

ST, MICHAELS CHURCH ,KILDYSART.

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**YEAR OF FAITH 2012
2013**

Mass Times: Monday, Tues, Weds 10am. Thurs 6.45pm (Cranny) Friday 8pm.

First Friday: Friday is the First Friday of April. The monthly visits to the sick and housebound will take place on Friday morning (5th April) and Mass will be celebrated in St Michael's Church, Kildysart@8pm also on Friday 5th April.

The Grouped Anniversary Mass for April will take place on Sunday 7th at 11am. The Mass for **May** will take place on **Sunday 12th** at 11am. Please give names of loved ones to be remembered to Bernie.

Week Seven (Easter Sunday 31.03.13): *“This is the revelation of God's love for us, that God sent his only Son into the world that we might have life through him.” John 4:9.* This Easter Sunday we celebrate the new life that thousands of the world's poorest people can look forward to through the generosity of parishioners here at home. Trócaire thanks you for this generosity and incredible support. Please return your Trócaire Box to the Church or Parish Office.

Basket Collections: 23/24 March €572.50

New Ministers lists available from the Sacristy.

Next weekend. **6/7 April** **2nd Sunday of Easter**

Ministers of the Word:

Saturday- Eugene Lorrigan

Sunday-Frankie O Shea

Eucharistic Ministers:

Saturday- Lucy Finn, Carmel Kiernan

Sunday—Trish Moloney, Jean Ginnane

Altar Servers:

Saturday-St. Senan

Sunday-St. Columban

Happy Easter: May we wish all the members of our parish every blessing as we celebrate the resurrection of Christ.

Safeguarding: Bishop O'Reilly has requested that every person working directly with children or vulnerable adults in parishes in the diocese complete a new Garda vetting form. Eucharistic ministers are also included. Those who have still to return the form are asked to do so as soon as possible.

Lourdes Diocesan Pilgrimage: Bishop O'Reilly will lead this year's Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes from 26 June to 1 July. Direct flight from Shannon €670 inclusive. Joe Walsh Tours (01) 2410810 or see www.killaloeocese.ie

Monastic Experience Weekend for women at St. Mary's Abbey, Glencairn, 12-14 April, Women who are discerning God's call in their lives and who would like to discover more about monastic life are welcome. Cistercian nuns seek God and follow Christ in a life of prayer and study, work and solitude, simplicity and silence, in a stable, loving community. We are a vibrant, growing community of 36 sisters. Two new entrants joined us this year and another enters us next week. www.glencairnabbey.org

April is National Spring Clean Month kildysART Community Gallery is looking for volunteers to clear our Community Garden. We are looking forward to getting the Garden into shape so everybody can enjoy it. Please let us know if you can give a couple of hours in April. Bernie 087 3160544. Or call in to the Gallery and have a cup of tea.

Models are needed for Fashion Show being held on 12th April at St. John Bosco. Kildysart Community Focus is fundraising to build an Astroturf pitch on the grounds of the college. This facility will benefit the pupils of the local schools as well as local sports clubs.

GAA Lotto Draw:

Mon 25th March **7 - 9 - 22 - 23** €3,400

€50 - Noel Egan, Ballynacally

€30 -Des Farrell, Coolmeen.

Padraig Conway, Inagh.

Nancy & Pat Conway, Inagh.

Noel McMahon, Cranny.

Kevin Kelly, Lacknashannagh.

Next Draw: Tues, April 2nd. at The Corner.

Bluebird Care provide a wide range of care, home help and support services in the home and community for people of all ages and with very diverse needs throughout Clare. Call 6868222 to see how our trained staff can support you to live an independent and healthier life in the surroundings of your own home with your family&friends.

Clare Burren Marathon Challenge

Saturday May 25th Walk, jog or run across the Burren Terrain. Take part for your favourite charity, for fun, for fitness, for a family day out. Choice of Full, Half, Mini, U16's Mini Marathon. 087 7779714

www.clareburrenmarathonchallenge.com

Concert: Tickets for Fr Liam

Lawton's concert at An Glór

Theatre, Ennis on Tuesday 30 April

are available di-

rectly from the

Theatre.

(www.glor.ie)

