Parishes of ROSCREA, BOURNEA, KYLE & KNOCK

May 31st 2026

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Weekday Mass Times	Saturday Vigil Mass	Sunday Mass	Parish Office
Monday to Saturday	Saint Cronan's Church	Saint Cronan's Church	**Opening Hours:**
Saint Cronan's Church	6.30pm	11.30am	Mon. & Tues. 10am to 4pm
10am			Wed. & Thurs. 10am to 1pm

All Masses in Saint Cronan's Church are available via Parish Radio or Webcam - ww.stcronanscluster.ie
Items for Parish Newsletter to be submitted by 11am each Wednesday please.

Bookings Parish Office:
Anniversary Masses Baptisms and Weddings: all churches to be booked in through the Parish Office ONLY at 0505-31835. Funeral Masses in St. Cronan's Church 10am & 12 Noon and 11am in all our other Churches. **Fr's John, Antun & Tom.**

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK ROSCREA

Sat May 30th 6.30pm:
Anv: Jim Lyons, Railway View & his aunt Lizzie,
Anv: Leo & Nuala Dooley, Corville Road.
Sun May 31st 11.30am:
Anv: Billy & Lil Moloughney, Cloncraken.
Sat June 6th 6.30pm:
Months Mind & Mass Card Mass: Cam McCoy, Dublin Road,
Anv: Paddy McLoughlin, Ballybrack,
Anv: Frank O'Regan, Cois Aglish,
Anv: Kieran Boland, Dromakeenan,
Anv: Berna Leahy nee Rowan, Listowel & Roscrea,
Anv: Eddie Maher also his sons James & Eddie Jnr & deceased members of the Downes & Maher families.
Sun June 7th 11.30am:
Anv: Jimmy Neville, Limerick Street,
Anv: Jim Hynes & Jim Cleure,
Anv: Sean & Kathleen Maguire,
Anv: Bridie & Paddy Bourke, Railway View & their sons Liam, Noel & Jim,
Anv: Mary Fletcher, Glentara,
Anv: Kay Keeshan (nee McManus),
Anv: Moira Lynch, Assumption Park,
Anv: Joe Treacy, Kennedy Park & remembering his wife Patricia recently deceased & all deceased family members.

Clonakenny Sat May 30th 7.30pm:
Months Mind Mass: Thomas (Tom) Costigan, Clonakenny,
Anv: Paddy & Bridget Maher, Castlepark, Clonakenny,
Anv: Lizzie Fletcher, Kennedy Park, Roscrea.
Knock Sun May 31st 9.15am:
Anv: Paddy Scully, Rathfredaigh Cheshire Home, Newcastle West & Knock.
Couraguneen Sat June 6th 7.30pm:
Anv: Mary Quinlan, Boulebane,
Anv: Ella O'Dwyer, Couraguneen.
Ballaghmore Sun June 7th 9.15am:
Anv: Joe Quinlan & all deceased family members.

Liturgy of the Word and Holy Communion will be in St. Molua's Church Ballaghmore on Friday 5th at 7.30 pm.

Bournea Parish
Essential Repair Works are been carried out on St. Brigid's Church Clonakenny. Mass will be as normal on Saturday nights. Apologies for any inconvenience caused.

St. Martin de Porres
"He excused the faults of others. He forgave the bitterest injuries, convinced that he deserved much severer punishments on account of his own sin. He tried with all his might to redeem the guilty; caringly he comforted the sick; he provided food, clothing and medicine for the poor; he helped, as best he could, farm laborers and Negroes, as well as Mulattoes, who were looked upon at that time as akin to slaves therefore he deserved to be called by the name the people of the parish gave him: Martin of Charity"…
The above quote is from Pope St. John XX111 at the canonization of Martin de Porres of Lima on May 6th 1962.
St. Martin de Porres Pray for us.
St. Rose of Lima Pray for us.

Prayer to be full of the Holy Spirit
Dear loving Lord, I come before You, I seek Your presence, as I am empty without You. So here and now, oh dear Lord, I ask You to fill me. Pour Your Spirit into me. I open up my heart and soul to Your tender healing and loving mercy. Pour out Your Spirit, oh Lord. Free me, cleanse me, restore me, make me new again. Let Your grace work in me to build my strength and to give me clarity. Fill me with the peace of Christ. Only in You can I receive true rest. Only in You can my heart find the heavenly joy that Jesus won for me on the cross. He is risen - and so am I by Your goodness alone. Fill me Lord, may Your Spirit live in me. In Jesus name. **Amen.**

Corpus Christi Procession from St. Cronan's Church following 11.30am Mass on Sunday, 7th June.
We will process under the Church Belfry, onto Abbey Street, onto Limerick Street, down Rosemary Street and ending with benediction in front of Dean Maxwell.
We would welcome:
o Many participants, families, etc.
o People standing at their doors and windows with decorated altars along the route,
o The participation of children who made their First Holy Communion wearing their communion clothes.
A Corpus Christi Procession honours Jesus Christ, Really, Truly and Substantially Present under the appearance of bread and wine.

