

# Parishes of ROSCREA, BOURNEA, KYLE & KNOCK

Feb 8<sup>th</sup> 2026

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Weekday Mass Times <b>Monday to Saturday</b> Saint Cronan's Church 10am	Saturday Vigil Mass Saint Cronan's Church 6.30pm	Sunday Mass Saint Cronan's Church 11.30am	Parish Office <b>Opening Hours:</b> 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](http://www.stcronanscluster.ie)

Items for Parish Newsletter to be submitted by 11am each Wednesday please.

## Bookings Parish Office:

**Anniversary Masses Baptisms and Weddings** for all churches within the Pastoral Area to be booked in through the Parish Office ONLY at 0505-31835. Funeral Masses in St. Cronan's Church 10am & 12 Noon and 11am in all our other Churches. Thanks for all your understanding and co-operation.  
**Fr's John, Antun & Tom.**

## MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK ROSCREA

**Sat Feb 7<sup>th</sup> 6.30pm:**

**Months Mind & Mass Card Mass:** Norman Lovejoy, Scart,  
**1<sup>st</sup> Anv:** Cormac McMahon, Cois Eaglais,  
**1<sup>st</sup> Anv:** Margaret Healy, Kennedy Park & also her husband Simon,  
**Anv:** Timmy Dunford, Green Street & all deceased family members,  
**Anv:** Paddy & Marie Troy, Sheehane.

**Sun Feb 8<sup>th</sup> 11.30am:**

**Anv:** Bernie McGinn, Templemore Road,  
**Anv:** Paul Ryan, Grange & also remembering his brother Pat Ryan,  
**Anv:** Padraig & Rody Sheedy, Boulera,  
**Anv:** Helen Feeley, Fancroft.

**Mon Feb 9<sup>th</sup> 10am:** Liturgy of the Word and Holy Communion

**Tues Feb 10<sup>th</sup> 10am:** Anv: Tom Fletcher

**Thur Feb 12<sup>th</sup> 10am:** Anv: Dick Moloney

**Fri Feb 13<sup>th</sup> 10am:** Anv: Peg O'Neill, Moneen Court, Roscrea.

**Sat Feb 14<sup>th</sup> 6.30pm:**

**Months Mind & Mass Card Mass:** Stephen Crofton, Parkmore,  
**1<sup>st</sup> Anv:** Denis Fitzgerald, Ashbury,  
**Anv:** Eileen Moloney, Clonan, **Anv:** Seamus Walsh, Kennedy Park,  
**Anv:** Elizabeth Dempsey, Roscrea, **Anv:** Kathleen Quinlan, Killavilla,  
**Anv:** Thomas Joseph Gunnell, his daughter Patricia & all deceased family members,  
**Anv:** Jim Smyth & deceased members of the Smyth, Bergin & Keating families.

**Sun Feb 15<sup>th</sup> 11.30am:**

**Months Mind & Mass Card Mass:** Sinon Meaney, Grove Street,  
**Months Mind & Mass Card Mass:** Noel (Barney) Hogan, Carrick,  
**1<sup>st</sup> Anv:** Jimmy Troy,  
**Anv:** May Hynes & Nora Treacy,  
**Anv:** Mary McGrath,

**Anv:** Tom O'Brien, Whitepark,  
**Anv:** Bridget & Billy Carroll,  
**Anv:** Tom Ryan, Coolehall,

**Anv:** Anne Cummins,  
**Anv:** Nellie Dooley, Abbey Street & her husband Peter,  
**Anv:** Michael Loughnane, Glen Albert,

**Anv:** Lily Moten, Chapel Lane.

**Camblin Sun Feb 8<sup>th</sup> 10.15am:**

**Anv:** Martina O'Hara, Kennedy Park, Roscrea.

**Clonakenny Sat Feb 7<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm:**

**Anv:** Stephen O'Meara, Steelspark, Clonakenny.

**Knock Sun Feb 8<sup>th</sup> 9.15am:**

**Anv:** Teresa Carroll & Sinead Carroll,

**Anv:** Tim Scully his wife Mary Ellen, Sr. Inviolata, John & Billy Scully.

**Ballaghmore Sun Feb 15<sup>th</sup> 9.15am:**

**Anv:** Paddy Moore,

**Anv:** Lorraine Carey Fitzgerald,

**Anv:** Noel Browne & all deceased family members,

**Anv:** Paddy Walsh, his wife Mary, parents Kathleen & Patrick & all deceased family members.

## We remember those who died recently including:

Michael Bergin, Camblin, Roscrea,

Mary Murphy (née Gleeson), Railway View, Roscrea.

