



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 27th Apr 6.30pm: Months Mind Mass for Rosemary Byrne; Anniv Mass for Pat O'Meara; Anniv Mass for Helen Hynes; Anniv Mass for Victor & Mai Reid.

Sun 28th Apr 9am: Anniv Mass for Thomas Bergin, Peg Reidy & Deceased Members of the Family;

11.30am: First Anniversary Mass for Girlie Rooney; Anniv Mass for Patrick & Patricia Delaney, Skeirke; Anniv Mass for John & Evelyn Moloney.

Mon 29th Apr 10am: Anniv Mass for Deceased Members of the McLoughlin Family.

Wed 1st May 10am: Anniv Mass for Bridie Delaney, Abbey Street.

Thur 2nd May 10am: Memorial Mass for Rachel Lee Ennis.

Fri 3rd May 10am: Anniv Mass for Margaret Fitzpatrick; Anniv Mass for Peter Rigney;

6.30pm: Anniv Mass for Kitty Ryan; Anniv Mass for William & Bridget Maher.

Sat 4th May 10am: Anniv Mass for Bill & Jean Guidera;

6.30pm: First Anniversary Mass for Anne Flynn; Anniv Mass for Denis Delaney, Demesne; Anniv Mass for Michael & Mary Coonan, Peggy, Una, Pat & Michael.

Sun 5th May 9am: Anniv Mass for Tom Harte;

Anniv Mass for Lil & Billy Moloughney; **11.30:** Anniv Mass for Patricia Green; Anniv Mass for Debbie England.

Ballaghmore

Sat 27th April 7.30pm: Memorial of Madge Quigley, née Rigney; Anniv Mass for Oliver Parlon; Anniv Mass for Joseph Grady.

Sat 4th May 7.30pm: Anniv Mass for Pauline Maher.

Knock

Sun 28th Apr 9.30am: Anniv Mass for Paddy & Mary O'Sullivan;

Anniv Mass for Deceased Members of the Hennessy Family.

Sun 5th May 9.30am: Anniv Mass for Mary Fogarty, Cullaun.

Clonakenny

Sun 28th Apr 11am: Anniv Mass for Paddy Maher.

We remember those who died recently, including:

Madge Quigley, née Rigney, Nenagh & Late of Kilmartin

First Friday 3rd May 2019

Mass will be celebrated as follows:

Roscrea: 10am & 6.30pm; **Clonakenny:** 7.30pm

Fatima Prayers before 10am Mass Saturday morning

Bereavement Support Group

Next drop-in session: *Friday 3rd May 11am* in the Parish Centre, Roscrea. For info, please contact 085-1918550.



Renovation of Calvary in Roscrea Cemetery

A Committee has been formed to take on the task of renovating Calvary.

The above picture is an artists impression of the planned works. The Committee would welcome the help of all those who are willing to help with planting/maintaining Calvary. To help with the costs of this renovation work, a Bucket Collection will take place at entrances to St. Cronan's Church next weekend before all Masses. Your generosity would be greatly appreciated. If you would like to make a contribution to this work, please contact Chairperson Shane Lee or Secretary Ann Neville.

Sacred Space for Easter

St. Cronan's Church received a Sacred Space from TY students in Cistercian College, Roscrea. Paddy Smyth designed the piece with TY students assisting him on putting it together. Depicting the events of Holy Week, we welcome parishioners throughout our Pastoral Area to reflect at it.

Diving Mercy Sunday

Devotions will be held in St. Mary of the Rosary, Nenagh, as follows: 2-3pm: Adoration & Confessions
3pm: 3 o'clock Prayer including Conversion Prayer, Chaplet, Blessing & Veneration of the Image
3.30pm: Holy Mass followed by Benediction

Knock Shrine Night Vigil

Friday 3rd May with Confessions from 8-9pm followed by Vigil from 9 to Midnight with Rosary, Holy Hour and Mass. Bus will serve Dunkerrin 4pm sharp; Roscrea 4.15pm; Birr 4.30pm & all usual areas. Fare Adults €15 Students €5.
Booking: Mgt Ryan 087-1509522, Mary McGee 086-4055570, Michael Doyle 086-1018638, Paula 087-7427307 or any member of Legion of Mary.

Save the Date! Annual Killaloe Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine - Sunday 23rd June, Feast of Corpus Christi

A Mass for Sri Lanka

Bishop Brendan Leahy will celebrate a Mass for Sri Lanka, for the victims of the Easter Sunday bombings, in the Redemptorist Church, Limerick, on Sunday April 28th 7.15pm

Mothers Prayer Group

We are planning to start a Mothers Prayer Group in Roscrea. Mothers Prayers is for mothers who wish to pray together for their children and grandchildren. During the meeting, we unite in prayer & surrender our children to Jesus by placing their names in a basket at the foot of the cross.

