

Weekday Mass Times <i>Monday to Saturday</i> Saint Cronan's Church 10am	Saturday Vigil Mass Saint Cronan's Church 6.30pm	Sunday Mass Saint Cronan's Church 11.30am	Parish Office Opening Hours: Mon. & Tues. 10am to 4pm Wed. & Thurs. 10am to 1pm
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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 19th Aug 6.30pm:

Anniv Mass: Brendan Dunne, Kennedy Park,
Anniv Mass: Bernie Murphy, Gleann Glas,
Anniv Mass: Patrick & Lizzie McCauley & deceased members of the McCauley family at home & abroad,
Anniv Mass: Bridget Morley & deceased members of the Morley family,
Anniv Mass: Gerry Kirwan, Grange.

Sun 20th Aug 11.30am:

Month's Mind & Mass Card Mass: Sally Bergin, Limerick St,
Month's Mind & Mass Card Mass: Anthony Kelly, Demesne,
Anniv Mass: Margaret O'Dwyer, St. Cronan's Terrace,
Anniv Mass: Martin Bergin, Carrig, Roscrea.

Mon 21st Aug 10am:

Month's Mind & Mass Card Mass: Hilda Deeley, Golden Grove

Thur 24th Aug 10am:

Anniv Mass: Pamela Dowling, Chapel Lane.

Fri 25th Aug 10am:

Anniv Mass: Denis & Mary Ann Moloney & their sons & daughters,
Anniv Mass: Noel & Frankie Hanlon, Ashbury.

Sat 26th Aug 10am:

Anniv Mass: Tommy & Annie Deegan.

Sat 26th Aug 6.30pm:

Month's Mind Mass: Anne Talbot, Ashmere,
Anniv Mass: PJ Kennedy Ballaghmore,
Anniv Mass: PJ McMahon, St. Cronan's Terrace,
5th Anniv Mass: Geraldine Stone, Monainacha.

Sun 27th Aug 11.30am:

Month's Mind & Mass Card Mass: Matt Moore, Killavilla,
Anniv Mass: Ena O' Lone, Kennedy Park,
Anniv Mass: Bernie & Bernadette Bergin,
Anniv Mass: John John O' Connor, Sheehane.

Couraguneen, Sat 19th 7.30pm:

1st Anniv Mass: Josie Stapleton, Lismackin,
Anniv Mass: Ann Byrne, Cullohill, Knock,
Anniv Mass: Mary Hartigan & deceased members of the Hartigan & Carroll families.

Ballaghmore, Sun 20th Aug 10am:

Anniv Mass: Statia & Daniel Rigney, Ballina,
Anniv Mass: Har Ward, Ballyduff.

Clonakenny, Sat 26th Aug 7.30pm:

1st Anniv Mass: Joseph Kennedy, Gortnagoona, Roscrea,
2nd Anniv Mass: David O' Dwyer, Clonakenny.

Knock, Sun 27th Aug 10am:

Anniv Mass: John Delaney, Knock Cross,
Anniv Mass: Thomas Browne, Rockforest, Knock.

We remember those who died recently including:

John "Choc" McMahon, New York & formerly of Assumption Park.

Roscrea Readers – Sat Aug 26th 6.30pm – Caroline Moloney, **Sun Aug 27th 11.30am** – Marion Flanagan.
Camblin Reader – Sun 27th Aug 10am – Mary Ryan.

Prayer to Our Lady of Knock

Our Lady of Knock, Queen of Ireland, you gave hope to your people in a time of distress and comforted them in sorrow. You have inspired countless pilgrims to pray with confidence to your Divine Son, remembering His promise:

“Ask and you shall receive, seek and you will find”.

Help us to remember that we are all pilgrims on the road to heaven. Fill me with love and concern for my sisters and brothers in Christ, especially those who live with me. Comfort me when I am sick or lonely or depressed. Teach me how to take part ever more reverently in the Holy Mass. Pray for me now, and at the hour of my death. **AMEN**

Feast day of Our Lady of Knock - Monday August 21st

Newly Baptised!

We welcome into our Catholic Christian Community: Amy Maria Ryan & Leo Moloney. We remember you in our prayers & we wish God's blessing on you & your families at this very special time & always!

WALK THE CROSS 2023

The 4 Provinces of Ireland will walk 33 miles over 3 days. Each province will carry a piece of the Cross and meet in the center of Ireland in Clonmacnoise where the cross will be assembled and exalted.

DAY 1 - 14th September. Munster will start their pilgrimage walk at **St. Cronans Church Roscrea** after 10 am Mass and Benediction at approx. 11.15 am and walk the first stage to Birr.

We understand the walk to Birr won't be possible for everyone but please come and walk with us any distance that suits you.

DAY 2 - 15th September. Walk from Birr to near Clonmacnoise.

Day 3 - 16th September walk final 3 miles to Clonmacnoise where the 4 provinces will meet and assemble the Cross. Followed by Holy Mass, Benediction and Confessions.

