

# BOHERBUE / KISKEAM PARISH NEWSLETTER

Fr. Jim Kennelly 029 76151

**5th Sunday of Lent (B)**

**16th/17th March, 2024**

Parish Office Opening Hours: Mon., 9.30 a.m. to  
2.30 p.m. and Fri. 11.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m.

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Before 8 pm on Thursdays

## St. Patrick's Day:

St Patrick had his own beautiful proclamation. At the heart of his proclamation is that God is present in the very heartbeat of life and that God is close and near to us not just occasionally but every moment of every single day. He summed up his proclamation in the beautiful prayer of St Patrick.

Christ be with me  
Christ within me  
Christ behind me  
Christ before me  
Christ beside me  
Christ to win me  
Christ to comfort and restore me  
Christ beneath me  
Christ above me  
Christ in quiet and in danger  
Christ in the hearts of all that love me  
**Amen**



Masses & Intentions for  
week beginning Mon.,  
18th March, 2024



### KISKEAM:

**Sat., 16th Mar:** 7.30 p.m. **Vigil of St. Patrick**  
Dan Fitzgerald, The Glen

### BOHERBUE:

**Sun., 17th Mar:** 10.30 a.m. **St. Patrick's Day**  
Anne, John, Catherine & Dan O'Connor,  
Knocknacurra & Martin Carney

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### KISKEAM:

**Mon., 18th Mar:** 7.30 p.m.  
Anne O'Connor, Knocknacurra (**Months Mind**)

**Wed., 20th Mar:** 7.30 p.m.  
Margaret Jones, Lakevale

**Thu., 21st Mar:** 11.00 a.m.  
**Confirmation Ceremony for Kiskeam N.S.**

**Sat., 23rd Mar:** 7.30 p.m.  
John & Peggy O'Mahony, Knockerourke

### BOHERBUE:

**Tue., 19th Mar:** 7.30 p.m.  
Nora & Philip Cronin, Laharn and  
Veronica Dennehy, Knocknagree

**Thu., 21st Mar:** 7.00 p.m. **NOTE TIME**  
Eugene Ankettel, Gneevs

**Fri., 22nd Mar:** 7.30 p.m.  
Tommy & Donal O'Mahony, Laharn  
& Mary Coen, Laharn & Dublin

**Sun., 24th Mar:** 11.00 a.m.  
Mary & Paddy Angland, Tureenavouscane

+++ WE PRAY FOR THE DEAD +++

*"those who die in grace go but to God  
and God is very near"*

### **Death:**

Connie Hickey, Lamanaugh

### **Anniversaries:**

Dan Fitzgerald, The Glen  
John, Catherine & Dan O'Connor, Knocknacurra  
Margaret Jones, Lakevale  
Nora & Philip Cronin, Laharn  
Veronica Dennehy, Knocknagree  
Eugene Ankettel, Gneevs  
Tommy & Donal O'Mahony, Laharn  
Mary Coen, Laharn & Dublin  
Dan Noonan, The Village, Kiskeam  
Con McAuliffe, Ruhill  
Sean Fitzgerald, Reallen  
Ethel O'Gorman, Maule  
Nora May O'Riordan, Islandbrack  
Willie O'Riordan, Islandbrack

### **Months Mind:**

Anne O'Connor, Knocknacurra

**Priest on Duty this Sun., 17th Mar.**

Fr. Joe Tarrant (064) 7751104 (086) 3978642

### **EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION**

**Kiskeam - Church:** Mon. 9.00 a.m. - 7.30 p.m.  
**Boherbue - Presbytery:** Tue. 11. a.m. - 7 p.m.

### **EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS FOR NEXT W/E**

#### **Kiskeam:**

**Sat., 23rd Mar.:** Denis O'Leary & Connie Moynihan

#### **Boherbue:**

**Sun., 24th Mar.:** Sheila O'Leary, Sean Vaughan  
& Catherine Sheahan

### St. Patrick's Day Parade in Boherbue

Another reminder:

- 9.30 a.m.** Street Music from the platform at the Square.
- 10.10 a.m.** Shamrock available free of charge at the Church entrance.
- 10.30 a.m.** Mass celebrated by Fr. Jim Kennelly, P.P.
- 11.30 a.m.** Parade led by the Cullen Pipe band which will be followed by a gathering in the Parish hall where light refreshments will be served.

