# Parishes of Vol 25 No 37 21/08/16 ROSCREA, BOURNEA, KYLE & KNOCK

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#### CLUSTER MASS TIMES:

Saturday:		Sunday:		Sunday:	
Roscrea	6.30pm	Roscrea	8.30am	Roscrea	10.30am
Knock	7.30pm	Barna	9.30am	Clonakenny	11.00am
Dunkerrin	8.00pm	Ballaghmore	9.30am	Moneygall	11.00am
Couraguneen	8.00pm	Camblin	10.00am	Roscrea	12 noon

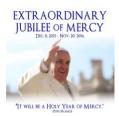
Parish Office Opening: Tuesday to Friday 10am-1pm - Items for Newsletter to be submitted by 1pm Wednesday please

Mass Intentions This Week	<b>Readers – Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> August</b>		
Roscrea	<b>Roscrea:</b> 6.30pm: I Harte 8.30am: M Ryan		
Sat 20 <sup>th</sup> Aug 6.30pm: Anniv Mass for PJ McMahon.	1		
Sun 21 <sup>st</sup> Aug 10.30am: Anniv Mass for Patrick Mulrooney; Anniv Mass	10.30am: C Murphy 12.00noon: A Mulvey		
for Maureen & Paddy McMahon, their daughter Phyllis & son Jimmy.			
<b>12noon:</b> Anniv Mass for Margaret O'Dwyer.	Camblin: 10am: V Burke		
Tue 23rd Aug 10am: Anniv Mass for Barry O'Meara & Colette Thornborough.			
Wed 24th Aug 10am: Anniv Mass for Pamela Dowling.	Couraguneen: 8pm: D Smith		
Thur 25th Aug 10am: Months Mind & Mass Card Mass for Christopher	Clonakenny: 11am: A Shelly		
Marshall: Anniv Mass for Frances & Noel Hanlon.			
Fri 26th Aug 10am: Anniv Mass for Tommie & Annie Deegan.			
Sat 27th Aug 10am: Anniv Mass for Thomas & Nancy Shanahan & their	Ministers of the Eucharist – Sunday 28 <sup>th</sup> August		
sons Martin & Thomas.	Roscrea:		
6.30pm: Months Mind & Mass Card Mass for Josie Murphy;	6.30pm : M Dooley, A Dooley, M Mullally, A Guilfoyle		
Anniv Mass for JonJon O'Connor;	8.30am: E Tynan, B Hynes, B Fitzgerald, F De Lewis		
Anniv Mass for Matthew, Alice & Bridget McNamara.	<i>10.30am:</i> S Wrenn, P Landy, J O'Grady, N Brophy		
Sun 28th Aug 10.30am: First Anniversary Mass for Noel Treacy.			
<b>12noon:</b> First Anniversary Mass for Ena O'Lone;	12.00noon: M Kavanagh, N & M Moore, J McMahon		
Anniv Mass for Danny & Josie Griffin.			
Camblin	Camblin: 10am: D Cody		
Sun 21 <sup>st</sup> Aug 10am: Anniv Mass for James Greene, his parents Joseph &			
Elizabeth & his grandson Baby Oliver Parnell.	Couraguneen: 8pm: K Hennessy		
V	Clonakenny: 11am: C Mullally		
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them to Fr. Gerard Fitzgerald at fitz.ger@gmail.com. The

pictures may be included in a DVD celebrating our parishes.

A sum of money has been found near the Church Grounds – enquiries to Roscrea Garda Station.



Cluster Pilgrimage to the Holy Door The Cronan Cluster will hold a Pilgrimage to the Holy Door of Mercy at Mount St. Joseph Abbey on Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> September – more details to follow.

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Last year, in announcing the Holy Year of Mercy, which began on December 8<sup>th</sup> 2015 & will continue until November 20<sup>th</sup> this year, Pope Francis designated two Holy Doors in the Killaloe Diocese – one being at the Cathedral in Ennis & the other at Mount Saint Joseph Abbey. A holy door or porta sancta has been used since the fifteenth century as a ritual expression of conversion. Pilgrims and penitents pass through it as a gesture of leaving the past behind and crossing the threshold from sin to grace, and from darkness to light. Pope Francis invites all of us "to open our doors to meet Jesus, who waits for us patiently & wants to bring us His blessing & friendship."

An indulgence may be gained during the Jubilee Year by making a visit to the Holy Door, celebrating the Sacrament of Reconciliation, receiving Holy Communion & praying for the Pope's Intentions.

