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CLUSTER	Saturday:	Sunday:	Sunday:
MASS TIMES 2018	Roscrea 6.30pm	Roscrea 9.00am	Clonakenny 11.00am
	Ballaghmore 7.30pm	Knock 9.30am	Moneygall 11.00am
	Dunkerrin 8.00pm	Barna 9.30am	Roscrea 11.30am
	Couraguneen 8.00pm	Camblin 10.00am	

Parish Office Opening: Tuesday to Friday 10am-1pm

Items for Newsletter to be submitted by 1pm Wednesday please

Mass Intentions This Week

Roscrea

Sat 26th May 6.30pm: Anniv Mass for Alfie & Dr Margaret Kinsella;
Anniv Mass for Willie John & Mary Wright, Mary Ann & Nico;
Anniv Mass for Anne-Ita Ryan.

Sun 27th May 9am: First Anniversary Mass for Hugh McDonnell;
Anniv Mass for Jim Lyons & his aunt Lizzy Lyons;
11.30am: Months Mind & Mass Card Mass for Girlie Rooney;
Anniv Mass for Noel Treacy; Anniv Mass for Dr Aisling Butler;
Anniv Mass for Ned & Helen Scully.

Thur 31st May 10am: Anniv Mass for Birdie Pyne.

Fri 1st June 10am: Anniv Mass for Shelly Doran.

Sat 2nd June 10am: Anniv Mass for Sean Shanahan;
6.30pm: Anniv Mass - Pat Hennessy; Anniv Mass - Martin Cunningham;
Anniv Mass for Noreen Doyle & Ruby Leigh Breen.

Sun 3rd Jun 9am: Anniv Mass - Joe Walsh; Anniv Mass - Moira Lynch;
11.30am: Months Mind & Mass Card Mass for Marie Sinclair;
Anniv Mass for Jimmy Neville; Anniv Mass for Frank O'Regan;
Anniv Mass for Michael & Delia Talbot.

Knock

Sun 27th May 9.30am: Anniv Mass for Lua Scully.

Sun 3rd Jun 9.30am: Months Mind Mass for Sr. Rita Scully, Derragooney;
Anniv Mass for Kieran Carey.

Couraguneen

Tue 29th May 7.30pm: Mass.

Sat 2nd Jun 8pm: Anniv Mass for Kathleen Keeshan.

Clonakenny

Fri 1st Jun 7.30pm: First Friday Mass.

We pray for those who died recently, especially:

Kathleen Quirke, Golden Grove & Late of Limerick St

May Troy, Cnoc Mhuire

John O'Hara, Gortmullen

Maisie Maher, Templemore Road

Fintan Hynes, Athenry & Late of Knock

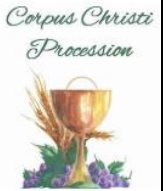
Holy Hour

A Holy Hour will take place in *St. Cronan's Church on Sunday 27th May at 3pm*. It will include the Divine Mercy Chaplet, Petition Prayers, Hymns, Exposition & Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

Light refreshments in Parish Centre after. All welcome.

Exam Prayers are available at Church Entrances

Our Annual Corpus Christi Procession for the Cronan Cluster takes place immediately after 11.30am Mass on Sunday 3rd June at St. Cronan's Church. The Procession will assemble in the Church as Mass ends.



The First Holy Communion children from ALL the schools throughout our Cluster are invited to lead the procession. All parishioners throughout the Cronan Cluster are invited to take part.

First Holy Communion 2018

Congratulations to all the children throughout the Cronan Cluster who celebrated their First Holy Communion during this month. Thank you to all involved in each of the schools, to the school principals, the teachers who prepared the children so well, those who were involved in organising the choirs, the SNAs and school secretaries.

Thank you also to each of our Parish Team.

Wishing the children and their families many blessings at this special time.

May – Safeguarding Month in Killaloe Diocese

The appropriate use of Social Media is a growing concern. The Diocesan Safeguarding committee has issued guidance on the Use of Social Media for all Priests and volunteers working with young people in the Diocese. A copy of this can be found at www.killaloe-diocese.ie

First Friday – 1st June 2018

Mass will be celebrated in St. Cronan's at 10am & 6.30pm and in Clonakenny at 7.30pm.

Fatima Prayers before 10am Mass on Saturday morning

Rosary for May: The Rosary will be recited every Monday from 2-3pm for the month of May at Our Lady's Altar in St. Cronan's Church. All are invited to take part.

Bereavement Support Group

Next drop-in session: *Friday 1st June 11am* in the Parish Centre, Roscrea. For info, please contact 085-1918550.

