

# *Carbury Parish Newsletter*

## *Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2018*

### **Our Churches: Derrinturn & Kilshanroe**

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| <i>Derrinturn Church Mass Times</i>   |                              | <i>Kilshanroe Church Mass Times</i> |        |
|---|------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------|
| Monday<br>Monday – Adoration  | 9.30am<br>10am – 12 midnight | Monday                              |        |
| Tuesday   | 9.30am                       | Tuesday                             |        |
| Wednesday   | 9.30am                       | Wednesday<br>Adoration              | 9.00am |
| Thursday<br>Adoration for Priestly<br>Vocations                                     | 9.30am<br>8.45pm             | Thursday                            |        |
| Friday  | 9.30am                       | Friday                              |        |
| <b>Saturday 28<sup>th</sup></b><br><i>First Communion for<br/>Derrinturn School</i> | <b>11.00am</b><br>7.30pm     | Saturday                            | 7.30pm |
| Sunday  | 8am & 11am                   | Sunday                              | 11am   |

*Next Week's Gospel Lk 15: 1 - 8.*

**Carbury Parish Field Day Meeting** takes place on Tuesday the 24<sup>th</sup> of April in the Vestry in Derrinturn church at 8pm. Those who volunteered last year and new volunteers who are interested in helping out are asked to attend.



**Dates for First Communion 2018** for our Parish are as follows:

**Derrinturn National School** on Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> of April at 11am in Derrinturn Church. **Killina & Ticknevin National Schools** on Saturday the 12<sup>th</sup> of May at 11am in Derrinturn Church. **Kilshanroe National School** on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> May at 11am in Kilshanroe Church.



**May is the month that is dedicated to Our Lady.** We invite all children to bring flowers for our Blessed Mother to any Mass in Kilshanroe or Derrinturn Church over the coming weeks and leave them at the altar.

**Love Both Project** is organising a rally in Dublin on May 12<sup>th</sup> to highlight the tens of thousands of lives saved by the 8<sup>th</sup> Amendment and to encourage people to speak up and stand up. For more information please email [info@loveboth.ie](mailto:info@loveboth.ie)

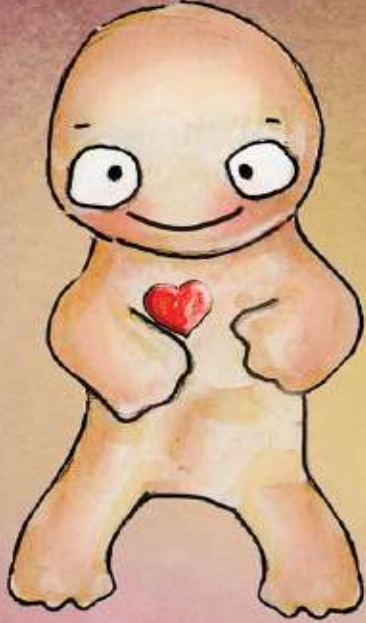
**Thank You:** The Irish Cancer Society and Janet would like to thank everyone for their generous donations at the recent church gate collection. The total raised was €750. Your support is greatly appreciated.