More details to follow in the coming weeks.

Buses will be organized from Roscrea on the 16th of September for the Mass in Clonmacnoise.

Please contact Pamela on 0861750913 for further details.

Register your interest in the walk by e-mailing

walkthecross33@gmail.com

PARISH LOTTO
Huge Congratulations to our
1stJackpot Winner

Rosie Dowling who won €2950

To be in with a chance of being our next Jackpot winner why not join our weekly lotto draw.

Go to www.ourfundraiser.ie/org/stcronanscluster

Pastoral Area's Public Mass

Saint Cronan's Church Roscrea: Monday to Saturday inc. 10am: Saturday 6.30pm: Sunday 11.30am

Camblin: Every second Sunday 10am

Bournea: Every second Saturday in either Couraguneen or Clonakenny 7.30 pm – SEE TABLE BELOW

Kyle & Knock: Every second Sunday in either Ballaghmore or Knock at 10am – SEE TABLE BELOW.

Bournea, Kyle & Knock and Camblin		
Couraguneen	Clonakenny	Camblin
Saturday 7.30 pm	Saturday 7.30 pm	Sunday 10am
Aug 19 th	Aug 26 th	Aug 27 th
Sept 2 nd	Sept 9 th	Sept 10 th
Ballaghmore	Knock	
Sunday 10 am	Sunday 10 am	
Aug 20 th	Aug 27 th	
Sept 3 rd	Sept 10 th	

Anniversary Masses for all churches within the Pastoral Area can be booked through the Parish Office ONLY at 0505-31835.

ROSCREA TIDY TOWNS

Keep Tidy! Reduce, Reuse & Recycle.

Please go to our recycling center with all your rubbish. Thanks to each volunteer who comes out weekly to help keep our town tidy. We have a great committee. We are currently cleaning, cutting and clearing up. All welcome every Saturday morning. Thanks to our new migrant community who are helping us. In conjunction with the Council & CE Scheme ROSCREA town is looking really well. At this stage the National judging is probably complete (it's always secret so no one knows when the judges are in town) BUT we await patiently the reward towards the end of September when ROSCREA in Tidy will win another medal in National Tidy Towns!

The Black Mills Sessions

On **Friday 25th August**, Roscrea Heritage Society will host Jack Keeshan & Shea Oran McGurnaghan. As seating is limited, tickets (€10) must be purchased in advance on Eventbrite – The Black Mills Sessions. Bígí Linn!

Prayer to Mary, Help of Christians

Mary, Help of Christians, you listen with a Mother's love to all who look for your guidance.

I ask you to keep all those I care for in your tender care.

Give me the strength to face up to life's difficulties and protect me from all Spiritual and Bodily harm.

Grant me an abundance of love so that I, too, may be a help to others, sharing with them in their times of need, and caring for them in their moments of distress.

This I ask through your Son, Jesus Christ Our Lord. **AMEN.**

Killaloe Diocese Autumn Pilgrimage to Lourdes

takes place from 2nd to 7th October. €780 full board. Limited seats available. Booking to Joe Walsh Tours 89 Harcourt Street Dublin 2 D02WY88 Tel: 01-2410800

ROSCREA Parish Autumn Trip

Monday September 4th & Tuesday September 5th.

Day 1: 6am ROSCREA, ENNIS, CROSS, CARRIGAHOLT including The Little Ark & overnight (Woodstock Hotel) in ENNIS.

Day 2: ENNIS, LISCANNOR including St. Bridget's Well, LISDOONVARNA, KILFENORA, BALLINA & ROSCREA. Cost includes Bus, 2 Breakfasts, Bed & 2 Dinners. All welcome. Sharing rooms. Book this week with full payment through Parish Office to secure your seat!

Bus Service to Roscrea Town/10am Mass

This service is available on Tues/Thur/Fri for Travel Pass holders in the Roscrea area. If you would like to avail of this service to come to town and/or Mass please contact **Andrew Walsh on 087-6781575.**

WHEN BRINGING HOLY COMMUNION to our Sick and Housebound **PLEASE** use a Pyx and the Holy Communion is to be received on that day.

BREAST CANCER tickets for sale in **Phelan's Siopa Ballaghmore**. Price €3. All support welcome.

A Reflective Retreat for Young Adults (18-40yrs)
1st – 3rd September 2023 (Fri. Eve – Sun Afternoon)
Mount St. Joseph Abbey Roscrea

Join other young people in prayer with the monks and in friendship. We will have encouraging talks, holy Mass, and peaceful walks.

There will be an opportunity for confession/or personal talk with a priest or one of the team.

Cost: €150 (all meals, own room)

Contact: Sr. Una 090 6481666

or email: youthretreats@gmail.com

May Mary guard us night and day, in gladness and in woe:
 May Mary guide our faltering feet, on high ways and on low.
 May Mary's prayers be in our hearts wherever we may roam:
 May Mary's name be on our lips when God shall call us home. **Brian O'Higgins.**