

# Carbury Parish Newsletter



## Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> December 2016

### Our Churches: Derrinturn & Kilshanroe

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<i>Derrinturn Church Mass Times</i>		<i>Kilshanroe Church Mass Times</i>	
<i>Monday</i>	9.30am	<i>Monday</i>	
<i>Tuesday</i>	9.30am	<i>Tuesday</i>	
<i>Wednesday</i> <i>Vigil Mass</i>	9.30am 7.30 pm	<i>Wednesday</i>	9.00am
<i>Thursday</i> <i>Adoration for Priestly</i> <i>Vocations</i>	9.30am 8.45pm	<i>Thursday</i> <i>Vigil Mass</i>	7.30 pm
<i>Friday</i>	9.30am	<i>First Friday</i>	7.30pm
<i>Saturday</i>	10.00am 7.30pm	<i>Saturday</i>	7.30pm
<i>Sunday</i>	8am & 11am	<i>Sunday</i>	11am

*Next Week's Gospel: Mt 11:2-11.*

### **Christmas Station Masses**

**Sat 3<sup>rd</sup> Dec 7.30pm (Dtn)** Carbury, Newbury, Longridge, Teelough, Haggard, Ardkill, Coolcor.

**Sun 4<sup>th</sup> Dec 11am (Dtn)** Rathmore, Ticknevin, Ashgrove, Ashbrook, Trinity Crescent, Trinity Drive, Ashmount.

*Thank you for supporting our priests.*

**Carbury Parish Senior Citizens Christmas Party** takes place today Sunday the 4<sup>th</sup> of December in Larkins Function Room in Edenderry, starting at 1pm and finishing at 5pm. We look forward to seeing you all there today.

**Yes to Life** is a new initiative which seeks to answer the questions people may have about abortion. Building on the success of the Rally for Life which has brought over 60,000 people together to celebrate life, Yes to Life is engaging thousands of people to have a real conversation with the nation about abortion. We are asking you to get on board with this ground-breaking, nationwide campaign. Please phone 01 8730465 or email [info@yestolifeireland.org](mailto:info@yestolifeireland.org).

**Second Sunday of Advent** – are you called to be “A herald’s voice in the desert” preparing the way of the Lord in the hearts of His people. If you are considering a vocation to the priesthood contact: Fr Ruairi O’Domhnaill via email [vocations@kandle.ie](mailto:vocations@kandle.ie) or [www.kandlepriest.com](http://www.kandlepriest.com)

*~ Christmas Mass Bouquets are now available in the Parish Office and usual outlets ~*

### Anniversary Mass List

<b>Sat 3<sup>rd</sup> Dec</b> <i>St Frances Xavier</i>	<b>10.00am</b> Andy Brennan Months Mind. <b>7.00pm</b> Confessions <b>7.30pm</b> Noel Bayliss, 1 <sup>st</sup> Anniversary. May & John Joe Malone Ardkill & deceased members of the Delaney family. Ellen 'Nellie' Pender the Cush & Dreenane. Irene Fylan, Ballyhagen. Margaret Malone Williamstown also her granddaughter Olivia O'Brien Coill Dubh. Josephine & Patrick McNally, Killinagh.	<b>7.00pm</b> Confessions. <b>7.30pm</b>
<b>Sun 4<sup>th</sup> Dec</b> <b>Second Sunday of Advent.</b>	<b>8.00am</b> Remembering the Living on our Mass card List. <b>11.00pm</b> Thomas, TT, Tim & Mary Duffy Clonkeen, Christmas Mass. Owen Malone, Coonough.	<b>11.00am</b> Patrick (Paddy) Holton Johnstownbridge, 1 <sup>st</sup> Anniversary. John Walshe, Abbie Walshe & Hannah Foran. Paddy Keegan, Mucklon. Noel Phelan, Bridie & Willie Phelan, Josie & Con Mangan, Bill & Judy Connor.
<b>Mon 5<sup>th</sup> Dec</b> <i>St Crispina</i>	<b>9.30am</b> Mass for the sick and their carer's.	
<b>Tues 6<sup>th</sup> Dec</b> <i>St Nichlolas</i>	<b>9.30am</b> Michael & Maryann Connolly, Kilpatrick.	
<b>Weds 7<sup>th</sup> Dec</b> <i>St Ambrose</i>	<b>9.30am</b> The Reilly Family, Ticknevin Lock. <b>7.30pm</b> Immaculate Conception Vigil	<b>9.00am</b>
<b>Thurs 8<sup>th</sup> Dec</b> <i>The Immaculate conception of the BVM.</i>	<b>9.30am</b> Esther Gill, Birthday Remembrance.	<b>7.30pm</b> Immaculate Conception Vigil.
<b>Fri 9<sup>th</sup> Dec</b> <i>St Juan Diego</i>	<b>9.30am</b>	
<b>Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> Dec</b> <i>St John Roberts</i>	<b>10.00am</b> Paddy & Caroline Judge, Anniversary Mass. <b>7.00pm</b> Confessions <b>7.30pm</b> Robert 'Bob' Heavey, Drehid & deceased members of the family. Thomas & Elizabeth Moran, Athlone. Christopher & Annie Coyne, Ardkill. Edward, Mary, Laurence & Patrick Fanning, Ardkill. Walter Lewis, Coonough. Sean & Teresa O'Reilly. Mary Murphy, Ballinakill. Katie & Peter Gill, Killina.	<b>7.00pm</b> Confessions. <b>7.30pm</b>
<b>Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> Dec</b> <i>Third Sunday of Advent.</i>	<b>8.00am</b> Willie Smullen, Coolavacoose. <b>11.00am</b>	<b>11.00am</b> James 'Jim' Duffy, Mucklon, 20 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary.

