

ROSCREA, BOURNEA, KYLE & KNOCK

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

Parish Office Opening: Tuesday to Friday 10am-1pm - Items for Newsletter to be submitted by 1pm Wednesday please

Mass Intentions This Week

Roscrea

Sat 15th Oct 6.30pm: Anniv Mass for Deirdre Rowland;
Anniv Mass for Seamus & Annie King.

Sun 16th Oct 10.30am: Anniv Mass for Kathleen & Matt Moore;
12noon: Anniv Mass for Sean Quinlan.

Mon 17th Oct 10am: Anniv Mass for Martin Loughnane.

Wed 19th Oct 10am: Anniv Mass for Mai Carey (née Deegan);
Anniv Mass for Bernard & Eileen Garland.

Fri 21st Oct 10am: Anniv Mass for Anne Coclough.

Sat 22nd 10am: Months Mind & Mass Card Mass for Patricia Robinson;
6.30pm: Months Mind & Mass Card Mass for Annie Oakley &
Anniv Mass for her husband Luke; Anniv Mass for Peg Collins;
Anniv Mass for Peter Cahalane.

Sun 23rd Oct 10.30am: Anniv Mass for Donnacha Mulrooney;
Anniv Mass for Billy Russell;

12noon: Anniv Mass for John Cahill Snr & Deceased Relatives;
Anniv Mass for Michael O'Lone.

Knock

Sat 15th Oct 7.30pm: Anniv Mass for the O'Gorman Family.

Sat 22nd Oct 7.30pm: Anniv Mass for Charlie Scully.

Couraguneen

Tue 18th Oct 8pm: October Station Mass & Rosary; Confessions 7.30pm.

Sat 22nd Oct 8pm: Anniv Mass for Thomas & Mary Maher, Ballinock.

Clonakenny

Mon 17th Oct 8pm: October Station Mass & Rosary; Confessions 7.30pm.

We pray for those who died recently, especially:

Timmy Maher, Newtown Cross, Knock

Paddy Fitzgerald, Birr & Formerly of Green St, Roscrea

Eileen Breen, Leitrim (Ballaghmore)

Thank you: Fr. Tom Corbett wishes to express his deep appreciation & thanks for all the expressions of sympathy received on the recent sad death of his nephew.

He will offer a Mass of thanksgiving for your intentions.

Station Masses: Due to the Mission, Station Masses will take place in Roscrea, Camblin, Kyle & Knock during November. Station Masses for Bournea as detailed above.

Céad Míle Fáilte! This Saturday, we are delighted to welcome the young people who will receive Confirmation in Roscrea in 2017 to their Enrolment Ceremony.

*We can complain because rose bushes have thorns,
or rejoice because thorn bushes have roses!*

Readers – Sunday 23rd October

Roscrea: 6.30pm: Folk Group

8.30am: M Kenny

10.30am: A Dooley

12.00noon: J Feeley

Camblin: 10am: M Stanley

Couraguneen: 8pm: B Ryan

Clonakenny: 11am: P Greed

Ministers of the Eucharist – Sun 23rd October

Roscrea:

6.30pm: N Loughnane, R Carroll, J Keeshan, P J Hassett, E Tynan

8.30am: M Lupton, M Heffernan, R Mulrooney, M Kenny

10.30am: Maureen Ryan, J Jones, J Carroll, S Wrenn

12.00noon: E Lupton, J McMahon, N & M Moore

Camblin: 10am: D Cody

Couraguneen: 8pm: M Harty

Clonakenny: 11am: B Murray

Mission Sunday

The people of Killaloe Diocese have been urged to support missionaries working in some of the world's poorest countries by donating during the forthcoming Mission Sunday collection on October 23rd. The theme for World Mission Sunday this year is "Every Christian is a Missionary". As we thank you for your generosity to the Missions over the years, we invite you to please continue to help our young churches to share the gift of faith through your prayer & whatever financial assistance you can.

October – Month of the Rosary

The Rosary is recited in St. Cronan's Church each morning at 9.35am – you are invited to join in this daily Rosary.

Sacred Heart Companions

Due to the Mission, Sacred Heart Companions will resume in November. Details nearer to the date.

Altar Servers

New servers are currently being trained – should you wish to become an Altar Server, please contact Sr. Mary Clare asap.

Roscrea Parish Mission

Our Parish Mission will begin next weekend. Weekend Mass times will be as per usual times. There will be a Blessing of Children & their families on Sunday 23rd October at 4pm, followed by a

Mission Service at 7pm that day.

From Monday 24th to Friday 28th, Mass will be celebrated each morning at 7am & 10am & there will be a Mission Service nightly at 7pm.