All are invited to take part in this special Pilgrimage for our Cluster in this Extraordinary Jubilee Year of Mercy.

## **Newly Baptised**

We welcome Jeff Nash into our Christian community. We include you in our prayers & we wish God's blessing on you & your families at this very special time!

# **Conference – World Meeting of Families**

A Conference will take place on Sat 22<sup>nd</sup> October from 10am to 4pm in St. Patrick's College, Drumcondra, hosted by the Council for Marriage & the Family, to incorporate the launch of the World Meeting of Families 2018. Guest Speakers: Archbishop Diarmuid Martin & Archbishop Eamon Martin. **Pre-Booking required** – Tel: Alison at 01-5053012.

**Healing Retreat:** Maranatha Prayer Ministry invites you to the Retreat on *TODAY Sunday at 2.30p.m.* at St. Pauls Church, Dooradoyle with Confessions, Mass & Adoration.

## **Ballaghmore Text Alert Service**

Help combat crime with your Community-based Text Alert Service! Local people will be calling to your door to renew existing members annual subscription of  $\notin 20$  per household, to add new members or to make any other changes that may

be required. This initiative is fully supported by An Garda Síochána & Muintir na Tíre.

## Thanks!

The Irish Heart Foundation wish to thank all who contributed to their Church Gate Collection in June. €800 was collected. Roscrea Scouts wish to thank all who contributed to their recent Church Gate Collection held in Roscrea.

Your generosity is much appreciated.

In a world where you can be anything, be kind! **"Human Stories" Exhibition:** This Exhibition will take place in *St. Cronan's Church Of Ireland on Fri* 26<sup>th</sup> & *Sat* 27<sup>th</sup> from 12noon to 8pm & on Sun 28<sup>th</sup> from 12noon to 6pm. Supported by floral arrangements & artefacts, the exhibition commemorates Human Stories from both World War 1 & the 1916 Rising. Admission is free but a donation towards running costs would be most welcome.

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 National Heritage Week: Roscrea Heritage Society have organised a number of free events including:
 A Guided Walking Tour of Historic Monuments – Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> & Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> 2-3pm – Meeting at the Courtyard of King John's Castle, Roscrea at 1.45pm.

**Country Market Bake Sale**: *Friday 26<sup>th</sup> 10am-2pm* in the Courtyard of King John's Castle

**Rambling House** – *Saturday* 27<sup>th</sup> 6-8pm – Join Seamus

Moloughney & Friends for an evening of stories, songs & rhymes in the Courtyard of King John's Castle

**Roscrea People through History** – Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> 2-4pm – Courtyard of King John's Castle

**Roscrea Through the Ages Photographic Exhibition** – *Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> – Sunday 28<sup>th</sup>* in Damer House Gallery All are welcome to these <u>*free events*</u> in Roscrea!

#### Sean Ross Abbey - Cradle of Christianity in

**Roscrea:** Join us in *Sean Ross Abbey* to explore the significance of the Abbey in the history of Roscrea & honour its Christian heritage on *Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> August at 2pm*. Why not bring a picnic, weather permitting, & enjoy the event!

#### **Black Bull Threshing Festival**

At the Black Bull, Sharavogue on Sunday August  $28^{th}$  from 1pm – Vintage Display, Old Time Threshing, Dog Show, Family Fun, Home Produce & Craft, BBQ, Sheaf-pitching, Auction, Traditional Music & Dancing. Admission: Adults  $\notin 5$ , Children are Free. Free On-site Parking. All welcome!

#### **Roscrea Stands Up Family Fun Day**

Taking place in the CBS Field on Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> August from 1-5pm with lots of activities for all the family including a Fun Run, Darts & Bouncing Castles to mention just a few. Admission: €5 per family. All are welcome!

## **Roscrea SPCA Enhanced Cat Neurering**

**Scheme:** For the month of August - For more info call 086 3582440 or contact vets directly to book your pet in.

## PLC Programme for Coláiste Phobal Sept '16

- Construction Technology QQI Level 5
- Social & Community Care QQI Level 5
- Business Technology with Tourism QQI Level 5
- Advanced Administration with HR QQI Level 6
- Nursing Studies QQI Level 5
- Healthcare Support QQI Level 5
- Early Childhood Care & Education QQI Level 5
- Community Development / Youthwork QQI Lev 5

Back to Education, VTOS or Further Education Grants may apply. For more info, please contact 0505-23939 or email

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