## Anniversary Mass List

| 2018   | Derrinturn   | Kilshanroe   |
|--|--|--|
| <b>Sat 21<sup>st</sup> April</b><br><i>St Anselm</i>   | <b>10am</b> Elizabeth McKeon Ticknevin, Birthday Remembrance.<br><b>7.30pm</b> Suzie Hackett ,Derrinturn, Months Mind. Jim Reilly Parsonstown, 1 <sup>st</sup> Anniversary.                      | <b>7.30pm</b> Thomas & Ann Ayres & daughters, especially Jane Behan. |
| <b>Sun 22<sup>nd</sup> April.</b><br><i>Fourth Sunday of Easter.</i>   | <b>8.00am</b> Rose & Martin Glennon Rhode.<br><b>11.00am</b> Roseanne Reilly, Ashgrove. Edward & Julia Dempsey, Killinagh Anniversary Mass. Ellen & Laurence Daly, Ballyhagan, Anniversary Mass. | <b>11.00am</b> John & Annie Sullivan Cloona & daughter Patricia.     |
| <b>Mon 23<sup>rd</sup> April</b><br><i>St George</i>   | <b>9.30am</b>  |  |
| <b>Tues 24<sup>th</sup> April</b><br><i>St Fidelis</i>   | <b>9.30am</b>  |  |
| <b>Wed 25<sup>th</sup> April</b><br><i>St Mark</i>   | <b>9.30am</b>  | <b>9.00am</b>  |
| <b>Thur 26<sup>th</sup> April</b><br><i>St Marcellinus</i>   | <b>9.30am</b><br><b>8.45pm</b> Adoration for Priestly Vocations  |  |
| <b>Fri 27<sup>th</sup> April</b><br><i>St Ascius</i>   | <b>9.30am</b>  |  |
| <b>Sat 28<sup>th</sup> April</b><br><b>Communion</b><br><i>St Peter Channel</i><br><i>St Louis Marie</i><br><i>Grignon de Montfort</i> | <b>No Morning Mass</b><br><b>11 am First Holy Communion Derrinturn School.</b><br><b>7.30pm</b> Micky MacManus, Killina 2 <sup>nd</sup> Anniversary. Charlie McKeon, Ticknevin.                  | <b>7.30pm</b>  |
| <b>Sun 29<sup>th</sup> April.</b><br><i>Fifth Sunday of Easter.</i>  | <b>8.00am</b> Tommy Brennan, 6 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Mass.<br><b>11.00am</b> Bridget Kenny, Robertstown 7 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary.   | <b>11.00am</b>   |

Day 21

Hi Mammy!  
Today my heart started to beat for the first time and I'm only three weeks old. I'm really tiny and the sound of my little heart is too soft to detect yet but it's there! You and Daddy will be able to hear it in just a few short weeks. I love you both!



Over the coming weeks we will be following the development of Baby Bump based on pregnancy milestones from conception to 12 weeks.

"THERE IS NOTHING TO BE GAINED by denying the truth that our lives begin at conception. What we have learned about our development in the womb will only be added to in the years ahead, but we already know enough. However, regrettably, the abortion debate is not really about biology. Everyone knows that a life has begun. The question is whether it is right to deliberately stop that life being born. Once we deny the right to life of the unborn, we can no longer defend ourselves from what flows from an abortion culture."



*Excerpt from the pastoral message of Bishop Denis Nulty of Kildare and Leighlin*

**Collections for Saturday the 14<sup>th</sup> April & Sunday the 15<sup>th</sup> of April 2018**

| <b>Collections</b> | <b>Amount</b> | <b>Collections</b> | <b>Amount</b> |
|--------------------|---------------|--------------------|---------------|
| Derrinturn Basket  | €915.00       | Development        | €1085.00      |
| Kilshanroe         | €390.00       | Mass Cards         | €132.50       |
| Easter Collection  | €80.00        | Trocaire           | €642.00       |
| Easter Station     | €125.00       | Clergy             | €50.00        |

**Carbury GAA Lotto** took place on Monday the 16<sup>th</sup> of April. The following numbers were drawn in this week's lotto 10, 20, 22, 28 and the bonus number was 17. There was no winner of the Lotto Jackpot and there were 4 match three winners who each received €50.

**Kilshanroe Eucharistic Ministers & Readers for Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> April & Sunday the 29<sup>th</sup> of April 2018**

| <b>Mass Time</b> | <b>Readers</b>  | <b>Eucharistic Ministers</b> |
|------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| Saturday 7.30pm  | Cyril Regan     | Kathleen Dempsey             |
| Sunday 11am      | Patricia Holton | Tommy Holton                 |

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|------------------|------------------|------------------------------|
| Saturday 7.30pm  | Phil Connolly    | Patsy Daly & Peg Hughes      |
| Sunday 8am       | Mark Murray      | Mary Carey                   |
| Sunday 11am      | Paddy Fitzsimons | Marion Dolan & Rose Connolly |



**St. Pio's Glove 2018.** St. Pio's glove will be in the home of Betty Malone, Shindella, Rathangan, Co. Kildare on the Rathangan to Monasterevin Rd. On Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> April 2018 from 11am to 5pm. Contact Betty 045 525094, item's of St. Pio will be on sale on the day, two important commemorations in the life of St. Pio, Centenary of Stigmata and 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of his death, everyone welcome.

