

ROSCREA, BOURNEA, KYLE & KNOCK

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CLUSTER MASS TIMES	Saturday:	Sunday:	Sunday:
	Roscrea	6.30pm	Roscrea
Ballaghmore	7.30pm	Barna	9.30am
Dunkerrin	7.30pm	Knock	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 18th Feb 6.30pm: Months Mind Mass for Pat Carroll, Grove Street;

Anniv Mass for Eileen Moloney, Clonan & Seamus Walsh;

Anniv Mass for Martin, Julia, Margaret & Alice Shanahan.

Sun 19th Feb 8.30am: Anniv Mass for Annie Harte;

12noon: First Anniversary Mass for Dermot Stapleton;

Anniv Mass for Lily Moten;

Anniv Mass for Dickie O'Brien & his parents.

Mon 20th Feb 10am: Anniv Mass for Bridget & William Carroll.

Wed 22nd Feb 10am: Anniv Mass for Eddie & Paddy Nash.

Thur 23rd Feb 10am: Anniv Mass for Sr. Paul Bergin.

Fri 24th Feb 10am: Anniv Mass for Josie McCarthy.

Sat 25th Feb 10am: Months Mind Mass for Michael Fallon;

Anniv Mass for May Hynes & Nora Treacy;

6.30pm: Anniv Mass for Jim Grimes;

Anniv Mass for Thomas Joseph Gunnell & Deceased Family Members

Sun 26th Feb 10.30am: Anniv Mass for Nora Kelly;

Anniv Mass for Rita McMahon;

12noon: Months Mind & Mass Card Mass for Bridie Bruder.

Ballaghmore

Sat 18th Feb 7.30pm: Months Mind Mass for John Maher;

Anniv Mass for Phil Breen.

Sat 25th Feb 7.30pm: Months Mind Mass for Danny Gilmartin;

First Anniversary Mass for Noel Browne.

Knock

Sun 19th Feb 9.30am: Anniv Mass for Dan Fogarty, Cullawn.

Couraguneen

Sat 18th Feb 8pm: Anniv Mass for

William & Eileen Ryan & for Fr. John Ryan.

Tue 21st Feb 7pm: Mass.

Sat 25th Feb 8pm: Anniv Mass for Kathleen Stapleton.

Clonakenny

Sun 19th Feb 11am: Anniv Mass for

Deceased Members of Clonakenny/Couraguneen ICA.

Mon 20th Feb 7pm: Mass.

We pray for those who died recently, especially:

Cecilia Murphy, Highfield, Parkmore Heights

Helen McEvoy, Lourdes Road

Pat Kennedy, Barna & Ballycleary

First Confession

First Confession will take place in *St. Patrick's Church, Couraguneen, on Wednesday night coming, 22nd February, at 7pm for the pupils of Scoil Mhuire Lismackin.*

Readers – Sunday 26th February

Roscrea: 6.30pm: Folk Group 8.30am: I Harte
10.30am: C Moloney 12.00noon: Y O'Rourke

Camblin: 10am: D Heenan

Couraguneen: 8pm: V O'Meara

Clonakenny: 11am: P Greed

Ministers of the Eucharist – Sunday 26th February

Roscrea:

6.30pm: A Delahunty, P Carry, B Power, A Delaney

8.30am: M Shanahan, C Phelan, A McManus, T Carroll

10.30am: M Ryan, J Jones, J Carroll, M & S Sarka

12noon: P Caverley, H & J O'Dwyer, J Byrne

Camblin: 10am: D Cody

Couraguneen: 8pm: P Byrne

Clonakenny: 11am: M Greed

Roscrea Parish Shop

Our Parish Shop is located at the back of St. Cronan's Church (in what was formerly Fr Hardings Confessional). We stock a large selection of religious objects at reasonable prices.

Beautiful gifts for First Holy Communion & Confirmation are currently available.

We open directly after 10am weekday Masses & after weekend Masses also.

Your support would be appreciated.

Eucharistic Adoration – St. Cronan's Church

Eucharistic Adoration takes place at St. Joseph's Altar immediately after 10am Mass from Monday to Friday.

Please Note:

Adoration will finish at 11am for the coming week.

World Meeting of Families 2018

Plans are making steady progress for the World Meeting of Families which will take place in Dublin in August 2018.

To keep up-to-date, you may subscribe to receive updates.

<http://www.worldmeeting2018.ie/contact/subscribe/>

or follow us at www.facebook.com/wmof2018 &

www.twitter.com/wmof2018

Newly Baptised

We welcome Caoimhe Driver, Daisy Miller & Jackson Bevans into our Christian community. We remember you in our prayers & we wish God's blessing on you & on your families at this very special time and always!

