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| 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 14th Oct 6.30pm:**

Month's Mind Mass: Joan Matthews, Castle Park, Clonakenny,
 Anniv Mass: Dom McCoy, Kennedy Park,
 Anniv Mass: Dick Molloy & his sister Teasy, Golden Grove Road.

Sun 15th Oct 11.30am:

1st Anniv Mass: Marie McManus, Shanakill & also Morrie & Philly McManus,

Anniv Mass: Paddy & Maura Moloney, Ashbury,

Anniv Mass: Jack & Julia Guidera, Sprucehill,

Anniv Mass: Sean Quinlan, Coolanure,

Anniv Mass: Gerry & Maureen Stone, Monaincha,

Anniv Mass: Jamie Donoghue, Chapel Lane.

Mon 17th Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion

Tues 18th Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion

Wed 19th Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion

Thur 18th Oct 10am:

Anniv Mass: Mai Carey,

Anniv Mass: Martin Loughnane, Green Street & deceased member of the Loughnane Family.

Sat 21st Oct 6.30pm: Anniv Mass: Peter Cahalan.

Sun 22nd Oct 11.30am:

Month's Mind Mass: Michael (Mickey) Phelan, Church View,

2nd Anniv Mass: Denis O' Lone, Limerick Street,

Anniv Mass: Michael O' Lone, Kennedy Park,

Anniv Mass: Davey Collins, Ashbury,

3rd Anniv Mass: Tony O'Meara, Moneen Court,

Anniv Mass: Eddie Carey & deceased members of the Carey & Byrne families,

Anniv Mass: Donnacha Mulrooney, Main St. Roscrea.

Couraguneen Sat 14th Oct 7.30pm:

1st Anniv Mass: John (Tipp) Kirwan, Dublin & Ashmere & his parents

John & Nora Kirwan, Ashmere,

Anniv Mass: Thomas, Mary, Pat, Eamon & Angela Carroll.

Ballaghmore Sun 15th Oct 10am:

Anniv Mass: Gregory Sandhu,

Anniv Mass: Eugene & Margaret Keenahan.

Clonakenny Sat 21st October 7.30pm:

1st Anniv Mass: Fr. Noel Kennedy,

1st Anniv Mass: Madge Stapleton & also remembering her husband, Ned.

Knock Sun 22nd Oct 10am:

Anniv Mass: Charlie Scully & Lar Ryan,

Anniv Mass: Jim Scully, Derragooney,

Anniv Mass: Kieran Doheny & his parents Patrick & Marion Doheny, Cullawn, Knock.

We remember those who died recently including:

John O'Reilly, Oldcastle, Meath formerly Roscrea.

Roscrea Readers – Sat Oct 21st 6.30pm – Catherine Lorigan, Sun

Oct 22nd 11.30am – Margaret Ryan.

Camblin Reader – Sun 22nd 10am: - Denis Heenan.

All Eucharistic Ministers & Readers in our Pastoral Area: Monday October 30th 7pm Parish Centre, Abbey Street. This is a very important meeting and a talk with questions and answers. Please confirm your attendance with Parish Office.

CONGRATULATIONS ROSCREA TIDY TOWN COMMITTEE

Being a native of Terryglass and spending eleven years of my Priestly Ministry in Ennis, Co. Clare Tidy Towns is in my bones! What a great REPORT from this year's Competition judges. To quote some lines: *"you have solid links with numerous community groups and other organisations. This is so important for Tidy Towns...and inclusivity. The well-maintained shopfronts along with your superb new public realm give a super appearance to your main thoroughfares. The Fire Station was as neat as a pin and the library looked well. ROSCREA Youth Services is boldly painted and looks great. Ahearne's Victualler is a beautiful old premises. Well done on your support for Daffodil Day, a great example of practical work by a Tidy Towns Group for a good cause. The Rustic Art by the river on the Mall does look great. The 1916 Garden was really well done and maintained, fair play. The Library Garden with Beech, Plane and Birch and a feeling of being far away from traffic and noise. There is also a very nicely tended area opposite the library and the rockery feature was admired. The 3-tiered planters on your new wide pavements were very effective"*...more next week!

ROSCREA has been involved in Tidy Towns for over 40 years. To me Tidy Towns is all about commitment, dedication and hard work. AND sticking at it! ROSCREA is now near the top of the table! We received a Bronze Medal as did Nenagh the only Towns in Tipp to receive same. Keep reducing, reusing and recycling. We have a town and community we can be very proud of. So well done to one and all.

Fr. John.

Thanksgiving Mass for Fr. Lorcan Kenny

A Mass of Thanksgiving will be held in

St. Cronan's Church on 27th October at 7.30pm

We invite all the Parishioners of St. Cronan's Pastoral Area and Fr. Lorcans students, colleagues and friends to come along and celebrate 26 years of service to our Parishes and Community. After Mass all are welcome to Roscrea Youth Center for a cup of tea and a chat.

