



**CHURCH OF ST. COLMCILLE KELLS  
CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION GIRLEY**



**SUNDAY 22ND DECEMBER 2024**

Weekend Masses: Kells: Sat: Vigil 6.30pm, Sun: 9.30am & 12.00pm  
Girley - Sunday: 10.30am  
Masses for week - Mon - Fri: 10am; Sat 11am



**FEAST OF THE NATIVITY OF OUR LORD**



**KELLS:** Vigil: Dec 24th: 5pm (Children's Mass); 7.30pm  
Christmas Day: 9.30am; 10.30am; 12.00pm

**GIRLEY:** Vigil: Dec 24th: 6pm  
Christmas Day: 10.30am

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Weekday Masses from Thurs 26th (St Stephen's Day) to Fri 27th Dec & from Mon 30th Dec to Fri 3rd Jan will be at 11am so you can take a lazy start to the day and enjoy a restful few days after Christmas!

**CHRISTMAS CONFESSION / PENITENTIAL SERVICE 2024**

Penitential Rite will take place from 5-6pm on Sunday 22nd December 2024 with visiting priests. Fr David will do a short introduction followed by an opportunity to make a confession and receive absolution from any of the priests having different stations within the church. As people make the Sacrament they can then leave and get on with the rest of their evening without having to wait until the final ending.



*We wish all our parishioners  
a very Happy Christmas  
and a Peaceful and Healthy New Year*



**Live Crib  
AT KELLS CHURCH**

**DEC.  
21st & 22nd**



Sat. 5pm - 8pm Sun. 11am - 2pm

**Charity Fundraising Event For Unicef**



**PARISH  
ENVELOPES 2025**

Envelope boxes will be left on tables at the front of the church, organised in alphabetical order, for parishioners to collect. Please only collect your own box to avoid confusion.

**CHRISTMAS OFFERING**

Kindly use the WHITE envelope from your Box or an ordinary envelope with name & address.

**COLLECTIONS (Kells & Girley)**

Plate : €1680;  
Weekly Env: €1928;  
Offerings: €240

Thanks to all those who contribute, count and collect.



Kilmainham	€2,200
Gaeil Colmeille	€9,450
Drumbaragh	€5,100
Handball	€2,100

### Recently Deceased

Mary Shortiss, Headfort Grove; John Doyle, Climber Hall

#### Mass Intentions for Kells



- Sat (Dec 21) 6.30pm - 1st Ann - Rosie Hand, North Lodge, Headfort Demesne; Also Benny & Matt Hand  
- 2nd Ann - Jenny Kerr, Grand Priory  
- 8th Ann - Teresa Caffrey, Fr MacCullen Pk also  
100th Birthday remembrance - John Caffrey  
- Anniv - John, Clare & Larry Rogers, St. Colmcille's Villas
- Sun (Dec 22) 9.30am - 12th Ann - David Drew, Mill Lane  
12.00pm - MM - Breege Maguire, Gardenrath Rd  
- MM - Petria Olohan, Gardenrath Rd Lower  
- 2nd Ann - Pa Tormay, St. Colmcille's Villas also  
Martina, Helen, Josie & Tom Tormay  
- 2nd Ann - Sean Farrelly, Beechlawn  
- 4th Ann - John McNulty  
- 5th Ann - Niamh Pike, née Flanagan, Oldcastle Rd  
- Anniv - Deceased members of the O'Brien & O'Neill families  
- Anniv - Bernadette Ann Casey
- Mon (Dec 23) 10.00am - Anniv - Teresa Rogers, Bective Place & also John Rogers  
- Anniv - Deceased members of the Tevlin Family
- Tues (Dec 24) 10.00am - Birthday Remem. - Gillian Barry  
- Paddy & Kathleen Maguire, Maudlin St & dec'd family  
- Patrick McCabe, Maudlin St
- Sat (Dec 28) 11.00am - 70th Ann - William Carry & 69th Ann - Mary Carry  
- Anniv - Jimmy, Kathleen & Mary Carry  
6.30pm - 1st Ann - Doris Denning, Gardenrath Rd  
- 2nd Ann - Michael Geraghty, Ethelstown & his daughter Caroline  
- 4th Ann - Christy Carberry, Pepperstown & also his brother John  
- Anniv - Bridie Madden, Glenview, Kilmainham
- Sun (Dec 29) 12.00pm - 1st Ann - Cathy Dempsey, Headfort Rd  
- 3rd Ann - Michael Fitzpatrick, Grand Priory  
- 8th Ann - Tommy Flanagan, Cavan Rd also Lily Pat & Ellen Flanagan  
- Anniv - Margaret Mary Murray, Blackwater Heights

#### Mass Intentions for Gireley

- Sun (Dec 22) 10.30am - Anniv - Brendan McGuinness, Triermore  
Wed (Dec 25) 10.30am - Anniv - The Gillic Family, Cloncat

### Anniversaries / Christmas Remembrance

Dec'd mems of Healy Family, Carrick St; Dec'd mems of Rourke Family, Maudlin St;  
Kitty & Benny Carolan, their daughter Romena, Rokfield Rd & son-in-law Bernie Keane, Wicklow; Donal  
Coghlan, Fr MacCullen Pk; Peg Connell & Connell Family, Canon St;  
Sean & Eva Connell, Glenageary, Dublin; Hannah Kilkenny, Rockfield Rd; Annie Keenan, Canon St;  
Gertie & Donal Fleming, Gardenrath Cls; Thomas & Josephine Carpenter & Family, Church View;  
Peter & Kitty Nelson, Kilmainham; James & Elizabeth Murray & dec'd family;  
Julia & Peter McManus & dec'd family; PJ Quigley, Gardenrath; PJ Nugent, Ballinlough;  
Jimmy McDonnell, Colomba Tee; Kit & Kitty Cummins, Balrath; John & Sean Cummins, Slane;  
Joe Cummins, Headfort Grove; George, Mary & Maureen O'Hara, London;  
Patrick & Margaret Farrelly, Boolies; Eileen Donnelly, The Grove, Farrell St;  
Margaret O'Sullivan, Sean O'Sullivan; Bruddy Tumlalty, Tony Tumlalty Murphy;  
Mulvey & Hanly Families, Carrick St; Maguire Family, St. Brigid's Tee;  
Kathleen Grace, Kenlis Crescent; The Bannon Family, Balrath; Kevin Ball, Sedenrath;  
Sean & Lizzie Carroll; Dec'd Customers of Jimmy's Dry Cleaners; Jimmy Bellew;  
Elizabeth Murphy; Kathleen Campbell & Decd mems of Campbell Family, Loyd;  
Dec'd mems of Monaghan Family, Rockfield Rd; Liam, May & Billy Mallon; Dolores Corrigan; Michael & May  
Moran; Dominic & John Reynolds; Patti, Phil & Karen Murphy; Gillian Barry; Robert & Elizabeth Churchill;  
Thomas & Annie Moran; Mary & Dave Colgan; John & Molly Reynolds.