

# Parishes of ROSCREA, BOURNEA, KYLE & KNOCK

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## CLUSTER MASS TIMES

Saturday:		Sunday:		Sunday:	
Roscrea	6.30pm	Roscrea	8.30am	Roscrea	10.30am
Ballaghmore	7.30pm	Barna	9.30am	Clonakenny	11.00am
Dunkerrin	8.00pm	Knock	9.30am	Moneygall	11.00am
Couraguneen	8.00pm	Camblin	10.00am	Roscrea	12 noon

## Mass Intentions This Week

### Roscrea

**Sat 18<sup>th</sup> Jun 6.30pm:** Anniv Mass for Jimmy O'Brien; Anniv Mass for Nora Seacy.

**Sun 19<sup>th</sup> Jun 10.30am:** Anniv Mass for Patrick Dalton;

**12noon:** Anniv Mass for Michael & Delia Talbot.

**Fri 24<sup>th</sup> Jun 10am:** Anniv Mass for Peg Fletcher.

**Sat 25<sup>th</sup> Jun 10am:** Anniv Mass for Owen Ryan; 6.30pm: Anniv Mass for Michael Flynn; Anniv Mass for Nora & Joe Tobin.

**Sun 26<sup>th</sup> Jun 12noon:** Anniv Mass for Ponty & Kitty Carey.

### Ballaghmore

**Sat 25<sup>th</sup> Jun 7.30pm:** Anniv Mass for Margaret Kirwan.

### Knock

**Sun 26<sup>th</sup> Jun 9.30am:** Anniv Mass for Charles Browne.

### Couraguneen

**Sat 18<sup>th</sup> Jun 8pm:** Anniv Mass for Deceased Members of the Walsh Family, Ballinock.

**Tue 21<sup>st</sup> Jun 8pm:** Mass.

### Clonakenny

**Mon 20<sup>th</sup> Jun 8pm:** Mass.

### We remember in our prayers those who died including:

Br. Dominic Tobin OCSO, Mount Saint Joseph Abbey;  
Breda Fanning, Moneygall & Mount Carmel;  
Mick Monks, Lower Limerick St; Helen Fallon, Birr Road.

## Father's Day

He never looks for praises; he's never one to boast.  
He just goes on quietly working for those he loves the most.  
His dreams are seldom spoken; his wants are very few;  
And most of the time his worries will go unspoken too.  
He's there - a firm foundation, through all our storms of life;  
A sturdy hand to hold to in times of stress & strife;  
A true friend we can turn to when times are good or bad;  
One of our greatest blessings - the man that we call "Dad".  
*Wishing all the dads in our parishes a very happy & relaxing*

*Father's Day! Today, in a special way, we also remember all the fathers who are no longer with us. We thank God for the influence they had on our lives.*

As the students taking their Leaving & Junior Cert enter their

last week of exams, we continue to pray for them all. We ask God to protect them, to calm their anxieties & to grant them a sense of serenity & peace in their efforts.



PLEASE ENSURE TO HAVE ALL ITEMS FOR INCLUSION IN THE PARISH OFFICE TO THE PARISH OFFICE BEFORE 1PM WEDNESDAY

Peter's Pence collection will take place next weekend. This collection is taken up to fund the administrative costs in Rome & in our own Diocesan Offices. Please use the special "Peter's Pence" envelope from your annual supply.

## Weddings – Bournea

From January 1<sup>st</sup> 2017, a fee will be payable for the booking of St. Patrick's Church, Couraguneen & St. Brigid's Church, Clonakenny for Weddings. The Fee of €300 will cover Church Paperwork, Use of the Church, Priest & Sacristan. The Fee will be payable nearer to the date of the Wedding. A Request Form must be filled up for all Weddings at time of booking. Forms are available from the Parish Office or on our Parish Website. Weddings can be booked in the Parish Office or directly with the Priest.

## Roscrea Ministers of the Eucharist

### NEW MINISTERS ARE REQUIRED –

For more information or to volunteer, please contact any of the Priests of the Parish or the Parish Office. All help would be deeply appreciated.

## Readers – Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> June

### Roscrea:

6.30pm (Vigil) Folk Group  
8.30am H Deeley  
10.30am C Lorigan  
12.00noon Y O'Rourke

**Camblin:** 10am V Burke

**Couraguneen:** 8pm P Byrne

**Clonakenny:** 11am A Shelly

## Ministers of the Eucharist – Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> June

### Roscrea:

6.30pm (Vigil) PJ Hassett, M Mullally, M Dooley  
8.30am C Phelan, M Shanahan, F De Lewis  
10.30am L Hennessy, J Jones, T Franks  
12.00noon N Moore, J Haugh, J O'Dwyer

**Camblin:** 10am D Cody

**Couraguneen:** 8pm (Vigil) B Cantwell

**Clonakenny:** 11am B Murray

## Sacred Heart Burial Plot Prayer Service

All parishioners are invited to share in the Prayer Service at the Sacred Heart Nun's Burial Plot in the New Cemetery in Roscrea on **Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> June at 5pm**. Past pupils are particularly encouraged to attend in prayer & thanksgiving.