## A Tribute to Marie Healy (RIP) DEAN MAXWELL HOME

The time has come Marie where we must say goodbye,  
We are heartbroken to do so, so forgive us if we sigh,  
You were such a big part of the Dean Maxwell Home,  
And I'm sure everyone could tell,

over the years we got to know you ever so well.

With Christmas fast approaching, your favourite time of year,

Knowing you're not with us, just brings a little tear.

We hope you knew how much we all adored you,

And how you made our days so bright,

Even on a stormy day when there was not much light.

We know you're in Heaven now, and I'm sure you won't get a nap,  
because Heaven has such lovely dogs,

I'm sure they will be on your lap. So, goodbye for now Marie,  
Dean Maxwell won't be the same without your lovely smile,  
We will miss you Marie, and we will see you in a while.

**Angela Nolan**

## Roscrea, Bournea, Kyle & Knock Parish Pilgrimage with Guests from Toomevara! ...

**Monday May 4th, Tuesday 5th and Wednesday 6th May...**

**Destination:** Belfast, Monaghan, Donegal, Sligo and Mayo...Some highlights include: Titanic, Surprise 'Stops', Yeats' Drumcliff, Mass at Gable in Knock...2B&B's, 3D's & Bus €380pp sharing. Please book your seat early with full amount paid to secure your place.

**Fr. John**

## Roscrea Folk Group - Lourdes

Roscrea Folk Group was formed in 1976 by the late Fr. Tony Cahir so they will celebrate their 50th Anniversary when they will be leading the music for the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes in June 2026.

This will be the 5th time to carry out this function the last in 2010.

The Pilgrimage will take place next year  
**from 24th June to 29th June @ €990.**

Parishioners are asked to book early as places are limited.

**Bookings to joewalshtours.ie Tel: 012410800**

## Lourdes Novena

The annual novena in honour of Our Lady of Lourdes and in preparation for World Day of the Sick will take place in the Cathedral Ennis from Tuesday 3rd February to Wednesday 11th February, the feast of Our Lady of Lourdes.

Weekdays 7.30pm, Saturday 11am, Sunday 11.30am.

The novena can be viewed on Cathedral webcam [ennisparish.com](http://ennisparish.com)

**If anybody has empty bottles suitable for Holy Water, can you please drop them to the Sacristy.**

## Reading the Confession of our great Saint Patrick

As we approach his feast day on March 17<sup>th</sup>

With notes and commentary

Over three Sundays –February 8<sup>th</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> & March 18<sup>th</sup> **Time: 4-5pm**

**At United Hearts Prayer Room, Verdant Hil, Roscrea, Co.**

**Tipperary E53 KF30**

**Roscrea Readers – Sat Feb 14<sup>th</sup> 6.30pm – Irene Harte & Anne Moore, Sun Feb 15<sup>th</sup> 11.30am – Marguerite Maguire McGrath & Emer Collis. Couraguneen Reader – Sat Feb 14<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm: Kate Cantwell.**

### Church Envelopes

The Annual Church Envelopes can be collected in the Parish Office. If you normally deliver envelopes and can do so again this year, please call to the Parish Office or phone 0505-31835 to arrange collection.

