

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

Roscrea

Sat 26th 6.30pm: Months Mind/Mass Card Mass for Chrissie Nugent;
First Anniversary Mass for Margaret (Pidgie) Dooley;
Anniv Mass for Noel Treacy, Assumption Park & Australia.

Sun 27th Aug 10.30am: Anniv Mass for Mary & George Moloney;
Anniv Mass for Eddie & Eamon Carey;

12noon: Months Mind & Mass Card Mass for Ned Walsh;
Anniv Mass for Tony & Phil Cummins;
Anniv Mass for Bernie Bergin.

Mon 28th Aug 10am: Anniv Mass for John O'Connor.

Fri 1st Sept 6.30pm: Anniv Mass for Tessie Moloney;
Anniv Mass for Deceased Members of the McCauley Family.

Sat 2nd Sept 10am: Anniv Mass for Tommy, Nancy,
Martin & Thomas Shanahan;

6.30pm: Months Mind & Mass Card Mass for Bridie Power;
Months Mind & Mass Card Mass for Billy Thompson;
Anniv Mass for Noel Fairbrother;
Anniv Mass for Matthew, Alice & Bridget McNamara.

Sun 3rd Sept 10.30am: Anniv Mass for Michael Quinlan;
12noon: Remembrance of Alfie Kelly;
Anniv Mass for Florrie & Lolly Fitzpatrick.

Camblin

Sun 27th Aug 10am: Anniv Mass for James Greene,
his parents Joe & Elizabeth & his grandson, Olly Parnell.

Ballaghmore

Sun 27th Aug 9.30am: Anniv Mass for John & Maura Maher &
their sons Dermot & Declan.

Knock

Sat 26th Aug 7.30pm: Anniv Mass for Tom Browne, Rockforest.

Couraguneen

Sat 26th Aug 8pm: Anniv Mass for Anne Byrne.

Fri 1st Sep 7.30pm: First Friday Mass.

The sick will be attended Friday morning.

Clonakenny

Mon 28th Aug 7.30pm: Mass.

Sun 3rd Sept 11am: Anniv Mass for Daniel Higgins Jnr.

We pray for those who died recently, especially:

Mary Bergin, née Cantwell, Gurteen, Ballybritt

Holy Hour – St. Cronan's

A Holy Hour will take place in **St. Cronan's Church this Sunday 27th August at 3pm.** It will include the Holy Rosary, Petition Prayers, Hymns, Exposition & Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Light refreshments in Parish Centre after. All are most welcome.

First Friday – Friday 1st September 2017

Mass will be celebrated as follows:

Roscrea 10am & 6.30pm; Couraguneen 7.30pm.
Fatima Prayers *before 10am Mass on Saturday* in Roscrea.

Readers – Sunday 3rd September

Roscrea: 6.30pm: S Crofton 8.30am: M Ryan
10.30am: L Hennessy 12.00noon: J Murphy
Camblin: 10am: D Heenan
Couraguneen: 8pm: T Hennessy Jnr
Clonakenny: 11am: L Doran

Ministers of the Eucharist – Sunday 3rd Sept

Roscrea

6.30pm: M Dooley, A Dooley, M Mullally, A Guilfoyle
8.30am: M Lupton, R Mulrooney, M Kenny, T Carroll
10.30am: P Landy, N Brophy, M Phelan, E Collis
12noon: E Lupton, J Haugh, J McMahon
Camblin: 10am: E Marrinan
Couraguneen: 8pm: M Carroll
Clonakenny: 11am: K Greed

Collectors (Roscrea) – September – Team A

6.30pm: E McMahon, S Crofton, J Cummins, PJ Wright
8.30am: B McLoughlin, J Dooley, J Campion
10.30am: P Dooley, S Dooley, M Phelan
12noon: G Horan, J Gleeson, T Deegan, J Fitzpatrick

Reminder of September Priests Collection which will be taken up next weekend, 2nd & 3rd September
Please use specific envelope from annual supply

Bringing Holy Communion Home

Should you wish to bring Holy Communion home to the sick or housebound, **a pyx** (small round container used to carry the consecrated host) **must be used.** Pyxes are usually available on loan from the Sacristy in Roscrea. However, all our pyxes are out on loan at the moment – if you have one & are no longer using it, please return it to the Sacristy or Parish Office asap so that we can loan it out to someone else who needs one.

Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine

The Legion of Mary are organising their final Pilgrimage of 2017 on Sunday 24th September. Bishop Fintan Monahan will be the Chief Celebrant & Homilist. Buses serving Roscrea, Birr & all usual areas. Leaving Car Park in Roscrea (beside Tesco's) at 8.15am. Fares: Adults €15, Students €7. Bookings with Mary McGee - 086 4055570 or Mgt Ryan - 087 1509522 or any member of the Legion of Mary.

