit all levels.

Contact 085 1692726 for details.

**For Sale** good quality black turf  
sold by the bag. Contact 086 6002892.

**For Sale** silage bales. Can be loaded  
or delivered. Contact 087 2202771.

**Doonbeg Bingo**  
on Fridays at 8.30pm in the hall. Doors  
open at 7.30pm.

**Doonbeg Community Defibrillator Local Responder: 065 7050112**