### Bournea, Kyle & Knock and Camblin Mass Times

Couraguneen	Clonakenny	Camblin
<b>Saturday 7.30 pm</b>	<b>Saturday 7.30 pm</b>	<b>Sunday 10.15am</b>
Jan 31 <sup>st</sup>	Feb 7 <sup>th</sup>	Feb 8 <sup>th</sup>
Feb 14 <sup>th</sup>	Feb 21 <sup>st</sup>	Feb 22 <sup>nd</sup>
<b>Ballaghmore</b>	<b>Knock</b>	
<b>Sunday 9.15am</b>	<b>Sunday 9.15am</b>	
Feb 1 <sup>st</sup>	Feb 8 <sup>th</sup>	
Feb 15 <sup>th</sup>	Feb 22 <sup>nd</sup>	

### Tax Back Scheme

Under the Charities Act, parishes can claim tax back for people who have contributed over €250 to the parish in a year. If you are interested in allowing the parish to avail of this scheme, at no cost to yourself, we ask you to contact the Parish Office for a form. We will then process them.

### PARISH LOTTO

Last Week's Lucky Dip Winner was  
Linda Curran – Congratulations

### Bingo is Back

**Muintir na Tire Hall & Roscrea GAA**  
Muintir na Tire Hall - Sunday 8.00pm  
Play in the hall or online (QR code below)  
€4000 prize fund



### Citizens Information Centre Roscrea

Phone Number: 0818 07 6480 Email Address:  
[roscrea@citinfo.ie](mailto:roscrea@citinfo.ie)

The Centre is open each Thursday from 10am to 1pm for  
Walk Ins Phone & Email Service Thursday & Friday  
Thur 2pm to 4pm Fri 10am to 1pm & 2pm to 4pm

### **Grow Templemore Meeting**

Grow Mental Health- Friendly Community based groups for anyone experiencing mental health issues through 12 Step Program of connection, hope, identity by empowering people to nurture their positive wellbeing by supporting personal growth through education, peer support and self-teaching.

Templemore Library – Monday 11-1pm (Bar Bank Holiday)  
Contact Celia 086-1526966/Www.grow.ie

**Eucharistic Adoration + Five First Saturday Devotion of Reparation to the Immaculate Heart of Mary as Requested by Our Lady of Fatima  
St. Cronan's Church, Roscrea.**

**Every First Saturday - after 10am Mass until 11.30am**

### New Beginnings

A brand-new day, a moments cheer  
Our long-awaited Spring is here  
With the gentle warmth of the sun's embrace  
To put a smile upon your face

The gardens start to come alive  
As winter chills, they did survive  
The tiniest buds begin to grow  
Preparing for a dazzling show

The days grow longer, brighter too  
To lighten the way for me and you  
Spring really helps the way we feel  
To nurture our senses, like a hearty meal

Like new beginnings, that's what they say  
A zest for life, with skies less grey  
A chance to shed our winter woes  
To see what the road ahead bestows

For Spring has sprung, and life feels brighter  
Rejuvenation, our hearts feel lighter  
Awash with colour, our wondrous world  
The flowers now grow, their beauty unfurled

### **Roscrea Men's Shed are hosting a free "Energy in your home" Course.**

Week 1: Conservation of energy in your home  
Week 2: retrofitting and energy efficiency  
Week 3: Solar Panels

Week 4: Electric vehicles and home charging.  
**When: Starting Tues Feb 10<sup>th</sup>, 11am-12:30pm**

**Where: Muintir na Tire Hall, Chapel Lane, Roscrea**  
Contact Eoin (0860702409) to register. Non-members welcome

### **Roscrea Bereavement Support Group**

If you are an adult living in Roscrea, surrounding area, or Pastoral Area who are living through grief or loss, the Roscrea Bereavement Support Group are available for support and help. For more information, please contact 087-1900294

### **Reflection**

When I want to speak, let me think first:  
Is it true? Is it kind? Is it necessary?  
If not, let it be left unsaid.

### **Stay Strong**

Life can be tough, the weather may be rough, but stay strong, find the inner strength to carry on. You are loved, have faith, believe, you are special, focus, and achieve. One door is closed, but many are ajar, maximise your potential, you'll go very far. The world is on your side, so fill your heart with pride. Move on up inspire your mind, get ready for change, your one of a kind.