Lough Derg – Local Pilgrimage

Three Day Pilgrimage Friday 29th June to Sunday 1st July and
One Day Retreat 11th September (travelling on September
10th via Knock & accommodation en route)

For more info, please contact Miriam 086-3009241 after 6pm

Knock Shrine Pilgrimage Season

Knock's Pilgrimage Season opened on May 4th until October
14th. National Novena in honour of Our Lady of Knock takes
place from 14th – 22nd August. Scripture Summer School is on
from 13th – 16th June. For more info on any of these events,
check out www.knockshrine.ie or tel 094-9388100.

Knock Counselling Centre Drop-in Service – professional,
confidential, listening service – no appointment necessary.

For more info, call 094-9375032.

Mount Saint Joseph Monastic Experience

Friday 1st - Sunday 3rd June - an opportunity for men between
the ages of 20 & 50 who may be discerning a monastic
vocation to find out more about monastic life. For more info
contact Br Malachy Thompson by email to
malachy@msjroscrea.ie or text 'INFO' to 085 8338503.

Catholic Radio Station: Radio Maria Ireland is an Irish-run

Catholic Talk-Radio Station. Prayer, Catechesis, uplifting
music, talks, interviews and testimonies – all commercial free
– Listen via free app "RADIO MARIA IRELAND", streaming on
www.radiomaria.ie or via phone – get live radio feed by
calling 01 4373277. Please join our growing faith family!

Basket Collectors – Team B – June

6.30pm: S Deeley, M Lorigan, S O'Grady, J Carolan

9am: E Jones, J Lupton, C Lupton

11.30am: M Delaney, J Fitzpatrick, J Feeley

Readers – Sunday 3rd June

Roscrea: 6.30pm: Folk Group; 9am: T Deegan

11.30am: First Communion Children

Camblin: 10am: E Hennessy

Couraguneen: 8pm: D Ryan **Clonakenny:** 11am: C Greed

Ministers of the Eucharist – Sunday 3rd June

Ros: **6.30pm:** N Loughnane, R Carroll, M Mullally, J Mulvey

9am: J Jones, C Phelan, R Mulrooney, M Heffernan

11.30am: M Ryan, J O'Grady, Mgt Ryan, J Carroll, J Byrne

Camblin: 10am: E Marrinan **Ballaghmore:** 7.30pm: B Phelan

Couraguneen 8pm: B Cantwell **Clonakenny** 11am: D Longe

Basket Collections 19th/20th May

Míle Buíochas!

*June Priests Collection takes place next weekend –
please use specific envelope from annual supply*

Invitation: The Board of Management of Sacred Heart
Primary School, together with its staff & pupils, invite all in
the Community to join them at the Official Opening &
Blessing of their New School at 10:45am on Thursday June
7th followed by a Celebratory Concert with The Garda Band.

Give it a Try – Girls Rugby! Roscrea RFC are running
"Give It A Try – Girls' Rugby Summer Programme for Ages 6-
14". Rugby is an all-inclusive sport, where girls of all abilities,
shapes & sizes can take to the field together. Girls will learn
the skills of rugby in a fun environment, as well as meeting
new friends & staying active during the summer.

Contact Ciara Maher 087 2024936 for details.

Coláiste Phobal Ros Cré College of Further Education

Limited places on QQI Certified courses at Level 5 & 6 are on
offer in Business, Childcare, Healthcare, Nursing, Social Care
& Construction. Full time, one-year courses starting in Sept.
For more info, phone 0505-23939 or 087-1967129.

Irish Wheelchair Association are holding their National

Bag Pack in Tesco on Friday 6th & Saturday 7th July. Can you
volunteer just 2 hours? Call 046 9072539. Thank you.

North Tipperary Hospice Roscrea Branch

Outreach Cancer Support & Information Service

Parish Centre, Roscrea every Thursday from 9.30am to
3.30pm. This service provides support for those who are or
have been on a cancer journey & to make people aware of
the free services that North Tipperary Hospice currently
offer. Contact Catherinte 087-1236696 for more info.

To the Parents of Young Children at Mass

God put the wiggle in children! Don't feel you have to
suppress it in God's house! All are welcome!
Sit towards the front where it is easier for your little
ones to see & hear what is going on at the altar.

They tire of seeing the backs of others!

Quietly explain the parts of the Mass & actions of the
priest, the choir & other ministries. Sing the hymns,
participate in the liturgy & pray. Children learn about
worship & liturgical behaviour by copying you.

If you have to leave Mass with your child,
feel free to do so, **but please come back!**

As Jesus said, "let the children come to me..."

Remember that the way we welcome children in the
church directly affects the way they respond to the
church, to God & to one another. Let them know
that they are at home in His house of worship!

To the Members of our Parish

The presence of children is a gift to the church & a
reminder that our parish is growing. Please welcome our
children & give a smile of encouragement to their parents!

If what's ahead scares you...and what's behind hurt you...then just look above - God never fails to help you...