**Florist Moyvalley**, fresh cut flowers catering for all occasions. For more information please phone 049 9551223 or 085 2793070.

***Facing Changes & Challenges Together, taking the next step - Parish Administration;***

From the summer of 2019, every priest who has reached the age of 75 can stand down from all parish administration work. He obviously is most welcome to continue celebrating Masses, to work as chaplain in schools and hospitals, pastorally ministering in the parish but not carrying the burden of administration – it's simply not fair.

The lead into this recommendation is that it will allow lay people to be trained up in all aspects of parish administration. All priests have the opportunity to stand down from administrative work at 75, I want to once again acknowledge the great contribution men who are currently over 75 are making to ministry and life in the diocese. However, I also have to be realistic. I think of the statistic I shared in my Pastoral Letter last May: "*there are 90 priests ministering in our diocese, 27 of them are over 75, 12 of them are over 80*". By June 1<sup>st</sup> 2019, 29 of those who are currently in active ministry will be 75 or over; 14 of them will be Parish Priests or Administrators of Parishes. (Excerpt from Bishop Denis Pastoral Letter dated November 2017)

**BBC Soccer Girls** are looking for girls born in 2004/2005 interested in joining their Under 14 team. For more information please call Shane on 085 8484611.

**Alzheimer's Tea Day 2018:** James & Marian O'Rourke would like to remind their loyal supporters of Tea Day 2018. It takes place on the 3<sup>rd</sup> of May from 9am to 4pm in their home. Everyone is welcome to share a cuppa especially new faces and neighbours in the community. "*Be Glad you can remember*".



## World Meeting of Families 2018 UPDATE: April 2018

The following information is being shared with parish representatives across Kildare and Leighlin diocese.  
Many thanks for all your help as we journey to WMOF2018.

### What's happening about Registering for the Festival of Families on Saturday and the Closing Mass on Sunday?

Registration for both these events can only be done at this stage as part of registering for three days or one day of the Pastoral Congress in the RDS. The diocesan day at the congress is Wednesday, August 22<sup>nd</sup>. Registration can be done online at: [www.worldmeeting2018.ie](http://www.worldmeeting2018.ie) People can register as individuals or as part of groups – families, parishes, etc. U 18's go free but must be registered. As soon as the registration process for the Festival of Families and the Closing Mass has been decided by the organisers of WMOF 2018 we will let you know. Registration and ticketing is planned alongside access and safety plans, involving a huge logistical operation for the Organisers.



**KANDLE Family Fun Day:** A free afternoon of fun and family entertainment hosted by Kildare & Leighlin Diocese as we prepare for the World Meeting of Families in August. Join us for music, sport, food and art with plenty to see and do for all ages. Why not invited your wider family circle and bring along a picnic. This event takes place in the Grounds of Carlow College, St Patrick's on Saturday the 16<sup>th</sup> of June from 2pm to 6pm. Everybody is welcome to attend.

**The Icon for the World Meeting of Families** is visiting Kildare and Leighlin Diocese at the end of April as follows:

**Carlow Cathedral** 27<sup>th</sup> April 2018 departing on Monday 30<sup>th</sup> April. **Portlaoise Parish** Monday 30<sup>th</sup> April departing on Thursday, 3<sup>rd</sup> May. **Newbridge Parish** Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> May departing on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> May.

Each Diocese has its own Petition Box for World Meeting of Families. The Kildare and Leighlin Petition Box will accompany the Icon on its visit to our Diocese and will arrive in **Carbury Parish for the following week of 8<sup>th</sup> May 2018 to 15<sup>th</sup> May** Families can write their intentions and prayers and put it in the box. Contemplative communities around Ireland will pray for the intentions collected. The petitions will also be brought to World Meeting of Families 2018.

