

ROSCREA, BOURNEA, KYLE & KNOCK

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

Mass Intentions This Week

Roscrea

Sat 29th Dec 6.30pm: First Anniversary Mass for Dena O'Meara;
Anniv Mass for Johnny Downey.

Sun 30th Dec 9am: Anniv Mass for Mick Lynch;
11.30am: Anniv Mass for Michael & Elizabeth O'Connor.

Tue 1st Jan 10am: Months Mind & Mass Card Mass for Brendan O'Reilly;
Anniv Mass for Margaret Heaney.

Wed 2nd Jan 10am: First Anniversary Mass for Miley Hutchinson;
Anniv Mass for Sean Nolan.

Sat 5th Jan 6.30pm: First Anniversary Mass for Imelda Matthews;
Anniv Mass for John Quealy;
Anniv Mass for Anne Heffernan (née Carroll).

Sun 6th Jan 9am: Anniv Mass for Ted Brophy;
11.30am: Anniv Mass for Mary Collins;
Anniv Mass for Padraig Moloney;
Anniv Mass for Patricia Murdock.

Camblin

Sun 6th Jan 10am: Anniv Mass for Eoin Ryan.

Ballaghmore

Sat 5th Jan 7.30pm: First Anniversary Mass for Mae Scully &
Anniv Mass for Jack Scully.

Knock

Sun 6th Jan 9.30am: Anniv Mass for Elisha Cahill & her grandparents
Winnie & Bill.

Couraguneen

Sat 29th Dec 8pm: Anniv Mass for John & Nora Kirwan.

Tue 1st Jan 7pm: Mass.

Sat 5th Jan 8pm: Anniv Mass for Kathleen Kelly, Boulebane;
Anniv Mass for Jack Stapleton.

Clonakenny

Fri 4th Jan 7pm: First Friday Mass.

Sun 6th Jan 11am: Anniv Mass for Bridget & Patrick Treacy.

We pray for those who died recently, especially:

Frances Standish, née Wrenn, Summerhill

Monica Kealey, née Corrigan, Kinnitty

John Brennan, Ballybrophy

Used stamps are collected in the Parish Office all year round

Eucharistic Adoration – Ballaghmore

There will be no Adoration on January 2nd –
normal times will resume after that.



Happy New Year

As 2019 is about to unfold, we extend best wishes to all for the coming year.

We take this opportunity to thank all those people who were involved in preparing our churches & liturgies, throughout our three parishes, for the Season of Christmas. Throughout our Cronan Cluster, 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 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 2019 bring an abundance of God's graces & blessings!



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

Mass will be celebrated on Monday December 31st at 6.30pm in St. Cronan's Church & on January 1st at 10am in St. Cronan's Church & at 7pm in Couraguneen

First Friday – Friday 4th January 2019

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

Roscrea Parish Shop: Opens immediately after weekday & weekend Masses. Stocking a selection of 2019 Diaries & Calendars, Gifts, Christening Candles, Frames, Holy Water Fonts, Rosary Beads, Prayers, Candles, Gravelights, Wedding Candles, Prayer Books, Statues, Pyxes & Signed Mass Cards, look no further for those special gifts!

Documentary on the World Meeting of Families

The documentary will air on December 31st at 7pm RTÉ 1.

Killaloe Diocese Lourdes Pilgrimage 2019

The 63rd Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes from the Diocese of Killaloe under the leadership of Bishop Fintan Monahan will leave Shannon Airport on Tuesday 25th June returning Sunday 30th June. €725pps full board with €20 discount for online booking. Special section for assisted pilgrims with details from Fr Tom Ryan, Cathedral Ennis 087-2349816.

All other bookings to joewalshtours.ie

Solas – An overnight of Faith, Fun and Workshops

St. Flannan's College Ennis - Friday 18th Jan 6:30pm-Saturday 19th Jan at 2pm. All TY to 6th Year students are welcome.

For more info/bookings contact

Joanne 085-874 9207 or Cora 087-240 0135

Pilgrimage to Rome led by Bishop Fintan Monahan for all

those who pass on the faith to our youth. €599 April 23rd - 26th. For further information contact Joanne 085-874 9207

All Ireland Rosary Rally for Faith and Life

Merrion Square, Dublin 1st January 2019 For further information please contact Ann 087-7803459

Youth Ministry Vacancy - Diocese of Limerick

Info from Recruitment, Diocese of Limerick, Diocesan Centre, St. Munchin's, Corbally recruitment@limerickdiocese.org
Closing Date for applications: 12noon Friday January 25th

Basket Collectors (Roscrea) Team A - January

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, S Dooley

Readers – Sunday 6th January

Roscrea: 6.30pm: Folk Group 9am: M Kenny
11.30am: Y O'Rourke **Camblin:** 10am: M Stanley
Couraguneen 8pm: E Mullally **Clonakenny** 11am: Á Fogarty

Ministers of the Eucharist – Sunday 6th January

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

9am: B Fitzgerald, B Hynes, M Shanahan, F De Lewis

11.30am: A Mathew, M Ryan, M Ryan, J O'Grady, J Byrne

Camblin: 10am: E Marrinan **Ballaghmore:** 9.30am: M Phelan

Couraguneen 8pm: M Coonan **Clonakenny** 11am: D Longe

Rotas: Rotas are ready for collection in the Sacristy of each church: Camblin – Readers;

Couraguneen/Clonakenny – Readers & Eucharistic Ministers
Ballaghmore – Eucharistic Ministers

Thanking you all for your involvement in our parishes.

New Readers & Eucharistic Ministers are required in

Bournea – if you would be interested in volunteering, please contact the Sacristan in Couraguneen/Clonakenny.

Christmas and New Year Hooley

The Big Christmas & New Year Hooley will take place on Sunday January 6th in Racket Hall starting at 1.30pm with dinner, followed by music, entertainment and lots of spot prizes. Cover charge: €20. Further details from 0505 22550.

Roscrea Bereavement Support Group

Bereavement Support Meetings take place in the Parish Centre with a cuppa & a chat with other adults who are also on a grief journey, regardless of how long ago it has been since you were bereaved. Next drop-in session is Friday 4th January at 11am. For more info, contact 085-1918550.

Baptisms & Marriages

Request Forms must be filled out for all Baptisms & Marriages taking place in Roscrea, Bournea, Kyle & Knock. Request Forms are available in the Parish Office & in the Sacristy in Roscrea or can be downloaded at www.stcronanscluster.ie/-preparations.html

A Fee of €300 is payable for the booking of weddings in our Parish Churches.

This fee covers Church Paperwork, Use of the Church, Priest & Sacristan. The fee is payable upon booking.

Financial Matters

Thank you for your continued support to our weekly collection for the upkeep of our parishes & for donations towards Priests Collection – your support is much appreciated.

Roscrea: Parish Envelopes for 2019 will be available for collection in the Parish Office this week between 2 & 5pm.

A bunch of keys was found in Roscrea Graveyard – please contact the Sacristy if you think they may be yours

A New Year Wish!

May God make 2019 a happy one,
not by shielding you from all sorrows and pain,
but by strengthening you to bear it as it comes;
not by making your path easy,
but by making you sturdy to travel any path;
not by taking hardships from you,
but by taking the fears from your heart;
not by granting you unbroken sunshine,
but by keeping your face bright even in the shadows;
not by making your life always pleasant,
but by showing you when people and their causes need you
most and by making you anxious to be there to help.
May the dawn of this new year
fill your heart with new hopes, open up new horizons, and
bring for you promises of bright tomorrows!