

ROSCREA, BOURNEA, KYLE & KNOCK

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Mass Times		Parish Office Opening: Tuesday to Friday 10am-1pm Tel: 0505-31835 <i>Items for Parish Newsletter to be submitted by 1pm each Wednesday please</i>
Saturday:	Sunday:	
Roscrea 6.30pm	Roscrea 9.00am	
Ballaghmore 7.30pm	Knock 9.30am	
Couraguneen 8.00pm	Camblin 10.00am	
	Clonakenny 11.00am	
	Roscrea 11.30am	

Mass Intentions This Week - ROSCREA

- Sat 4th Apr 6.30pm:** Anniv Mass for Peg Coffey;
Anniv Mass for Mary Armstrong; Anniv Mass for Imelda Comerford.
- Sun 5th Apr 11.30am:** Months Mind and Mass Card Mass for Bridie Delaney; First Anniversary Mass for Maureen Cahir;
Anniv Mass - Declan Quinlan; Anniv Mass - Mary, Eileen & Ned Bush.
- Mon 6th Apr 10am:** Anniv Mass for Pat Carroll.
- Tue 7th Apr 10am:** Anniv Mass for Murt Deane.
- Thur 9th Apr 6.30pm:** Anniv Mass for Deceased Members of the Guinan & Corcoran Families.
- Sat 11th Apr 6.30pm:** Anniv Mass for Stephen & Hannah Johnson;
Anniv Mass for Breda Kirwan.
- Sun 12th Apr 11.30am:** Months Mind and Mass Card Mass for Bernadette Maher; Anniv Mass for Philip O'Rourke;
Anniv Mass for Elizabeth Loughnane.

We remember those who died recently, especially:

- Margaret (Gret) Adams, née Hyland, The Abbey**
Josie Murphy, née Cordial, Ballyegan
Danny Harty, Copper Beech
Nuala Quinlan, Sheehane

Instructions for Mass Online
www.stcronanscluster.ie



Roll your mouse over the picture on the right hand side.

This should bring up a rectangle in the centre of the bottom of the picture.

Click on this to see Mass on full screen.



To exit, click esc on top left hand corner of keyboard.

Pastoral Message of Bishop Fintan Monahan

The following services have been postponed.

- **Public Masses**
- **Baptisms, Weddings**
- **Confessions, Eucharistic Adoration**
- **All First Friday/Pastoral House Calls**
- **The Parish Office is closed to the public.**
Parish business continues by way of telephone/email.
- **Church Buildings are to remain closed until Sunday 12th April or further notice**
THE FULL STATEMENTS ARE AVAILABLE ON OUR PARISH WEBSITE

The obligation to be physically present at Mass on Sundays & Holy Days is suspended for everybody until further notice.

Cronan Pastoral Area Notices

Mass is currently available in St Cronan's Church via **WEBCAM AND RADIO ONLY**

Monday to Saturday inclusive at 10am

Saturday evening at 6.30pm

Sunday morning at 11.30am

Anniversary Masses scheduled for Saint Cronan's Church will take place as scheduled on Saturday evening and Sunday at 11.30am and at 10am on weekdays & will be **celebrated via webcam/radio only**.

If people wish to reschedule these or other Anniversary Masses to an alternative date in any of our parish churches throughout the Pastoral Area, please contact the Parish Office.

The Parish Office is closed to the public but is contactable by either email or telephone as below:

Working Hours: Tuesday to Friday 10am to 1pm

Tel: 0505-31835 Email: roscrearc@gmail.com

We ask that the Parish Mobile be used for emergencies only and not to re-arrange Masses etc.

Mass of Chrism will take place in Ennis Cathedral on Thursday 9th April at 11am – all are invited to join in virtually on www.ennisparish.com

Holy Week Ceremonies

VIA WEBCAM/RADIO ONLY

Holy Thursday

6.30pm Mass of Our Lord's Supper

Good Friday

3pm Celebration of the Passion

6.30pm Stations of the Cross

Holy Saturday

6.30pm Easter Vigil

Easter Sunday

11.30am Holy Mass

Due to public health guidelines, whilst Palms will be blessed on Palm Sunday and Easter Water will be blessed at the Easter Vigil, these will not be available for distribution to ensure the protection & safety of all.

