Parishes of July 12th 2020

ROSCREA, BOURNEA, KYLE & KNOCK

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Weekday Mass Times

Monday to Saturday Saint Cronan's Church 10am

Saturday Vigil Mass

Saint Cronan's Church 6.30pm Bournea: 7.30pm

Sunday Mass

Kyle and Knock: 10am Saint Cronan's Church 11.30am

Parish Office Opening Hours:

Tuesday to Friday 10am to 1pm

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

MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

Roscrea

Sat 11th Jul 6.30pm: Months Mind Mass for Henry Bowler;

Months Mind Mass for Frankie De Lewis; Anniv Mass for Nora & Joe Tobin & for

Deceased Members of the Cooke and Tobin Families;

Anniv Mass for Eddie Simmons.

Sun 12th Jul 11.30am: Months Mind Mass for Kieran Boland;

Months Mind Mass for Paddy Moloney;

Anniv Mass for Johnny Kiely & his parents John & Margaret.

Wed 15th Jul 10am: Anniv Mass for Catherine Holohan & her son Terry Kennedy.

Thur 16th Jul 10am: Anniv Mass for Tony Murphy.

Sat 18th Jul 6.30pm: Months Mind Mass for Helen Murphy and Anniv Mass for Margaret Murphy;

60th Birthday Remembrance & Anniv Mass for Eileen Quinlivan and Anniv Mass for her mother Nora and sister Martina.

Sun 19th Jul 11.30am: Anniv Mass for Eileen & Patsy Griffin;

Anniv Mass for Thérése Healy;

Anniv Mass for Kitty & Billy Rooney & Billly Rooney Junior.

Sun 12th Jul 10am: Anniv Mass for Michael & Moira Delaney, Ballvkellv.

We keep in our prayers those who died recently:

Donie Ryan, Rosemary Square May Graham, 121 Kennedy Park Mary Treacy, Steelspark, Clonakenny

Contact Tracing: Please be aware under HSE Guidelines, people who visit the Parish Office or Sacristy, must be recorded for contact tracing.

Lighting Candles: Please be aware that Hand Sanitiser is highly flammable

Volunteers

Thank you to all those who have volunteered to enable our churches to re-open for public Masses. Your generosity of time is very much appreciated. More volunteers are required. Please contact 089-2401318 if you are willing/available to help.

Bournea and Kyle & Knock - Mass Times for July

Saturday 11th 7.30pm: Clonakenny Sunday 12th 10am: Knock Saturday 18th 7.30pm: Couraguneen Sunday 19th 10am: Ballaghmore Saturday 25th 7.30pm: Clonakenny Sunday 26th 10am: Knock

Dates for Sacraments Confirmation will be celebrated in Saint Cronan's Church:

Monday 17th August 7pm: Corville Class 1 Tuesday 18th August 7pm: Corville Class 2 Wednesday 19th August 7pm: Sacred Heart Thursday 20th August 7pm: Scoil Eoin Friday 21st August 7pm: Dromakeenan

First Holy Communion will be celebrated in the Cronan Pastoral Area as follows:

Saturday 12th September 11am: Gaelscoil Shlí Dála in Ballaghmore Church Saturday 12th September 11am: Scoil Mhuire Lismackin in Clonakenny Church

Saint Cronan's Church:

Saturday 12th September 11am: Sacred Heart Saturday 12th September 2pm: Corville Saturday 19th September 11am: Scoil Eoin Saturday 19th September 2pm: Dromakeenan

Saint Cronan's and Camblin Church Private Prayer

Monday to Saturday 10.30am to 2pm Sunday 12noon to 4pm

HSE Guidelines remain in place. Please adhere to signage.

Bournea: Clean-up of Couraguneen Church will take place on Monday 13th July at 7.30pm in preparation for Mass returning on Saturday 18th July. All help will be greatly appreciated.

Parish Collections - Kyle & Knock

Thank you to those who contributed €73 towards the collection in Ballaghmore last weekend.

Re-Opening Churches for Public Mass/Ceremonies

Temporary Schedule of Mass Times - subject to review as circumstances change

Saint Cronan's Church, Roscrea: Monday to Saturday inclusive 10am; Saturday 6.30pm; Sunday 11.30am Bournea: Every second Saturday in either Couraguneen or Clonakenny 7.30pm – SEE TABLE BELOW Kyle and Knock: Every second Sunday in either Ballaghmore or Knock 10am – SEE TABLE BELOW

Finally, we are in a position to re-open our churches and gather to worship.

In re-opening, it is our paramount responsibility to provide for the safety of any person who enters our churches.

Bishop Fintan has issued guidelines in accordance with the HSE guidelines.

- Each church will open **15 minutes** before Mass begins
 - Maximum capacity for each church is **50 people**
- Social distancing of **2m** must be observed at all times
- Hand sanitisers are available at entrances to churches please use before entering
 - It is recommended that people attending wear masks
- There will be **one entry point** and a different exit door stewards will guide people
- If you feel unwell or are showing symptoms that might suggest Covid-19 infection or if you have been in contact with someone who has Covid-19, please do not attend

In order to facilitate these guidelines and fulfil our obligation to the safety of the community, people have volunteered by acting as ushers and sanitising the churches after each gathering.

- We ask people to enter by the Main Entrance to each church only an usher will lead you to a seat.

 Please follow their direction as you may not be able to sit in your "usual spot!"
 - To receive Holy Communion, people will come up to the priest, bench by bench, and return by the side aisles to the same seat (if church has side aisles)
- When Mass has ended, people are asked to exit by the other doors in the church (if church has other doors)
 - Social distancing is essential when coming up for Holy Communion and exiting the church
 - Baskets for collections are prohibited boxes will be left out for people who wish to contribute

We ask people to be patient and conscious of other people around them.

The Sunday obligation is suspended presently. Due to the fact that only 50 people are allowed in the church, we ask people to give as many people as possible an opportunity to gather in the church for Mass. Perhaps people might listen via parish radio or watch on the webcam at home on some days to allow others a

chance to attend. The most difficult part of re-opening is the limitation of 50 people, which must be adhered to. This could lead to the unfortunate position of people being told at the door "the church has reached its capacity under the HSE Guidelines." This is an extremely difficult position to be in

but safety guidelines have to be followed. We ask all of us to be understanding of this. Outside speakers are in place in some of the churches presently and in the near future, they will be fitted in the churches that don't already have them.

After Mass, the priest will go out into the car park to distribute Communion to those people.

A warm word of thank you to all who have helped, volunteered, to our Pastoral Councils, Parish Office, Sacristans and anybody who has helped in any way to enable us re-open.

Temporary Schedule of Masses - *subject to review as circumstances change*Bournea and Kyle & Knock

Clonakenny	Couraguneen	Knock	Ballaghmore
Saturday 7.30pm	Saturday 7.30pm	Sunday 10am	Sunday 10am
July 11 th	July 18 th	July 12 th	July 19 th
July 25 th	August 1st	July 26 th	August 2 nd
August 8th	August 15 th	August 9th	August 16 th
August 22 nd	August 29 th	August 23 rd	August 30 th
September 5 th	September 12 th	September 6 th	September 13 th
September 19 th	September 26 th	September 20 th	September 27 th