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes: Bishop Fintan Monahan will lead his first Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes, leaving Shannon on 26th June, returning on July 1st. The cost is €692 per person sharing. Booking forms from: Joe Walsh Tours at 01-2410810. A limited number of sick pilgrims will be accommodated in the Sanctuary of Lourdes at a cost of €595. Applications for sick pilgrims only to Fr. Tom Ryan, Pilgrimage Director 061-364133. Families often sponsor a family member or a friend with a visit to Lourdes. Sponsorship for sick people is always welcome.

Time for a new challenge? If you feel that you have something to offer to couples who are preparing for the Sacrament of Marriage & you are willing to give up some voluntary time to train, the ACCORD Nenagh Centre, would be delighted to hear from you. *Certificate in Marriage Education accredited by Pontifical University, Maynooth.* For info email accordnenagh@gmail.com or tel: 065-6824297.

Divine Mercy Conference

24th, 25th & 26th February at the Main Hall, RDS, Ballsbridge, Dublin 4. Tickets available online or at the door. Enquiries: 086-0669203. The Friday night event is free of charge. It will include Rosary, Mass, Confessions & Adoration. Full programme available on www.divinemercyconference.com

Knock Pilgrimage to New York

A special pilgrimage to New York from Knock will take place from May 8th-14th. Itinerary includes a Requiem Mass on Sat 13th for the re-internment of the remains of John Curry, the youngest of the Knock witnesses. For more info, please contact 01-2410800.

Study Theology by Distance Learning

The Priory Institute, Tallaght, are now enrolling for their Spring Programme. For more info, please contact 01-4048124 or check www.prioryinstitute.com

St Patrick's Campus, Thurles

Student Teacher Experience Day

Explore our Teacher Education Degree Programmes, attend Taster Lectures & learn about the school placement experience. Where & when? MIC, St Patrick's Campus, Thurles, Saturday, 8th April at 10.30am. St Patrick's Campus offers second-level concurrent teacher education programmes, which are accredited by the Teaching Council of Ireland. Graduates are qualified to teach in post-primary schools in the area of Accounting, Business Studies, Irish & Religious Studies. To register for the event, please email paula.hourigan@mic.ul.ie

Sacred Heart Companions in Prayer (Auxiliaries)

Our next meeting will take place on Sunday 26th February at 3pm in the Parish Centre.

All are most welcome to join us!

Fundraiser for Milford Hospice

"The Ultimate Firewalking Challenge" will take place at the Mill House, Birr Road, Roscrea on Thursday 2nd March at 8pm. To take part in the Firewalk, please contact 086-2397313. If you would like to support this fundraiser, sponsorship is being collected in the Sacristy in St. Cronan's or in the Parish Office. Proceeds will go towards developing a new Hospice serving Clare, Limerick & North Tipperary.

Corville National School Enrolment

Now enrolling for September 2017 - Contact 0505-21485 for Enrolment Forms or more information.

Roscrea Lions Club Table Quiz

Taking place in *The Stand Bar* on Thursday 23rd February at 8.30pm. Proceeds to our "Rosemary Project." (supporting carers in our community)

Kyle GAA Fundraising Draw

1st Prize: Trailerload of Hardwood Timber; 2nd Prize: Hamper. Tickets available in Phelan's Siopa or from any player. Draw will take place on Sat 25th Feb in the Clubhouse. Your support would be gratefully received.

Support for the Tidy Towns Committee

RCDC urges the whole community to get behind the Tidy Towns initiative for the coming six months in order to achieve a silver medal for Roscrea in the 2017 Tidy Towns Competition. RCDC are asking the community of Roscrea to attend its meeting in the *Abbey Hall* on Thurs 23rd Feb at 8pm to give a commitment of support to Roscrea Tidy Towns.

St. Cronan's Association – Support Worker

St. Cronan's currently have a position available for a Support Worker in Roscrea on their CE Project. The position will be for 19.5 hours per week Monday to Friday. A Full B Driving Licence is required. To qualify for this position you must be in receipt of a Social Welfare payment. Informal enquiries to: Deirdre on 087-9772409/21426.

Spring Days at Glenstal – Saturday 4th March

'Ageing Well' - As we live longer, can we age well? Information 061-621000 or at www.glenstal.com

A Thought...

Ships don't sink because of the water around them; Ships sink because of the water that gets into them. Don't let what's happening around you get inside you & weigh you down...

Feed your faith & your doubts will starve to death.