Breast Cancer Awareness Month

October is breast cancer awareness month. If you would like to donate to this important collection there is a **Pink Cancer** box in the Phelan's Siopa Ballaghmore, badges and ribbons are in the box and you can pick these up on donating, every little helps to conquer cancer, Thanking you.

Prayer for our Friends

Pour out Your love on our Friends and all whom we know. May you carry with them the gentleness of Christ. We pray for the whole world, for our families, the sick, the lonely, the hungry and all those who suffer injustice. Lord help us to help them. Bless the people of our parish. Keep our priests, sisters, missionaries, parents, teachers and children always in your love.
O Sacred Heart of Jesus, I place all my trust in You.
From: Sacred Heart NS. Thank You.

Killavilla Live

A night of Music, Song & Story
in **Killavilla Community Centre**
on **Fri 27th October 8-10pm**
Admission €10.

| Bournea, Kyle & Knock and Camblin Mass Times | | |
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| Couraguneeen | Clonakenny | Camblin |
| Saturday 7.30 pm | Saturday 7.30 pm | Sunday 10am |
| Oct 14 th | Oct 21 st | Oct 22 nd |
| Oct 28 th | Nov 4 th | Nov 5 th |
| Ballaghmore | Knock | |
| Sunday 10 am | Sunday 10 am | |
| Oct 15 th | Oct 22 nd | |
| Oct 29 th | Nov 5 th | |

Anniversary Masses for all churches within the Pastoral Area can be booked through the Parish Office ONLY at 0505-31835. Funeral Masses in St. Cronan's Church 10am & 12 Noon.

PARISH LOTTO

Last Week's Lucky Dip Winner was
Mary Pyne – Congratulations

Go to www.ourfundraiser.ie/org/stcronanscluster

October Stations Area A

The following Stations will be on

Sunday October 15th at 11.30am Mass:

Dungar, Ashbury, Legion Villas, Ashbury Avenue, The Callows, Loughpark, Cluain Bán, Copper Beech, Assumption Park, Gleann Glas, Glentara, Whitepark, Ahody, Fancroft (Wrenns to Treacys), Cloonagh, Birr Road (Booths to Hennessys), Sheehane, Golden Grove Road, Railway View, Green Street, The Crescent, Grove Street, Grove Villas, Mount Butler, Cooleshall, Killavilla, Ballyduff, Gurteen

Roscrea Tidy Towns were delighted to receive another Bronze Medal at last Friday's National Tidy Towns Competition Results Announcements in Croke Park. We increased our marks by 13 points this year. Many thanks to all our volunteers and supporters over the year." Many thanks for your support!!!

Prayer to Bishop Joseph Shanahan Native of Borrisoleigh

Apostle of Southern Nigeria (1871-1943)

Almighty God, you blessed your servant Joseph Shanahan with a deep sense of your presence in all of life. You inspired him with great missionary zeal to spend his life in spreading the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Grant that we also experience your presence in our lives and give us the same generosity and enthusiasm for the spreading of the Good News. **AMEN.**

World Mission Sunday is the Holy Father's annual appeal for spiritual and financial support so that the life-giving work of overseas mission and missionaries can continue. It always falls on the second last Sunday in October, meaning this year it will be celebrated over the weekend of **Sunday 22nd October.**

The theme for this year's celebration of Mission Sunday is: "*Hearts on Fire, Feet on the Move*" (Luke 24: 13-35).

Bournea Reaching out Historical Society is asking for articles for our 2023 publication.

As it is our tenth-year anniversary, we would like to make it a special one, so if you would like to be part of our anniversary publication we would be very grateful.

We are also looking for old photos, new photos of old items or buildings, memory cards, letters etc.

For more information, please contact

bourneareachingout@gmail.com or any of the committee members.

A Retreat for Young Adults (18-40yrs)

27th-29th October 2023 (Fri evening – Sun afternoon)

What does it matter if I gain the whole world and suffer the loss of my soul? Mk8:36

Mount St. Joseph Abbey Roscrea

Join other young people in prayer, encouraging talks, Holy Mass, Confessions & peaceful walks.

For more information contact: SrUna 090-648166 or youthretreats@gmail.com

Invitation

ROSCREA, BOURNEA, KYLE & KNOCK
in St. Cronan's Church Community MISSION
November 18-21st. All very Welcome

Prayer for the Missions

Loving God, we ask you to pour forth your blessing on all missionaries. Strengthen them in their work.

Give them courage and perseverance. Give to us baptised a desire to make the Good News of Jesus Christ known to the whole world around us. Help those who have never heard the Gospel to open their ears and hearts to it.

Grant to those who have drifted from the faith a new sense of wonder and awe in your presence.

Keep us always faithful to you Lord. **AMEN.**