

Parishes of

ROSCREA, BOURNEA, KYLE & KNOCK

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December 29th 2019

Mass Times

Saturday:

Roscrea	6.30pm
Knock	7.30pm
Couraguneen	8.00pm

Sunday:

Roscrea	9.00am
Ballaghmore	9.30am
Camblin	10.00am
Clonakenny	11.00am
Roscrea	11.30am

Parish Office Opening:

Tuesday to Friday 10am-1pm

Tel: 0505-31835

Items for Parish Newsletter to be submitted by 1pm each Wednesday please

Mass Intentions This Week

Roscrea

Sat 28th Dec 6.30pm: Months Mind & Mass Card Mass for

Elizabeth O'Connor, née Sharpe;

Anniv Mass for Johnny Downey;

Anniv Mass for Dena O'Meara;

Anniv Mass for Deceased Members of the Rigney Family.

Sun 29th Dec 10am: Anniv Mass for Mick Lynch;

11.30am: Months Mind & Mass Card Mass for Nora Kennedy;

Anniv Mass for Elizabeth & Michael O'Connor;

Anniv Mass for William Bergin, his parents & deceased family.

Mon 30th Dec 10am: Anniv Mass for Bridget & James Pardy.

Tue 31st Dec 10am: Anniv Mass for Sean Nolan.

Wed 1st Jan 10am: Anniv Mass for Margaret Heeney.

Thur 2nd Jan 10am: Anniv Mass for Miley Hutchinson.

Fri 3rd Jan 10am: Special Intention.

Sat 4th Jan 6.30pm: Anniv Mass for Patricia Murdock.

Sun 5th Jan 11.30am: Anniv Mass for Mary Collins;

Anniv Mass for Dan & Kathleen McDonnell;

Anniv Mass for Ted Brophy.

Camblin

Sun 5th Jan 10am: Anniv Mass for Martin Kirwan.

Ballaghmore

Sat 4th Jan 7.30pm: Anniv Mass for Jack & Mae Scully.

Knock

Sun 5th Jan 9.30am: Anniv Mass for Elisha Cahill & Aishling Keenehan.

Couraguneen

Sat 4th Jan 8pm: Anniv Mass for Jack Stapleton.

Clonakenny

Sun 29th Dec 11am: Months Mind Mass for Ned Stapleton &

Anniversary Mass for Gary Stapleton.

Sun 5th Jan 11am: Anniv Mass for John Maher.

We remember those who died recently, especially:

Ann Moloney, née England, Clonakenny & Late of
Cloneganna, Dunkerrin

Nancy Troy, 125 Kennedy Park

Donie O'Meara, 3 Green Street

Sean Deeley, New Ross

Financial Matters -Basket Collections 21st/22nd Dec

Thank you for your continued support to our weekly collection for the upkeep of our parishes.

Happy New Year

As a new decade is about to begin, we extend best wishes to all for the coming year. We also take this opportunity to thank all the people who were involved in preparing our churches & liturgies in our three parishes, for the Season of Christmas. Throughout our Cronan Pastoral Area, the gifts and talents of so many people are fostered, nourished and generously shared for the good of our cluster. We thank all those who are involved throughout



the year in so many ministries, groups and committees to ensure our cluster is an effective and faithful source of God's presence. We extend our deep appreciation to all of our parishioners for your continued generosity and support,

not just in your financial contributions, but also in the time, energy, service and commitment of so many people at parish level. May 2020 bring God's peace & joy to all!

Change of Mass Time

Kyle & Knock from next weekend

Ballaghmore: Every Saturday at 7.30pm

Knock: Every Sunday at 9.30am

Feast of the Solemnity of Mary –

World Day of Peace 1st January

Mass will be celebrated on Tuesday January 1st at 10am in St. Cronan's Church for World Day of Peace

First Friday – Friday 3rd January 2020

Mass will be celebrated in St. Cronan's at 10am & 6.30pm and in Clonakenny at 7pm.

Fatima Prayers before 10am Mass on Saturday morning

Feast of the Epiphany – Monday 6th January 2020

Mass for this Holy Day of Obligation will be celebrated:

Roscrea: Sunday 5th January 6.30pm

Roscrea: Monday 6th January 10am

Clonakenny: Monday 6th January 11am

Couraguneen: Monday 6th January 7pm

Ballaghmore: Monday 6th January 7.30pm

Cronan Pastoral Area Information

All forms are available in the Parish Office. The office is located on the grounds of St. Cronan's Church in the Parish Centre, beside the belfry – E53 F599

Alternatively forms may be downloaded on our website.

