Parishes of ROSCREA, BOURNEA, KYLE & KNOCK Aug 18th, 2024

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Weekday Mass Times	Saturday Vigil Mass	Sunday Mass	Parish Office
Monday to Saturday	Saint Cronan's Church	Saint Cronan's Church	**Opening Hours:**
Saint Cronan's Church	6.30pm	11.30am	Mon. & Tues. 10am to 4pm
10am			Wed. & Thurs. 10am to 1pm

All Masses in Saint Cronan's Church are available via Parish Radio or Webcam - ww.stcronanscluster.ie
Items for Parish Newsletter to be submitted by 11am each Wednesday please.

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK ROSCREA

Sat Aug 17th 6.30pm:
Months Mind & Mass Card Mass: Bridget McLoughlin (nee Bergin) Newline,
Anniv: Brendan Dunne, Kennedy Park,
Anniv: Murt Bergin, Carrig, Roscrea,
Anniv: Bernie Murphy, Gleann Glas.
Sun Aug 18th 11.30am:
1st Anniv: Aideen Grannell,
1st Anniv: John (Choc) McMahon, Long Island, New York & Assumption Park, his parents Maureen & Pappy & brothers Purdy & Jimmy,
Anniv: Margaret O'Dwyer, St. Cronan's Terrace.
Sat Aug 24th 10am:
Anniv: Denis & Mary Ann Moloney & deceased sons & daughters,
Anniv: Frances & Noel Hanlon, their son Noel & grandson Christopher Noel.
Sat Aug 24th 6.30pm:
1st Anniv: Mary Butler (nee Hartnett), The Haven,
Anniv: PJ McMahon, St. Cronan's Terrace.
Anniv: Pamela Dowling, Chapel Lane
Sun Aug 25th 11.30am:
1st Anniv: Eamon Moloney, Whitepark,
Anniv: Ena O'Lone, Kennedy Park
Anniv: Pat Coonan, Cloncraken.

Couraguneen Sat Aug 17th 7.30pm:
Anniv: Josie Stapleton, Lismackin
Anniv: Ann Byrne, Cullohill
Ballaghmore Sun Aug 18th 9.15am:
Anniv: Jimmy Wheeler, Ballaghmore.
Anniv: Statia & Daniel Rigney, Ballinla
Clonakenny Sat Aug 24th 7.30pm:
Anniv: David O'Dwyer, Clonakenny.
Knock Sun Aug 25th 9:15am
Anniv: Tom Browne, Rockforest

We remember those who died recently including:
Neil Guidera, grandson of Kitty & Billy Rooney, late of Ashbury, who died in London. Funeral was on 12 Aug in Bethnal Green, London

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Roscrea Readers – Sat Aug 24th 6.30pm – Joseph Moloughney & Gerry Brennan, **Sun Aug 25th 11.30am** – Marguerite Maguire McGrath & Lorraine Shaw. **Camblin Reader – Sun Aug 25th 10.15am –** Martin Bergin.

PARISH LOTTO

Last Week's Lucky Dip Winner was
Sadie Rigney - Congratulations
Go to www.ourfundraiser.ie/org/stcronanscluster

Medjugorje Pilgrimage 2024 - October 23rd to 30th
Direct flight to Mostar. €835 PPS – Limited seats available. Contact Séamus Doran 087 9009820

Our Prayer to our Guardian Angel
Angel sent by God to Guide us
Be our Light and Walk beside us
Be our Guardian and Protect us
On the Paths of Life Direct us. Amen

If anybody is housebound or in hospital and would like Fr. John or Fr. Antun to visit with Holy Communion/ Sacraments please contact us. Or on a more regular visit there is always a Eucharistic Minister available.

Welcome to our Parishes Fr Patrick from Kenya

Fr Patrick Musili is a friend of mine all the way from Kenya. He was born in St. Paul's Catholic Parish - Kasyala in the Diocese of Kitui, Kenya. St Paul's Parish was carved from St Patrick's Catholic Parish the first parish that was opened by St Patrick's Missionary Society (Kiltegans), Ireland. Currently, Fr. Patrick is the Parish Priest and Rector of the Diocesan Shrine - Our Lady of Protection - Museve. He was ordained on May 26th 2012. His Bishop is Joseph Mwongela. Fr. Patrick's Diocese was evangelized by the Kiltegan Missionaries and the First Bishop was William Dunne a native of Delvin, Westmeath. I know you will make Fr. Patrick feel very welcome and kindness and generosity will flow among you on his short holiday here in our Pastoral Area. **Fr. John**

Ministry of Serving

As you are aware our Servers in our Pastoral Area are vital and necessary at our Masses. They are so loyal, committed and dedicated. They have done a marvellous job in the last year and we thank them for their Service.
They are invited to remain on in Secondary School.
Starting in September we will recruit from **3rd, 4th, 5th & 6th** classes in all our Schools.
Please pick up a Consent Form in our Sacristies or Parish Office and return it ASAP and training will be provided.

Bournea Historical Society will hold their Annual drive on Sunday 18th August This year it will take place in the parish of Killea. Starting at 1pm and kicking off from the village of Killea. A number of local historians will speak about numerous historical events and places along the route around the parish & promises to be a very interesting and scenic drive. All welcome.