Spiritual Communion Prayer

*My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the most Blessed Sacrament. I love You above all things and I desire to receive You into my soul.
Since I cannot now receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart.
I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You.
Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.*

Radio Maria Ireland is a Catholic radio station on saorview 210 on TV.

Mass is celebrated every day at 10am.

RTE News Now Channel are broadcasting Daily Mass at 10.30am Monday to Friday for those who do not have internet access

Killaloe Diocese Pilgrimage to Lourdes

The Killaloe Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes on 26th June 2020 has been rescheduled to 29th June 2021.

The agreement is with JWT to carry forward to next year all current bookings so that there will be no financial loss to those who are booked. Please do not contact JWT as staff are working from home & do not have full access to their office.

Thank You

A number of people have contacted us in connection with their contribution. In order to facilitate people who wish to contribute to Trócaire and the parish, a box will be at the Sacristy Door half an hour before each of the Easter Ceremonies. Alternatively, if people wish to lodge into the Parish Bank Account, the details are as follows:

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IBAN: IE77 AIBK 935271 20629043

Thank you to those people who are in a position to contribute but we are very conscious of those who are no longer working and their situation presently.

RTE 1 Broadcasting Output of Liturgies

Holy Week 2020

Palm Sunday 11am Mass for Palm Sunday from Maynooth

Holy Thursday 4.40pm Mass of the Lord's Supper from the Cathedral of Christ the King, Mullingar

Celebrant: Fr. Ray Kelly, Parish Priest of Oldcastle & Moylagh

Good Friday 3pm Solemn Liturgy for Good Friday from the Cathedral of Christ the King, Mullingar - Fr. Derek Darby

Holy Saturday 10pm Easter Vigil from the Cathedral of Christ the King, Mullingar - Bishop Tom Deenihan

Easter Sunday 10am Easter Sunday Mass from the Dominican Convent of Saint Jacques, Paris

Translation/Commentary: Fr Thomas McCarthy

Easter Sunday 11am Urbi et Orbi,

Pope Francis' Easter Message

Roscrea Friendship Service

In times such as these, being part of a community is never more important. Making contact and keeping contact with neighbours and friends is never more critical. Age

Friendly Roscrea is expanding their friendly phone call service and welcomes names and contact details from/for anyone who would like a call. Further information about this or any of our services is available from 0505-22550.

Senior Alert - Wondering about getting a personal alarm? This might be a good time to apply – contact 0505-22550.

Coronavirus Support Line for Older People

ALONE has launched a national support line & additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to the outbreak of COVID-19. Professional staff are available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary. The support line is open Monday to Friday 8am-8pm by calling 0818 222 024.

Victim Assistance

As a national charity that offers “emotional” and “practical” support to all victims of crime and those and their families that have experienced a “traumatic” incident, we want to reassure all concerned that we at Victim Assistance are committed to continuing our services to those that need us. Whilst some of our staff are working remotely, we can be contacted through our National Helpline at 1800 277 477, our office telephone 094 9000251 or by email at support@victimassistance.ie. Our offices are manned Monday-Friday 9.30am-5.30pm during these difficult times. Remember – social distancing doesn't mean social isolation – we are here to help and support!

NEWSLETTER DISTRIBUTION

With church buildings now closed to the public, Parish Newsletters will be available for collection in Super Valu, Roscrea and Phelans Siopa, Ballaghmore until our churches re-open to the public.

We extend our huge appreciation to Brian Colclough and Staff, and to Marjorie and Peadar Phelan, for facilitating the distribution of Parish Newsletters in this way.

Viruses are contagious - but so is panic, fear, hysteria, calm, grace, empathy, love and kindness.

Choose wisely which one you will spread!