July 19th 2020

Parishes of ROSCREA, BOURNEA, KYLE & KNOCK

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Weekday Mass Times	Saturday Vigil Mass	Sunday Mass	Parish Office
Monday to Saturday	Saint Cronan's Church	Kyle and Knock: 10am	Opening Hours:
Saint Cronan's Church	6.30pm	Saint Cronan's Church	Tuesday to Friday
10am	Bournea: 7.30pm	11.30am	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 Saint Cronan's and Camblin Church Private Prayer Monday to Saturday 10.30am to 2pm Roscrea Sunday 12noon to 4pm Sat 18th Jul 6.30pm: Months Mind Mass for Helen Murphy and HSE Guidelines remain in place. Please adhere to signage. Anniv Mass for Margaret Murphy; 60th Birthday Remembrance & Anniv Mass for Eileen Quinlivan **Knock Church Private Prayer** and Anniv Mass for her mother Nora and sister Martina; Daily 10am to 2pm Anniv Mass for Kevin & Bridie Gaffney. HSE Guidelines remain in place. Please adhere to signage. Sun 19th Jul 11.30am: Anniv Mass for Eileen & Patsy Griffin: Bournea and Kyle & Knock - Mass Times for July Anniv Mass for Thérése Healy; Saturday 18th 7.30pm: Couraguneen Anniv Mass for Kitty & Billy Rooney & Billy Rooney Junior; Sunday 19th 10am: Ballaghmore Anniv Mass - Bridie, Johnny & Liam Molonev, Mary & Bernie Sands. Saturday 25th 7.30pm: Clonakenny Tue 21st Jul 10am: Anniv Mass for Colm Phelan. Wed 22nd Jul 10am: Anniv Mass for Bridget Fitzgerald. Sunday 26th 10am: Knock Thur 23rd Jul 10am: Anniv Mass for Sean & Sarah Brophy; **Dates for Sacraments** Anniv Mass for Michael & Sarah Scully & for Sarah Ann Tynan. **Confirmation will be celebrated** Sat 25th Jul 6.30pm: Anniv Mass for Gerry O'Brien; Anniv Mass for Liam, Bill & Mai Brussells & Berna, Liams sister; in Saint Cronan's Church: Anniv Mass for Patsy & Roseann Carroll. Monday 17th August 7pm: Corville Class 1 Tuesday 18th August 7pm: Corville Class 2 Sun 26th Jul 11.30am: Anniv Mass for Margaret Dunphy; Anniv Mass for Annie Flynn; Wednesday 19th August 7pm: Sacred Heart Anniv Mass for Patrick Murphy; Thursday 20th August 7pm: Scoil Eoin Anniv Mass for Edward Walsh. Friday 21st August 7pm: Dromakeenan Knock First Holy Communion will be celebrated Sun 26th Jul 10am: Anniv Mass for Lua Standish. in the Cronan Pastoral Area as follows: Clonakenny Saturday 12th September 11am: Gaelscoil Shlí Dála Sat 25th Jul 7.30pm: Anniv Mass for Declan Dunne & in Ballaghmore Church Maud & Denis Treacy. Saturday 12th September 11am: Scoil Mhuire Lismackin in **Clonakenny Church** We keep in our prayers those who died recently: Saint Cronan's Church: Bridie Treacy, Dromakeenan Saturday 12th September 11am: Sacred Heart Anna Murphy, 3 Ashbury Avenue Saturday 12th September 2pm: Corville Sarah Greene, Carrick Saturday 19th September 11am: Scoil Eoin Saturday 19th September 2pm: Dromakeenan **Contact Tracing:** Please be aware under HSE Guidelines, people who visit the Parish Office or Volunteers Sacristy, must be recorded for contact tracing. Thank you to all those who have volunteered to steward or to sanitise our parish churches. Without you, our churches

would not be able 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.

Financial Matters Basket Collections 11th/12th July

Míle Buíochas!

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 – *as per table below* Kyle and Knock: Every second Sunday in either Ballaghmore or Knock 10am – *as per table below*

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 1 st	July 26 th	August 2 nd
August 8 th	August 15 th	August 9 th	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

• 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, <u>please do not attend</u>

- 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 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
- Each church will open **15 minutes** before Mass
- Maximum capacity for each church is **50 people**
- Social distancing of **2m** must be observed Social distancing is essential when coming up for Holy Communion and exiting the church
- Hand sanitisers are available at entrances/exits
- People attending must wear masks
- There will be **one entry point** and a different exit door please 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 other doors there*)
- Baskets for collections are prohibited boxes will be left out for people who wish to contribute
- Newsletters should not be shared please bring home the newsletter you have used
- Holy Water Fonts must remain empty until the HSE advice on this changes
- After Mass, please ensure you do not leave anything which might carry infection behind, including leaflets, prayer cards etc
- Holy Communion will be distributed in the hand only; The handshake for the Sign of Peace is still suspended

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

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 people gathered there. 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 safely.

On the Wings of Prayer

Just close your eyes and open your heart, And feel your worries and cares depart. Just yield yourself to the Father above, And let Him hold you, secure in His love. For life on earth grows more involved, With endless problems that can't be solved. But God only asks us to do our best, Then He will take over and finish the rest... So when you are tired, discouraged and blue, There is always one door that is open to you, And that is the door to the House of Prayer, And you'll find God waiting to meet you there. And the House of Prayer is no further away, Than any quiet spot where you kneel and pray. For the heart is a temple when God is there, And we place ourselves in His loving care. And He hears every prayer and answers each one,

And He hears every prayer and answers each one When we pray in His name, Thy will be done. The burdens that seemed too heavy to bear Are lifted away on the wings of a prayer.

Make sure you test positive for faith! Keep your distance from doubt! Isolate yourself from fear! Trust in God!