Bishop Fintan will celebrate the 12noon Mass in St. Cronan's Church on Sunday 23rd October, when he launches our Parish Mission. He will also bless the Parish Centre, in which the Parish Office is now located, & our new exit road.

Invitations for all our parishioners to our Parish Mission & outlining the details of it will be delivered to homes in our Parish over the coming week – Leaflets are available for collection in the Parish Office for those who usually distribute Parish Envelopes. Your help is much appreciated. We require extra help in delivering these Mission Invitations & would appreciate if anybody who is available to help would contact us as soon as possible. We particularly seek people from the following areas:
Tullaskeagh Drive, Ard na Gréine, Whitethorn.

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OPENING HOURS: Tuesday to Friday, 10am - 1pm

Roscrea Folk Group 40th Anniversary

Roscrea Folk Group invite past members to take part in their 40 year Celebration Mass on October 22nd at 6.30pm in St Cronan's Church. The group will hold a practise next Tuesday 18th October at 7.30pm in the Community Hall on Rosemary Street. For more information please contact 087-6921422 or any Folk Group member.

Important Dates to Remember! (Bournea)

Scoil Mhuire National School Lismackin

First Confession: Wed 22nd Feb at 7pm in Couraguneen;
First Holy Communion: Sat 20th May at 11 in Couraguneen;
Enrolment for Confirmation: Sun 23rd Oct at 11am in St. Brigid's Church, Clonakenny;
Confirmation: Sat 1st April at 11am in Clonakenny.

Celebrating the Wonder Around Us

Lorrha Parish will host "Celebrate the Wonder Around Us" on this Sunday, October 16th from 3-5pm. This event is inspired by Laudato Si, the Letter of Pope Francis on the Care for Creation. People are invited to gather at the Community Hall at 3 p.m. All are welcome!

59th Roscrea Conference at the Cistercian Abbey

"Living off the Land in Medieval Ireland"

This theme will be explored with leading experts on the weekend of Nov 4th-6th. Further details from georgencunningham@eircom.net or guesthouse@msjroscrea.ie

Baptisms & Marriages

Request Forms must be filled out for all Baptisms & Marriages taking place. Request Forms are available from the Parish Office or the Sacristy in Roscrea or can be downloaded at

<http://www.stcronanscluster.ie/-preparations.html>

It is most important that parents who wish to have their child/children baptised contact the priest who they wish to celebrate the baptism before returning the form to the Parish Office.

Book Launch—Mary McNamara's Poetry

The launch of Mary McNamara's book "Born From Sadness" will take place in Jacks Bar on Friday 21st October at 8.30pm. All welcome. Profits to SVP Roscrea.

Lismackin School Fundraiser

80's & 90's Fundraiser Disco will take place in the Nore Brook Lounge Clonakenny on Saturday 22nd October from 9pm. Tickets cost €10 and are available on the door.

Roscrea's Got Talent: (St Cronan's Camogie Club)

Racket Hall Hotel - Friday 21st October 2016 8.30pm.
Singing, Dancing, Comedy...anything goes! Cash Prizes, Raffle & Spot Prizes. Tickets from Moloney's Hurley Store.

Bournea Reaching Out: We would like to invite you to submit articles & photos of a historical nature & for the clubs of the parish to submit yearly activities. Contact Tim at 087-6826133 or bourneareachingout@gmail.com.

Buttons Wanted! Irish Wheelchair Association are looking for buttons. If anyone has any buttons they would like to recycle, we will be delighted to use them! You can drop them into IWA on Abbey Street or phone 0505-23229.

Roscrea People: Contributions are invited & should be submitted on or before October 28th please. Please contact georgencunningham@eircom.net (Tel: 21619).

CE Project – St. Cronan's Association

St. Cronan's Association, currently have 1 position for a Support Worker in Roscrea on their CE Project. This position is for 19.5hrs per week Monday to Friday. In order to qualify for this position you must be in receipt of a Social Welfare Payment. Please call Deirdre on 087 9772409/21426.

Coffee Morning and Bits 'n' Bobs 'n' Books

On Saturday 29th October, 10:30am-12pm in Roscrea Methodist Church Hall - Please mark this date on your calendar and come along. Bring a friend and any bits 'n' bobs 'n' books you no longer need --- and buy some more!

Best wishes to Cliona Nic Dhomhnaill, grand-daughter of Lil & Eamon McDonald, who is competing in the Semi-Final of the TG4 Junior Eurovision Competition, shown on TG4 at 8pm on Sunday nights. Good luck Cliona!