

Killinarden Parish Sacred Heart Church



**Missionaries
of the
Sacred Heart**
MSC MISSIONS

16th February 2025

SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Doctors say that keeping active is good for one's health. While there are many different forms of exercise, some with more benefits than others, in the end the ones that are best for an individual are the ones that he or she most enjoys.

The same is true for spiritual exercises. There are many ways of praying. We are unique. Thus one way to foster a regular prayer life is to find a way or ways of prayer that you enjoy.

Perhaps it's praying in a natural setting where I can see something of God's greatness and beauty. I might enjoy reading the Bible or another spiritual book. I might like praying the Rosary. I might enjoy Eucharistic adoration or singing an uplifting song. Maybe we could just try being silent. God meets us in many different ways.

Holy and blessed Trinity, I offer you today all of my moments of prayer. I know that when I share my feelings and thoughts with you, and when I listen to you speak in the depths of my heart, you keep me spiritually healthy. Give me the habit of spiritual exercise. Help me to have a faithful prayer life. (From A Year of Daily Offerings by J. Kubicki SJ)

FIRST SIGHT

By Philip Larkin (1922-1985)

Lambs that learn to walk in snow
When their bleating clouds the air
Meet a vast unwelcome, know
Nothing but a sunless glare.
Newly stumbling to and fro
All they find, outside the fold,
Is a wretched width of cold.

As they wait beside the ewe,
Her fleeces wetly caked, there lies
Hidden round them, waiting too,
Earth's immeasurable surprise.
They could not grasp it if they knew,
What so soon will wake and grow
Utterly unlike the snow.

PARISH LOTTO

The lotto was not won on the 12th
February

The winning numbers were

6,18,25

The next lotto is the 19th February 2025 and the
jackpot will be €1,500.

Jokes

**Why was the Maths Book sad?
It had a lot of problems to solve
What has a nose but can't smell?
A plane**

PLEASE TAKE THIS HOME WITH YOU AS YOU LEAVE

Mass Times and Intentions

Day	Time	Mass Intentions
Saturday 15th February 5th Week In Ordinary Time	6.30pm	Catherine Kelly +Bernard RIP Anniversary John (Gerry) Quinn RIP 5th Anniversary
Sunday 16th February 6th Week In Ordinary Time	11.00am	Valarie Slattery RIP First Anniversary Ann and Tom Reilly RIP Rosemary Barry RIP Months Mind Finbar Barry Healing Sean O ' Corra Healing
Monday 17th February	No Mass	
Tuesday 18th February 6th Week In Ordinary Time	9.15am	Rita and Susan Ainscough speedy recovery Josie Fitzpatrick Special Intentions
Wednesday 19th February 6th Week In Ordinary Time	9.15am	People of the Parish
Thursday 20th February 6th Week In Ordinary Time	9.15am	Anne McLoughlin RIP Special Intentions
Friday 21st February 6th Week In Ordinary Time	9.15am	Mary Maguire Intentions
Saturday 22nd February Chair of St Peter	6.30pm	Rita Healy RIP Patrick Hynes RIP Anniv
Sunday 23rd February 7th Week In Ordinary Time	11.00am	People of the Parish

<p>Confessions: On request</p> <p>Diocesan safeguarding procedures are on the noticeboard at the back of the Church.</p> <p><u>Adoration every Wednesday after Mass</u> <u>Until 12pm</u></p>	<p>Parish Team</p> <p>Fr. Fintan O'Driscoll MSC, P.P. Fr. Con O'Connell MSC Parish Secretary 01 - 452 2251</p> <p>Parish Office Hours: Monday -Thursday: 9am to 1pm Friday: 9am to 12.30pm</p> <p>Killinarden Family Resource Centre 01 - 452 7143</p> <p>KPCE (CE Scheme) 01 - 4621973</p>	<p>RCN 20016166</p>  <p><i>Prayer is the key of the morning and the bolt of the evening</i></p> <p><i>-Gandhi</i></p>
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C.E Vacancies

Killinarden Parish currently have Community Employment vacancies for:

Security Guards.

Criteria for these positions: You must be 21 years or over and be in receipt of a social welfare payment for a minimum of 12 months.

If you are interested in working in your local community or want further information Contact:

Mary @ 01-4621973

Or call into Arás Croí Nua
(Portacabin on Presbytery grounds).

WE PRAY FOR THE SICK

We pray for all those who are sick, recovering from surgery or needing our prayers, especially:

Baby Archie, Charlie S
olan, Noeleen Lawlor, Elizabeth Keane, Kathleen McTaggart, Eileen Tuohy, Paddy Greene, Ashley Shortt, Anthony Fox, Michael Boylan, Tom Cummins, Clodagh Higgins, Baby Harvey, Theresa ,Billy Kiernan & Adam Folan. Mary Keating, Baby Jade, Phyllis in hospital, Catherine Sheehan, Brendan Darcy, Ryan Moffatt, Mary Byrne, Noleen Farrell, Gary Lowe, Paul Murphy, Stephan Traynor, Harold Daly, Darren Boylan, Adrienne Power, June Dunne, Ann Morrissey, Linda Carroll, ,John Whearity, John Byrne, Dermot Moffatt, Carmel Moffott ,Kathie