ATTENTION EUCHARISTIC MINSTERS

As per our Diocesan Safeguarding Policy any person who takes the Holy Eucharist to people in their Homes, Nursing Homes, Hospital, or to Neighbours etc. **must have the correct Garda Vetting in place.** This can be done on the Killaloe Diocese website at www.killaloediocese.ie or by contacting the parish office for the Vetting Invitation form.

Thanksgiving Prayer

For each new morning with its light,
For rest and shelter of the night,
For health and food, For love and friends,
For everything your goodness sends.
For flowers that bloom about our feet;
For tender grass, so fresh, so sweet;
For song of bird, and hum of bee;
For all things fair we hear or see,
God in heaven, we thank Thee. **Amen**

Bournea, Kyle & Knock and Camblin **Mass Times**
Please note new Mass times in Knock, Ballagmore & Camblin

Couraguneen	**Clonakenny**	**Camblin**
Saturday 7.30 pm	**Saturday 7.30 pm**	**Sunday 10.15am**
Aug 17th	Aug 24th	Aug 25th
Aug 31st	Sept 7th	Sept 8th
Ballaghmore	**Knock**	
Sunday 9.15am	**Sunday 9.15am**	
Aug 18th	Aug 25th	
Sept 1st	Sept 8th	

Anniversary Masses for all churches within the Pastoral Area can be booked through the Parish Office ONLY at 0505-31835. Funeral Masses in St. Cronan's Church 10am & 12 Noon.

THANK YOU

Thank you sincerely for all your weekly Mass Stipends, Mass Card Stipends (many we send to the Missions for all masses to be celebrated) and all your loyal weekly generosity in our Pastoral Area. Thank You

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Tax Back Scheme

Under the Charities Act, parishes can claim tax back for people who have contributed over €250 to the parish in a year. If you received a form in the post we would appreciate if you could return it promptly. are interested in allowing the parish to avail of this scheme, at no cost to yourself, we ask you to contact the Parish Office for a form. We will then process them

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Volunteer Ministries in the Killaloe Diocese

Have you ever thought of enriching your faith or of equipping yourself to be able to give something to your parish or pastoral area? The Diocese of Killaloe is hoping to build on the success of our initial lay ministry training programme by offering training to those who feel called to give time as Catechist and as Ministers of Pastoral Care. It is hoped to begin journeying with those interested in the Autumn. These ministries will be of interest to those already involved in their parish or pastoral area or those wishing to be more involved in the life of their local Church community. This programme involves lay people working side by side with priests in key ministries in our parishes and pastoral areas.
Brochures are available in your parish or on the Diocesan Webpage. Further information and application forms can be found at https://www.killaloediocese.ie/our-diocese/lay-ministries/

Seasons Prayer

Lord, thank you for walking with us through the Seasons of our lives.
For the Winter, when we are held safe in your arms though the darkness.
For the hope of Spring, as we are filled with new promise and life.
For Summertime, full of warmth and colour,
And for Autumn days as leaves fall to seed new growth. **Amen**

Ray of Sunshine Fundraising Summer Draw

Tickets €5 each. All proceeds towards New Classrooms in Mombasa January 2025. Tickets available from the Parish Office. **Great prizes to be won**, 1st Prize: 2 nights break for 2 people in the Old Ground Hotel, Enniss, 2nd Prize: 2 nights break for 6 people on a Cruiser on the Shannon, 3rd Prize: €300 voucher for Bernie's Super Valu Roscrea & more. Draw will be on 31 August. Tickets will also be available from all Sacristies for the next few weeks.

Roscrea Tidy Towns

This week we concentrated on the Dublin Rd. Weeds are a constant problem and some plants are coming to their end of life. Many overgrown shrubs needed drastic pruning. We acknowledge the help we had on Saturday from volunteers from both Racket Hall and Corville House.
Litter Fact: The Plastic Bag – particularly dog fouling bags They last THOUSANDS of YEARS – please dispose carefully

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A Farmer's Prayer

Lord, bless this land you've given me
And may I always know
As I tend each crop and creature
You're the One who helps them grow.
Grant me strength and wisdom
Please protect me from all harm.
And thank you, Lord
For your gracious gift…The blessing of my farm. **Amen**

Dancing at the Crossroads

Sunday 25th Aug – Knock Village (E53 YH93)
A Fantastic fun filled day promised for all the family, young & not as young! Music, dancing, soccer blitz, raffle, sheaf throwing, stalls - More info from knockdatc@gmail.com

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Age Friendly Roscrea
Rambling House

Our next Rambling House will take place on Friday 23rd of August at 7pm (as part of Heritage Week) join us for music, storytelling and craic.

Prayer to Our Mother Mary, Health of the Sick

Blessed Mother, through the countless miracles attributed to your intercession and your kind and compassionate heart, be with me during this time of ill health and accompany me as I face this sickness. Help me to experience Gods healing power through your prayers and the prayers of others.
Lead me to unite myself to the Cross of Jesus so that this suffering may bring Spiritual benefit to me and to others. **Amen**
Our Lady of Lourdes Pray for us
St. Bernadette Pray for us
St. Martin de Porres of Lima Pray for us
St. Rose of Lima Pray for us. **Amen**