Prayer to the Holy Spirit

Come, Holy Spirit
Replace the **tension** within us with a holy **relaxation**.
Replace the **turbulence** within us with a sacred **calm**.
Replace the **anxiety** within us with a quiet **confidence**.
Replace the **fear** within us with a strong **faith**.
Replace the **bitterness** within us with the sweetness of **grace**.
Replace the **darkness** within us with a gentle **light**.
Replace the **coldness** within us with a loving **warmth**.
Replace the **night** within us with Your **day**.
Replace the **winter** within us with your **spring**.
Straighten our crookedness.
Fill our emptiness.
Dull the edge of our pride.
Sharpen the edge of our humility.
Light the fires of our love.
Quench the flames of our lust.
Let us see ourselves as you see us
That we may see You as You have promised us.
And be healed through Your word. **AMEN**

Lough Derg Pilgrimage 2026
Cashel & Emly & Killaloe Three Day Pilgrimage
Monday 29th June – Wednesday 1st July
For more information contact:
Miriam (Roscrea) 086-3009241

Roscrea Readers – Sat June 6th 6.30pm – Irene Harte & Ann Moore, **Sun June 7th 11.30am –** Mary Teehan.
Couraguneen Reader – Sun June 6th 7.30pm: Bernadette O'Sullivan.

Bournea, Kyle & Knock and Camblin Mass Times

Couraguneen	Clonakenny	Camblin
Saturday 7.30 pm	**Saturday 7.30 pm**	**Sunday 10.15am**
May 23rd	May 30th	May 31st
June 6th	June 13th	June 14th
Ballaghmore	**Knock**	
Sunday 9.15am	**Sunday 9.15am**	
May 24th	May 31st	
June 7th	June 14th	

PARISH LOTTO
Last Week's Lucky Dip Winner was
Margaret Stanley – Congratulations

Age Friendly Roscrea

Health Talk the next Health Talk will be on Tuesday June 2nd at 2.30pm Neil Dennehy Lifestyle and fitness coach will give a talk on social connection light exercise and the benefits of such for our mental health.
Rambling House the next Rambling House will be on Wednesday June 3rd at 7pm join us for an evening of music, song, and storytelling.

Killaloe Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage 2026

Bus Service available from Roscrea to Shannon Airport on Wed morning the 24th June to facilitate passengers travelling to Lourdes on the Killaloe Diocesan Pilgrimage - Please contact Andrew Walsh on 087 6781575 or andrewwalshbus@gmail.com for further details.

If anybody has small plastic water or mineral bottles that they could donate for Holy Water, please drop them to the Sacristy or the Parish Office.

Roscrea Tidy Towns

The group are busy with the feverish work in preparation for the competition adjudication. This Wednesday, the hanging baskets were erected on the bridges - many thanks to our Community Employment Workers for their helping hands in this regard. Pier top displays on the Mall have been planted. Floral displays around the town have been upgraded. A gentle reminder to businesses regarding putting up their hanging baskets.

Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine.

Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine will take place on Saturday 6th June. – to celebrate **All Ireland Rosary Rally**. – with Talks, Healing, Testimonies.
Mass at 3pm. Chief Celebrant is Archbishop Eamon Martin, singing by Dana and the Fr. Peyton Cluster Choir. Rosary Procession at 4.30pm.
Bus will depart from public car park {beside Tesco} Roscrea at 8.10am sharp and Birr Square at 8. 30am. Fare Adults: €25. Students €5. Early booking essential ring – Mary 086 4055570 or Margaret 087 1509522 or any member of the Legion of Mary.

Roscrea Bereavement Support Group

If you are an adult living in Roscrea, surrounding area, or Pastoral Area who are living through grief or loss, the Roscrea Bereavement Support Group are available for support and help. For more information, please contact 087-1900294

Citizens Information Centre Roscrea

Phone Number: 0818 07 6480 Email Address: roscrea@citinfo.ie
The Centre is open each Thursday from 10am to 1pm for Walk Ins Phone & Email Service Thursday & Friday Thur 2pm to 4pm Fri 10am to 1pm & 2pm to 4pm

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Daily Prayer to the Holy Spirit

Breathe in me, O Holy Spirit, that my thoughts may all be holy.
Act in me, O Holy Spirit, that my work, too, may be holy.
Draw my heart, O Holy Spirit, that I love but what is holy.
Strengthen me, O Holy Spirit, to defend all that is holy.
Guard me, then, O Holy Spirit, that I always may be holy.
- St. Augustine