- **Ceremonies in St. Cronan's Church** may be viewed live through our webcam on our website – www.stcronanscluster.ie
- We require a minimum of 6 months notice for all **weddings** – a Marriage Request Form must be filled out by the couple marrying and returned by them. All weddings booked incur a fee of €300. This fee covers the cost of church paperwork, use of the church, priest & sacristan. The fee is payable upon booking. The date cannot be confirmed until this fee is received & a receipt is issued.
- At least one month's notice is required for **Baptisms**. Please fill out the Baptism Request Form and return it to the Parish Office. In preparation for the Sacrament of Baptism, the Parish Baptismal Team in Roscrea hold a meeting for those who wish to have their child baptised. A member of the Baptismal Team will contact you before the Baptism informing you of the date and venue.
 - If there is anybody who is **sick, housebound** or hospitalised who would like a visit, or anybody else who would like a visit for a particular reason, please contact the Parish Office at 0505-31835.
- **Free Transport Service to Daily Mass** - St. Cronan's Church - Local Link provides a door-to-door bus service for older people living in the Roscrea area on Tuesday, Thursday & Friday mornings. Available to anybody who needs it, please contact 0761-066140 for more info or to avail of this service.
 - **Legion of Mary** meet in the Parish Centre every Monday at 6.30pm. New members welcome.
 - The **Divine Mercy Prayer Group** meet in the Parish Centre every Thursday evening at 7.30pm. New members are always welcome.
- **Mothers Prayer Group** meetings are held in St. Cronan's Parish Centre every Tuesday at 11am.
 - **Eucharistic Adoration**
Clonakenny: Every Monday 6.30-7.30pm
Couraguneen: Every Monday 7-8pm
Ballaghmore: Every Wednesday 7.30pm-8.30pm
St. Cronan's Church: Monday to Friday immediately after 10am Mass until 11am & every Thursday 10am-10pm
- **Roscrea Bereavement Support Group** 085-1918550
Next Meeting: Friday 3rd Jan 11am in Parish Centre
- **North Tipp Hospice Roscrea Branch Drop-In Service** 087-7560520
- Roscrea Red Cross **Food Cloud** every Wednesday in the Parish Centre, Roscrea from 12.30-1pm. The surplus food is donated by Tesco & is available free of charge to those who need it.

Rotas are ready for collection in the Sacristy

Readers – 4th/5th January

Roscrea: 6.30pm: Folk Group 9am: D Donnelly
11.30am: M Teehan Camblin: 10am: V Burke
Couraguneen 8pm: P Byrne Clonakenny 11am: A Shelly

Ministers of the Eucharist – 4th/5th January

6.30pm: NLoughnane, ETynan, MMullally, JHaugh, PJHassett
9am: J Carroll, C Phelan, R Mulrooney, T Franks
11.30am: P Caverley, M Phelan, E Collis, M Landy
Camblin 10am: D Cody Ballaghmore 9.30am: G Breen
Couraguneen 8pm: E Mortimer Clonakenny 11am: B Murray

Collection Counters – Ballaghmore – 4th/5th Jan

C Grady & J Phelan

Basket Collectors – Roscrea – January – Team A

6.30pm: S Crofton, J Cummins, PJ Wright, P Mullally
9am: J Dooley, J Campion, P Dooley, M McLoughlin
11.30am: S Dooley, G Horan, J Gleeson, M Phelan

Age Friendly Roscrea Dinner & Hooley

Sunday 5th January 1pm to 5pm - Racket Hall Hotel
Tickets €18 available from Committee Members or by contacting Anne at 083-1133987

SemiColon Project Roscrea – Counselling

SemiColon Project Roscrea are delighted to bring a Counsellor to Roscrea – she is working with aged 16+. She is in Roscrea every Monday and can be contacted at 089-2007668.

Diabetes Education Course

CODE stands for 'Community Oriented Diabetes Education'. Programmes are run by Pauline Dunne Senior Dietitian with Diabetes Ireland, and are free to attend. The next CODE programme in Co Tipperary will run at Cre House, Primary Care Centre, Roscrea, starting Weds 22nd Jan 2020 in the morning. It runs over 3 weeks, and each session lasts 2 – 2 ½ hours, with a follow up at 6 months. CODE covers 'what is diabetes/ pre-diabetes', 'knowing my numbers', physical activity and healthy eating. To book your place, phone Regina in our Western office, on 071 9146001 or email info@diabetes.ie. Please note: places are limited and must be pre-booked.

Ballaghmore Muintir Christmas Draw

Winners: 1st Prize – Michael Madden; 2nd Prize – Martin Fogarty; 3rd Prize – Geraldine Breen

Other prizewinners are on the noticeboard in Phelans Siopa. Muintir wish to thank all who supported this fundraiser.

Gaelscoil Christmas Draw Winner – Linda Egan

Yoga – Ballaghmore: Yoga Classes resume in Ballaghmore Hall on Tuesday 7th January at 7pm – for info, please contact Aislinn at 087-6228597