The local National school will provide a variety of the best of entertainment including music, song and dance for all to enjoy.

**Celli** in The Old School, Foyle on Fri 22nd March at 9.30 p.m. Music by Tim Joe and Anne. All Welcome.

### Diocesan Youth Pilgrimage to Taizé, France

Interested in coming to Taizé this June? The Diocese will be taking a group of young adults on this amazing pilgrimage from Sunday, June 23<sup>rd</sup> to Sunday June 30<sup>th</sup> 2024. Please contact Tomás Kenny for more information on 086 3683778 or email Tomás at [tomaskenny@dioceseofkerry.ie](mailto:tomaskenny@dioceseofkerry.ie).

**St. Vincent de Paul - (087) 3616036**

### Kiskeam Development & GAA Lotto

No's: 9,13,20,24

No Winner

€50: Johnny Lane, Dromscarra

€20: Rita O'Sullivan, Kiskeam; Grace Cronin, Dromscarra; Martin O'Sullivan, Cullen

Seller's Prize: Christy O'Keeffe

Next Draw: 17/0324

Next Week's Jackpot: €2,200



### Boherbue ICA

Coffee morning in aid of **Daffodil Day** on Fri., 22nd March in the Community Rooms across from Church from 10.00 a.m. - 1.00 p.m.

### Boherbue/Kiskeam Active Retired

1. Gentle exercises in Kiskeam on Wed. at 11.00 a.m.
2. Trip to the Ring of Kerry - Thu., 18th April
3. Trips away on 1st Sep. to Falls Hotel, Ennistymon for 3 nights. Contact Ned on 087 9228151 or Noreen on 087 6914968 or Nora on 087 6829564.

### Musical - Dancing Queen

The musical Dancing Queen will be performed by Transition Year Students from Boherbue Comprehensive School on Wed., 20th and Thu., 21st March at 7.30 p.m. in the Pearse Memorial Hall in Boherbue. Tickets €10 are available through [Ticketstop.ie](http://Ticketstop.ie) or through the school office at (029) 76032.

### CONCERT IN AID OF KERRY-CORK CANCER LINK BUS

(A GNEEVEGUILLA GAA PROMOTION)

Gneeveguilla Community Centre

Sun. 17th March 8-11 p.m.

MC: Johnny Walsh, Mountcollins

### BOHERBUE G.A.A. LOTTO

No's: 6,8,9,22

No winner

€50: Katie O'Leary, Knocknagree

€20: Nora Mary O'Riordan, Gneevies; Muireann O'Callaghan, Derryleigh; Patsy Sheehan, East End

Seller's Prize: Charles Ankettel

Online Prize €20: Andrew Hayes, Scotland

Next Draw: 17/03/24

Next Week's Jackpot: €4,900

### St. Patrick's Day Reflection

On 17th March as we celebrate St. Patrick our Patron Saint and publicly acknowledge his legacy to our green isle, one cannot help but wonder how different life may have been for him and perhaps for us but for a twist of fate in his formative years. When he was sixteen years old he was captured by raiding pirates at his home in Wales and sold into slavery in Ireland where he herded sheep on the lonely hills of Mayo. A far cry from the comfort and safety of home. After six years he managed to escape to a monastery in England and at some stage was consecrated Bishop. Some time later with mitre and crozier in hand he returned to Ireland as a missionary and in turn became Bishop of his adopted home.

Tradition tells us how he banished the snakes out of our country and preached the story of the Holy Trinity using the three leafed shamrock to explain it to his human flock. It is not so surprising then that he is lovingly remembered in song and in story. There is probably not a family in Ireland or elsewhere in the extended family who hasn't a Pádraig or a Pat or Patricia or Padraigin sitting somewhere on a branch of the family tree.

So on this St. Patrick's Day 2024 let us extend a céad mile fáilte to all who have travelled back home for the festivities. And to the many visitors who grace our shores for the occasion and partake in the parades or in the various events nationwide. To ex-pats globally and to anyone 'imithe as baile' we wish you the best of all things Irish. Here at home as we don the green and pin the customary sprig of shamrock let us reflect for a moment on the man himself.

**Lá Fhéile sona daoibh go léir agus beannachtaí an lae oraibh uilig. Go dté idir óg agus aosta slán ar an lá speisialta seo.**