

BOHERBUE / KISKEAM PARISH NEWSLETTER

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3rd Sunday of Lent (B)

2nd/3rd 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.

Newsletter Email: bkparishnews@gmail.com -
Before 8 pm on Thursdays

Reflection: *'I am only one, but still
I am one. I cannot do everything but
still I can do something. And because I
cannot do everything, let me not refuse
to do the something that I can do.'*
~Edward Hale

This quote is a little gem and worth remembering. It takes a bit of courage to say 'I cannot do everything'. The pace of life today is so frantic and at times chaotic. We are almost pushed to try and do everything, accomplish deadlines and deliver on so much. We may be only a drop in the ocean in the cycle of everyday life but yet what an important drop we are. God never expects us to do everything and God never asks us to be perfect. But we can do many things well and these are what bring life and energy to our lives. Is there anything that I can do well during this day and this weekend?

Masses & Intentions for
week beginning Mon., 4th
March, 2024



KISKEAM:

Sat., 2nd Mar: 7.30 p.m.

Joe & John O'Keeffe, Ruhill

BOHERBUE:

Sun., 3rd Feb: 11.00 a.m.

Linda O'Mahony, Knocknacurra and her father
Michael

KISKEAM:

Mon., 4th Mar: 7.30 p.m.

Dan O'Connor, Ruhill

Fri., 8th Mar: 7.30 p.m.

Neily & Julia Galvin, Knocknenaugh

Sat., 9th Mar: 7.30 p.m.

Sharon Healy, Tureenavouscane

BOHERBUE:

Tue., 5th Mar: 7.30 p.m.

Jackie & Mary Ann Murphy, Laharn

Wed., 6th Mar: 9.00 a.m.

Private Intention

Thu., 7th Mar: 12.00 noon

**Confirmation Ceremony for Boherbue N.S.
celebrated by Fr. Jim Kennelly, P.P.**

Sun., 10th Mar: 11.00 a.m.

Connie Murphy, Burnfort, Mallow



+++ WE PRAY FOR THE DEAD +++

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

Anniversaries:

Joe & John O'Keeffe, Ruhill
Linda O'Mahony, Knocknacurra
Dan O'Connor, Ruhill
Neily & Julia Galvin, Knocknenaugh
Jackie & Mary Ann Murphy, Laharn
Jim Lawton, Derryleigh
Dan G Linehan, Lamanaugh
Donie Vaughan, Gurteragh
John Feehan, East End, Boherbue & USA
John O'Riordan, Clongeel



Communion Calls to the Sick & Housebound

Kiskeam on Wed., 6th March

Boherbue on Fri., 8th March

Priest on Duty this Sun., 3rd Mar.

Fr. John Fitzgerald (029) 70043 (087) 7752948

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., 9th Mar.: Lisa Lehane & Ted Healy

Boherbue:

Sun., 10th Mar.: Emma Vaughan, John Murphy
& Eva O'Leary

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.

BOHERBUE ICA: Meeting on Mon., 4th March at 8.00p.m. in the Presbytery.

St. Vincent de Paul - (087) 3616036

Kiskeam Graveyard: During the recent Kiskeam Development Association AGM, a number of people highlighted some areas of maintenance and improvements that are required in our Parish graveyard. It was decided to call an open **Public Meeting Thu., 7th** of March at 9 p.m. in Kiskeam Community Centre. We are asking all members of our community and anyone with an association at our graveyard who are interested in the upkeep and development of our Graveyard to please attend.

Kiskeam Development & GAA Lotto

No's: 4,18,21,30

No Winner

€50: Tim Fitzgerald, Kiskeam

€20: Jim O'Shea, Glounreigh; Thomas Lane, Ballydesmond;
Marie O'Leary, Kiskeam

Seller's Prize: online

Next Draw: 03/0324

Next Week's Jackpot: €4,950

IRD DUHALLOW - WOMEN'S FORUM

Conference celebrating
International Women's Day

Date: Fri., 8th March
Venue: James O'Keeffe Institute, Newmarket
Time: 10.00 a.m. to 3.00 p.m.
Cost: €15
Speakers on disability rights, surviving cancer, women's health, fashion and social welfare.
Booking essential - 029 60633

BOHERBUE/KISKEAM ACTIVE RETIRED

Light exercise classes in Kiskeam Community Centre starting on Wed., 6th March at 11 a.m. for 4 weeks.

Membership now due:

Contact: Ned 087 9228151
Noreen 087 6914968
Nora 087 6829564

Copies of the Bishops statement on the two important referendums

on family and care which are taking place on 8th March 2024 are available in the Church and can also be found on their website: <https://www.catholicbishops.ie/>

Boherbue GAA are doing a deal for Rebels Bounty Draw - Club membership, club yearly lotto ticket for just €200. for further details contact Eileen Casey 087 9800102 or any committee member.

BOHERBUE G.A.A. LOTTO

No's: 3,14,18,30

No winner

€50: Stephen Lynch, Gneeves

€20: Teddy Lynch, Gneeves; John McCarthy, Carrigaline;
Denis Buckley, Laharn

Seller's Prize: Jack Murphy

Online Prize €20: Mary O'Gorman

Next Draw: 03/03/24

Next Week's Jackpot: €4,700



Parish Gathering

In his Pastoral Letter, "Moving Forward in Hope", Bishop Ray invites all parishioners to participate in a consultation process to shape the future of pastoral areas and parishes. A consultation gathering will be held in our Parish on **Wed., 6th March at 7.30 p.m.** in the library of Boherbue Comprehensive School. As preparation for the gathering, you are invited to reflect on the following three questions:

1. Without the presence of a Priest to lead and coordinate, what aspects of Parish life could we, the laity, take responsibility for and organise ourselves?
2. Where do we see scope for cooperation with neighbouring parishes in our pastoral area?
3. Given what Bishop Ray has said about reducing numbers and increasing age, what do we want to say to Priests?

Many thanks for your support and assistance for this consultation.

Boherbue Mens Shed is up and running. We welcome work such as repairing furniture and other small jobs. In addition we take orders to make bespoke items such as traditional dressers, tables and chairs. Call to our workshop on Wednesdays from 2 p.m. onwards where we can discuss things over a cup of tea.

A little inspiration:

*"Our days are happier when we give people
a bit of our heart rather than
a piece of our mind."*