Parishes of April 1st 2018



# ROSCREA, BOURNEA, KYLE & KNOCK

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CLUSTER	Saturday:		Sunday:		Sunday:	
MASS	Roscrea	6.30pm	Roscrea	9.00am	Clonakenny	11.00am
	Ballaghmore	7.30pm	Knock	9.30am	Moneygall	11.00am
<b>TIMES</b>	Dunkerrin	8.00pm	Barna	9.30am	Roscrea	11.30am
2018	Couraguneen	8.00pm	Camblin	10.00am		

# Parish Office Opening: Tuesday to Friday 10am-1pm

Items for Newsletter to be submitted by 1pm Wednesday please

#### **Mass Intentions This Week**

#### Roscrea

**Sun 1**st **Apr 11.30am:** Anniv Mass for Declan Quinlan; Anniv Mass for Mary O'Meara, Ashbury;

Anniv Mass for Carlos Simplicio.

Mon 2<sup>nd</sup> Apr 10am: Anniv Mass for Statia Ryan;

Anniv Mass for Kathleen Murphy.

Tue 3<sup>rd</sup> Apr 10am: Anniv Mass for Pat Carroll.

Fri 6th Apr 6.30pm: Anniv Mass for Imelda Comerford;

Anniv Mass for Jack & Mary B Reeves.

Sat 7th Apr 10am: Anniv Mass for Gerry & Mary Nolan, Ashbury;

**6.30pm:** First Anniversary Mass for May Armstrong; Anniv Mass for Murt Deane; Anniv Mass for Peg Coffey.

Sun 8<sup>th</sup> Apr 11.30am: Months Mind/Mass Card Mass-Billy McLoughlin; Anniv Mass for Breeda Kirwan; Anniv Mass for Cronan Deegan; Anniv Mass for Angela Molloy.

### Ballaghmore

Sat 7<sup>th</sup> Apr 7.30pm: Anniv Mass for Jerry & Sadie Drennan.

#### Knock

Sun 1st Apr 9.30am: Anniv Mass for Ned Brennan.

Sun 8<sup>th</sup> Apr 9.30am: Anniv Mass for Matt & Marie Delaney & for Charlie Doherty.

### Couraguneen

Sat 31st Mar 8pm: Anniv Mass for Mary & Tommie Maher, Ballinock.

Tue 3rd Apr 7.30pm: Mass.

**Sat 7<sup>th</sup> Apr 8pm:** Months Mind Mass for Jack Fogarty; Anniv Mass for Jim & Bridie Maher, Ashmere.

Clonakenny: Fri 6th Apr 7.30pm: First Friday Mass.

We remember in our prayers
those who have died recently, especially:
Annie Stone, née Moloney, Assumption Park
Edward Treacy, Assumption Park
Teresa Nash, Germany & Formerly Limerick Street
Dominic Mortimer, Mountrath
Bernie Mullins, née Connolly, Ballybritt
Bridie O'Connor, née Russell, Derrymore
Terry Hoctor, Crinkle
Joan Egan, née Delaney, Mount Heaton
Paddy Hogan, Templemore & Formerly Busherstown

# First Friday – 6<sup>th</sup> April 2018

Mass in **Roscrea: 10am, 6.30pm; Clonakenny 7.30pm** Fatima Prayers before 10am on Saturday in St. Cronan's

### **Easter**

The Priests of the Parish wish all our parishioners a
Happy Easter as we celebrate Christ's Resurrection,
which is the very basis of our Christian Faith.

We thank all who have prepared & participated in our
Liturgies in all our Parishes during Holy Week.
We welcome all those returning home to be
with family & friends at this very special time.
As we continue to prepare for the World Meeting of
Families in August, we pray as a Christian family that
we may all experience the joy of the Risen Christ.
Christ's Resurrection offers us hope & joy & the gift of
eternal life for ourselves & our loved ones who have
died. Christ lives, we live & live fully now.
Jesus Christ is Risen, Alleluia, Alleluia!

### **Best Wishes to Dom Malachy**

We send our best wishes to Dom Malachy, Mount Saint Joseph Abbey, who will be ordained to the Diaconate on 7<sup>th</sup> April at 12noon by Bishop Fintan in Mount Saint Joseph Abbey. All are invited to this very special ceremony. We wish Dom Malachy an abundance of blessings as he opens this new chapter in life!



**Newly Baptised!** We welcome Eve Marie Kinnane, Emily Ward & Danny Harty into our Christian Community! We remember you in our prayers & we wish God's blessing on you

& your families at this very special time & always!

## **Baptism Team (Roscrea)**

The next meeting with the Baptism Team will take place on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> April at 7.30pm in the Parish Centre.

All those who wish to have their child/children baptised in the coming weeks are strongly encouraged to attend this meeting to help prepare for the Baptism.

### Time Change – Mass in Dunkerrin

Vigil Mass in Dunkerrin at 8pm from Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> April

### **Parish Office**

The Parish Office will be closed on Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> April.