## Bus for the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes

A bus will leave Roscrea for Shannon Airport on *Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> June* to connect with the pilgrimage flight to Lourdes. It will collect pilgrims on their return journey on *July 1<sup>st</sup>*.

Please contact 0505-21605 or 087-6781575 for more information or to book your seat.

## Holy Year of Mercy on Lough Derg

Pope Francis has placed pilgrimage at the heart of the Jubilee Year – Come on pilgrimage to Lough Derg, a holy island of deep pastoral care, mercy & renewal. [www.loughderg.org](http://www.loughderg.org)

**Three Day Pilgrimage: Friday 8<sup>th</sup>-Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> July**  
**One Day Retreat: 21<sup>st</sup> August** (*travelling on 20<sup>th</sup> August & accommodation en-route*) For further details, please contact Miriam Lupton on 086-3009241 after 6pm.

## Diocesan Pilgrimage to Our Lady of Knock

The Annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock this year will take place on **Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> July**. Buses serving Roscrea will leave the Car Park at the back of the old Tesco at 9am. Adults €15; Children €7. **For booking or further info, please contact Margaret at 087-1509522 or Mary at 086-4055570 or any member of the Legion of Mary.** Mass will be concelebrated in the newly refurbished Basilica, with the Toomevara Choir.

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For the second year, the diocese in conjunction with Knock Youth Ministry, is trying to include as many young people as possible to add a "Youth Dimension" to the pilgrimage. Any youth over 14 years who are interested in participating, please contact the Diocesan Office on 065 6828638 or via [email office@killaloe-diocese.ie](mailto:office@killaloe-diocese.ie) before *June 24<sup>th</sup>* to facilitate the arrangements for the day. **PLEASE BOOK BUS EARLY.**

## Justice & Peace

It is said that "Justice is truth in action". The Killaloe Diocesan Pastoral Plan, *Builders of Hope*, initiated by Bishop Kieran O'Reilly seeks to put truth into action. Does justice matter to you? Do you believe that injustice anywhere is a threat to justice everywhere? Do you believe the Church should have a voice on local justice matters? Do you believe you have a voice? If so, the Justice & Peace strand of the Pastoral Plan is something you should and must be involved in. For more information contact Fr. Gerard Fitzgerald at [fitz.ger@gmail.com](mailto:fitz.ger@gmail.com) or on (065) 6824043 for more info.

## Morning Rosary

The Rosary is recited every morning in St. Cronan's Church at 9.35am. **New volunteers are needed to offer the Rosary.** For further details or to volunteer, please contact the Parish Office or leave your name in the

Sacristy – all help would be very much appreciated.



## Cemetery Masses

**Roscrea:** Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> July 7.30pm  
**Dungar:** Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> August 7pm  
**Kyle:** Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> July 7.30pm  
**\*Ballaghmore:** Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> July 7.30pm  
**Clonakenny:** Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 11am  
**Buggaun:** Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> July 8pm  
**Couraguneen:** Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> July 8pm

*\*Please note change in date for Ballaghmore Mass*

## Year of Mercy

This special Jubilee of Mercy calls us to reflect on the reality of God's love for us. Perhaps the most difficult facet of this love & mercy is that we must accept it. It is not enough that we have received the mercy of God – we must choose to say "yes" to it, so that God's mercy might change & transform us. Living out this reality of God's love & mercy for us can sometimes be challenging, especially when life gets busy.

The days that we don't have time for God are the days we need Him most! St. Paul reassures us that life is not meant to be stressful. He wrote "Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer & supplication with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts & your minds in Christ Jesus." (*Philippians 4:6-7*)

When you're feeling overwhelmed, take a deep breath & just let go, hand it over to God.

## Coffee Morning in aid of Motor Neurone Disease

Taking place in the *Abbey Hall on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> June from 10.15am – 12noon*. For more info, please contact any member of Roscrea Country Market or Florence Reid at 087-7670875. Please support generously.

## Family Fun Day – Ballaghmore Village

A Vintage Display, Dog Show & Family Fun Day, *with no entry fee*, will take place on *Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> July in Kyle GAA Field*. Registration for dogs starts at 12.30pm, with lots of prizes for various classes. Entry is open to all. Side attractions include Midland Archery Display, face-painting, stalls, tea & coffee. Enquiries to 087-0633669/089-4646673.

## Charity Vintage Tractor Run

### In aid of Pieta House, Roscrea

Vintage Tractor Run & Barbecue will take place at Brereton's Bar, Ballybritt on *Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> June commencing at 11am* with Registration from 9.30am. For more details, please contact 087-9609838.

## Congratulations to Inane Rovers!

Congratulations to the U14 team, to the management & all at Inane Rovers & to their families on becoming County A Champions last Sunday in Cashel. Well done to all involved!



*Blessed are the cracked, for they let the light in!!*