***Derrinturn Tidy Towns Christmas Raffle:*** Derrinturn Tidy Towns Association currently have tickets on sale for their Annual Christmas Draw. Tickets are €2 each and are available from any of the committee. 1st Prize- Large Hamper; 2nd Prize - Meat Voucher; 3rd Prize - 10 Bales of Briquettes; 4th Prize - Bottle of Spirits; 5th Prize- Box of Chocolates; 6th Prize - Tin of Biscuits & Bottle of Wine. The Draw will take place in The Turn Inn on Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> December. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

***Thank you*** to Derrinturn Tidy Towns for the painting of our Parish Hall.

<i>Derrinturn Eucharistic Ministers &amp; Readers for weekend of the 10<sup>th</sup> &amp; 11<sup>th</sup> of December.</i>		
Mass Time	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
Saturday 7.30pm	Donal Hanley	Patsy Daly & Peg Hughes
Sunday 8am	Sheamus Farrell & Veronica Moody	Liz Lavery
Sunday 11am	Fiona Feely	Marian Dolan & Marie Cully

<i>Kilshanroe Eucharistic Ministers &amp; Readers for weekend of the 10<sup>th</sup> &amp; 11<sup>th</sup> of December.</i>		
Mass Time	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
Saturday 7.30pm	Francis Cline	Eileen Cawley
Sunday 11am	Jim Clarke	Rita Clarke

**Carbury GAA Lotto:** This week's Lotto the following numbers were drawn, 09, 13, 23, 28, and the bonus was 08. Four match three winners received €50 each. Next week's prizes: Match four plus bonus to win/share €13,800. Match four to win or share €7400. Turkey Draw Winners are Eddie & Ann Fanning and Jane Fox.

<i>Collections for Saturday the 26<sup>th</sup> &amp; Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> of November 2016</i>			
Collections	Amount	Collections	Amount
Derrinturn Basket	€830	Development	€1325
Kilshanroe Basket	€400	Clergy	€160
List of the Dead	€40	Christmas Station	€370
Mass Cards	€597		

**Rugby Club Lotto Results:** There was no winner of the Lotto Jackpot on Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> November. The numbers drawn were 17, 18, 20 and 28. There were no match three winners. Five names were drawn and each received €30. Next week's jackpot is €1,100.

**Kildare Carers, Carbury Branch:** Tickets are now on sale for their Christmas Raffle and are available from committee members. Raffle will take place on the 16<sup>th</sup> of December in the Turn Inn at the Carers Social Day. They would like to thank everybody for their continued support.