### Safeguarding (Child Protection)

As part of our Diocesan Policy of Safeguarding Children & Vulnerable Adults, it is necessary for us, as a Parish, to Garda-Vet anybody involved in parish activities.

Therefore we are holding a Safeguarding morning in the Parish Centre on Wednesday coming, 4<sup>th</sup> April, between 9.30am & 1pm to complete Garda Vetting Forms & Form 7.

The following people must be garda-vetted:

- Eucharistic Ministers for Roscrea, Bournea, Kyle & Knock
- Those who help in the Sacristy (counting money etc) in Bournea or Kyle & Knock
- ALL Sacristans in Camblin & Bournea
- Youth Club Volunteers in Roscrea
- All involved in Childrens/Youth Choirs in Bournea or Kyle & Knock

We appreciate your co-operation in completing these necessary forms & look forwarding to seeing you on Wednesday. Please bring two forms of ID with you.

# **Divine Mercy Sunday – 8th April 2018**

Devotions, Confessions, Mass & Benediction led by Bishop
Fintan Monahan in Ennis Cathedral from 2.30pm.

The Feast of Divine Mercy is a feast day formally established by St John Paul II in May 2000. The Divine Mercy Devotion is inspired by the experiences & writings of a Polish nun, Sister Faustina, who died at 33 years of age in 1938 & was canonised in April 2000. It embraces priests, religious & laity united in their commitment to live mercy in relating to their brothers & sisters, to make the mystery of Divine Mercy known & to invoke God's Mercy for mankind.

# Readers - Sunday 8th April

Roscrea: 6.30: F Grp; 9am: L Hennessy; 11.30am: C Moloney

Camblin: 10am: M Ryan

Couraguneen: 8pm: J J Ryan Clonakenny: 11am: A Murray

# Ministers of the Eucharist - Sunday 8th April

Roscrea: 6.30pmM Dooley, A Dooley, A Delahunty, Mgt Ryan 9am: B Fitzgerald, B Hynes, M Shanahan, F De Lewis 11.30am: M Ryan, J Carroll, J O'Grady, L Hennessy, J Byrne

Camblin: 10am: M Fitzgerald

Couraguneen: 8pm: E Mortimer Clonakenny 11am: K Greed

# Financial Matters - Basket Collections 24th/25th Mar

Thank you for contributions towards **Parish Needs. Trócaire Envelopes** are due & **Easter Priests Collection** is this
weekend - please use specific envelopes from annual supply

Reminder to check out our cluster website to keep up-to-date with parish news or to take part in Mass live from St. Cronan's Church www.stcronanscluster.ie

### **World Meeting of Families**

The Final Mass for WMOF2018 will be a free ticketed event. Every adult & child in attendance will require a ticket to access the venue. The first level of access available is for people attending the three day of Congress that will take place from the 22<sup>nd</sup> -24<sup>th</sup> August. Booking a three day or a one day registration to the WMOF2018 Congress guarantees the opportunity to book a free ticket to the Final Mass at time of registration.

For further information, please check out www.worldmeeting2018.ie or phone 01-5676800.

### **Love Both Regional Rallies**

The LoveBoth Project is organising a series of rallies around Ireland over the coming weeks to highlight the tens of thousands of lives saved by the 8th Amendment and encourage people to speak up and stand up for life. The Limerick Pro Life LoveBoth Evening Rally for families in the region takes place at the Limerick Race Course on Friday April 6<sup>th</sup> from 6pm-8pm. Your presence is needed.

#### Thank You to Scoil Eoin Naofa

We extend a very big thank you to the students & staff of Scoil Eoin Naofa, who held a Non-Uniform Day in aid of Trócaire. €280 was raised & will be forwarded to Trócaire along with the proceeds of our parish Trócaire collection. Well done to you all for your kindness & generosity!

### **Bereavement Support Group**

Next drop-in session: *Friday* 6<sup>th</sup> April at 11am in the Parish Centre, Roscrea, More info from 085-1918550.

### Sacred Heart Primary School Open Day

Come and see our wonderful new school in action! Friday 27<sup>th</sup> April from 1pm to 3pm. All are welcome. Enrolments open for September 2018 and 2019.

### **Roscrea Lions Club Directory**

Classified Business & Services Directory – make sure your business is listed! Email roscrealionsclub@gmail.com or contact any Lions Club Member. Profits to local charities.

### **Roscrea Hospice Variety Concert**

Featuring Don Stiffe, one of Ireland's finest Ballad & Folk Singers, Theresa Larkin's School of Music & many other local artists. In Racket Hall Hotel on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> April.

Tickets are €10 & are available in the Parish Office or from any Hospice Committee Member. Your support for this very worthy cause would be much appreciated!

### Free Family Concert!

As part of the preparations for the World Meeting of Families 2018, a family concert will be held in Our Lady's Church, Rathcabbin on Easter Monday, April 2<sup>nd</sup>, from 8-10pm, featuring Rory Cunningham's one-man-band.

All are welcome!