The opening meeting will be held in St. Cronan's Parish Centre on Tuesday 30th April at 12.30. It will be facilitated by the Co-ordinator of Mothers Prayers for Ireland. All are welcome! For more info, please contact 086-3989551.

Marriage Preparation Facilitators

Accord Catholic Marriage Care Service is currently recruiting volunteers. If you have a positive attitude towards marriage in the Catholic Church & have the enthusiasm to be part of the Accord team in supporting couples who are preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage, Accord wants to hear from you!

Successful applicants will receive professional training and will be part of a team delivering marriage preparation courses locally. Contact Aisling on 01 505 3112 or by email to info@accord.ie - www.accord.ie

Volunteers Wanted: For Ray of Sunshine Foundation - Blocklayers, Plasterers, Carpenters, Tilers, Electricians for 10 days in Kenya January 2020. Contact Barry Dunne 086-8368232 or Fr John Molloy 086-815-2828

Basket Collectors (Roscrea) Team A - May

6.30pm: S Crofton, J Cummins, PJ Wright, P Mullally

9am: J Dooley, J Campion, P Dooley, M McLoughlin

11.30am: G Horan, J Gleeson, M Phelan

Readers – Sunday 5th May

Roscrea: 6.30pm: Folk Group; 9am: B Campion;

11.30am: E Collis; **Camblin:** 10am: V Burke;

Couraguneen: 8pm: D Ryan; **Clonakenny** 11am: A Cody

Ministers of the Eucharist – Sunday 5th May

Ros 6.30pm: A Delaney, E MacMahon, PJ Hassett, F De Lewis

9am: J Carroll, C Phelan, R Mulrooney, T Franks, M Heffernan

11.30am: P Caverley, M Phelan, M Landy, J McMahon

Camblin 10am: M Leamy **Ballaghmore** 7.30pm: B Phelan

Couraguneen 8pm: M Hennessy **Clonakenny** 11am: E Greed

Financial Matters-Basket Collections 20th/21st April

Thank you for your generosity towards our basket collection & Easter Priests Collection

**Final Call for Trócaire Envelopes & Boxes!
Please return them to the Sacristy this week**

Trócaire Thanks

"This is the Lord's doing: and it is wonderful in our eyes." Psalms 118:23. Trócaire thanks all parishioners and clergy for their support of this year's Lenten campaign. Please return Trócaire boxes so donations can be put to use as soon as possible helping the most vulnerable in the developing world. www.trocaire.org

Annual Mass & Anointing of Sick

Annual Mass & Anointing for people with disabilities and chronic illnesses in Ennis Cathedral on Wednesday, 15th May 2-3pm with Bishop Fintan Monahan as Chief Celebrant, assisted by many Priests for the anointing. All are welcome.

"Come and See" John 1:39

Seeking God in Prayer and Community

Mount Saint Joseph Abbey are hosting a Monastic Experience Weekend from Friday 28th - Sunday 30th June. If you have thought sometimes that God might be calling you to religious life, but have hesitated to take the first step, this may be for you.

For info, please contact our Vocations Director, Br Malachy Thompson, by email to vocations@msjroscrea.ie or text 'INFO' to 085 8338503.

Lough Derg Retreats

Lough Derg One Day Retreats begin on Saturday 4th May and continue on 5th, 6th, 11th, 12th, 14th, 19th, 21st, 25th, 26th and 27th. Why not take some time and space on Lough Derg personally or as a parish group this May? A new event for those who serve in lay parish ministry is our Parish Ministry Day Saturday 18th May. Booking essential.

Tel: 0719861518 info@loughderg.org www.loughderg.org

Darkness into Light

5Km Walk in aid of Pieta House on Saturday morning 11th May at 4.15am beginning from the Scout Hall, Abbey Street, Roscrea. To register, go to www.darknessintolight.ie
All are very welcome – support greatly appreciated!

Roscrea Musical Society – My Fair Lady

Booking for 'My Fair Lady' is in Roscrea Credit Union 0505 23600 or you can email roscreamsbookings@gmail.com.

'My Fair Lady' is running from Sat 27th April until Sat 4th May nightly at 8pm excluding Sun 28th April.

Citizens Online - Free Basic Internet Course

This course is aimed at people with little or no experience of using the internet. This course runs for four Wednesdays and is free to participate - Venue: Birr Library

Date: 8th of May 5.30pm to 7.30pm

Contact Ballycommon Training Centre on 05793-53177

Reminder to check out our website to keep up to date with news from our Pastoral Area – www.stcronanscluster.ie