**Defibrillator Update:** In the case of an emergency of a cardiac arrest or pulmonary arrest, please ring for defibrillator access day and night. Sheila Quinn 087 1252270, Ciaran Quinn 086 7755196, Ken Guilfoyle 086 3819449, Edel Mahon 085 8215115 and Sharon Reilly 087 4682800. Ken is a qualified Emergency Medical Technician (EMT). Edel is a qualified Emergency First Responder (EFR) and can both respond to other emergencies until an ambulance arrives. We have decided to discontinue the old numbers as they are not being used and they cost money to keep them in use and the committee feel this money could be put to better use. Please spread the word that these numbers in this ad are the ones to use. Any of the above numbers will get you a defibrillator immediately.

**The 44<sup>th</sup> Annual Eucharistic all-night vigil** at knock will take place on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> December, beginning with confessions in the Chapel of Reconciliation from 10pm, followed by Vigil at midnight in the Basilica with Rosary, Candlelight Procession, Stations of the Cross and Holy Hour with Fr. Brendan Walsh, S.C.A. Concelebrated Mass will then take place at 4am with Fr. Freddy Warner, S.M.A. The Vigil will be available to watch live on the knock shrine website: [www.knockshrine.ie/watch](http://www.knockshrine.ie/watch). For further information, please contact Knock Shrine (094) 93 88100/info@knock-shrine.ie

**The Society of St. Vincent de Paul (SVP)** will have a Church Gate collection at both Derrinturn Church and Kilshanroe Church next weekend 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> of December. Your support is greatly appreciated.

**Youth 2000** invites all young adults between the ages of 16 to 35 to a catholic weekend retreat taking place from 16<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> of December 2016 at Newbridge College. This will be an exciting weekend attracting over 600 young people from all over the country. What to expect? Good fun, excellent speakers, inspiring talks and workshops, prayer, fantastic live music, group activities, Youth Masses, Adoration, a Healing Service, games, lots of time to chill out and meet new people. The weekend is being organised by young people for young people. Parental consent is essential for all those under 18. All meals are provided for and accommodation is on site! Newcomers very welcome! There will be free buses picking up from various areas throughout the country. Booking is essential. For more information on the event or to book your place, see [www.youth2000.ie](http://www.youth2000.ie), Youth 2000 Ireland Facebook page or Phone 01 6753690.

**MVW Talent Agency Ireland** presents 'Christmas Stars' in aid of the Miscarriage Association of Ireland. A lovely evening of Christmas entertainment featuring students from The Talented Kids Performing Arts School. Monday 19<sup>th</sup> December at 7.15pm. Mahony Hall, The Helix, DCU, Dublin 9. Tickets available from The Helix Box Office.

**The Society of Missionary Children** presents 'A Christmas Concert' with the Celtic Tenors which takes place on Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> December in Rathmines Parish Church. Tickets €25. Unreserved seating arrangement. Doors close 7.45pm sharp. Concert commences 8pm sharp. For more information contact 01 4972035 or [www.celtic-tenors.com](http://www.celtic-tenors.com).

**ICA Meeting:** Derrinturn Guild will meet next Tuesday, 6<sup>th</sup> December at 8pm in Derrinturn National School. New members always welcome.

**Carbury GAA Monster Draw** will take place on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> December 1<sup>st</sup> Prize €5,000, Total prizes on the night €10,000. Tickets available from clubhouse or any committee member. Music and refreshments on the night.

**The Council of Priests Election was held recently.** Fr Micheál Murphy is the new chairman and Fr Gerard Breen is the new secretary. The year of mercy is now closed. Bishop Denis asks that all parishes continue to be parishes of mercy. He sends a word of thanks to all who hosted holy doors and to the thousands who entered through them.

**For Sale:** Castle Garden Mower and Letter box. Call 046 9732992 for more information.

**Annual Christmas Carols;** will be held on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> December at 7pm in Kilshanroe Church. Please come along and join us for a few songs. Lyrics provided. Also we will sing each Saturday night of Advent and hope you can join us. We always welcome new members both singers and musicians. For more information contact Sharon on 086 3252291 or chat to any member of choir.



**Santa Claus is coming to Carbury GAA** on Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> December at 1.30pm. There will be a disco for the children, fun and games. Admission including a gift will be €5.