Support Programme – Beginning Experience

Beginning Experience is a worldwide specially designed support programme for men & women who have suffered the loss of a spouse/partner by death, separation or divorce, to work through the grief process, and to discover for themselves that merely "existing" in life can be transformed into "living" a new life, though a different one.

The next weekend is being held at the Ennismore Retreat Centre, Cork from Friday 6th to Sunday 8th October. For further details please contact 087 9886480 email: beginningexperiencecork@gmail.com

Autumn Pilgrimage to Lourdes

The Killaloe Diocese Autumn Pilgrimage to Lourdes leaves Shannon Airport on Sunday 1st October for five days, returning Friday 6th October. €667 for flight & full board accommodation with three meals a day. Limited availability & early booking advisable. €10 discount for online booking to www.joewalshtours.ie. Booking also through Fr Tom Ryan, Pilgrimage Director, Shannon 061- 364133.

Congratulations – Youth 2000 Summer Festival

Congratulations to all who were involved in the organisation of the Youth 2000 Summer Festival & to those who took part. A wonderful weekend of faith was enjoyed by over 1200 young people. Bishop Fintan Monahan celebrated Mass on Friday - his homily is published in this week's Midland Tribune. Wishing Youth 2000 continued success.

A Prayer for Teachers & Students

What will this school year bring?

You do not know; I do not know.

It will bring its usual quota of work & play, of success & failure, all the things that are part of school life.

It is a new beginning, the planting of a seed that will grow for a year. The seed of fruit that will blossom in times to come.

It is a new hope – hope for good work, for successful results, for friendship, for fun, for learning.

In this coming year, may there be learning, prayer & fun.

May there be hard work, faith & friendship.

May no-one be lonely; may no-one be left out in class;

May no-one suffer through others at school or college.

As we begin this school year in hope, in prayer & in friendship, may the Lord begin it with us, be with us during it, and successfully bring it to its conclusion.

May we, this year, together act justly, together love tenderly, and together walk humbly with our God. Amen.

Bereavement Support Group

Next drop-in session: *Friday 1st September* in the Parish Centre, Roscrea. For more info, please contact 085-1918550.

North Tipperary Hospice Roscrea Branch

Drop-In Service at the Parish Centre, Roscrea

Opens every Thursday from 9.30am to 3.30pm.

Its aim is to provide support for people who are, or have been, on a cancer journey & to make people aware of the free services that North Tipperary Hospice currently offer.

North Tipp Hospice currently have two centres which offer services in Suir Haven, Thurles & Suaimhneas, Nenagh.

These centres provide complementary therapies, eg. reflexology, acupuncture, massages, bereavement support, mindfulness/moving towards inner peace, yoga, support group classes & much more.

If you wish to use this new service in Roscrea,

you are most welcome to drop in or contact

Manager Catherine Harty at 087-1236696 for more info.

"Supporting people & their families with cancer"

Tractor Run – Clonakenny: Registration from 12.30pm.

A BBQ & Raffle will follow, with music by Rock on Paddy. Proceeds shared between Scoil Mhuire Lismackin, St. Anne's Special School & Clonakenny Tidy Villages. All welcome.

Kyle GAA 5K Run/Walk

10th September at 12noon starting at Kyle GAA Grounds
Registration from 11.15am. €10 for Adults, €5 for children.
Prizes galore & a great route – all support welcome!

Hen Harrier Project – Local Meetings

Informal meetings will be held locally as follows: Monday 28th August in Camross Community Hall at 8pm & Tuesday 29th August in Kinnitty Hall at 8pm. Check out twitter @HenHarrierProj or facebook Hen Harrier Project.

Coláiste Phobal Ros Cré Further Education

Roscrea Community College is taking applications for QQI Level 5 & 6 Validated 1 Year-Courses starting in September in Business, Nursing & Healthcare, Childcare, Social Studies & in Construction. For information or to apply, go to www.cpr.ie or call 0505-23939.

St. Cronan's Service CE Vacancies

Support Worker: a full clean B driving licence will be required for this position. Also a Kitchen Assistant. For more info, please phone Deirdre on 0879772409 /0505 21426

Roscrea Jobs Club Programme - NTLP

Looking for work & interview preparation? Help with online job searches & applications? Manual handling training? A free 4-week programme is commencing on Monday 4th September from 10am to 12.30pm daily. Contact Suzanne/Linda at 0505-23379 for more info.