

Carbury Parish Newsletter

Sunday 15th January 2017

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>	No Mass this morning.	<i>Wednesday</i>	9.00am
<i>Thursday</i> <i>Adoration for Priestly</i> <i>Vocations</i>	9.30am 8.45pm	<i>Thursday</i>	
<i>Friday</i>	9.30am	<i>Friday</i>	
<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 4:12-23

Church Gate Collection: This weekend Saturday the 14th and Sunday the 15th of January a church gate collection will take place for Epilepsy Ireland. The annual church gate collection for Spina Bifida Hydrocephalus Ireland, Kildare Branch, is scheduled to take place on the weekend of 21st and 22nd of January Your support is greatly appreciated.

Clubs and organisations are invited to send in short notices for our Parish Newsletter, by email: carburyparish@gmail.com, by phone or in person to the Parish Office. All notices must be received by 12 noon on a Thursday. Notices received after this time will be included in the following weeks' newsletter. Articles may be edited.

Donation Envelopes will be available for collection by distributors from the Parish Office Monday to Friday 9.30 to 2pm. Almost all of the envelopes have been distributed and we thank all those volunteers who have given of their time. The remaining envelopes will be distributed to households shortly. If you would like to volunteer to deliver envelopes in your area please call the Parish Office on 9553355.

Kildare & Leighlin Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage will have its first pilgrimage to Lourdes for five nights from July 16th to 21st and will be led by Bishop Denis Nulty. Very Important: Pilgrims who are sick and who would like to travel with the special Sick/Assisted section – should apply for an application form to: Fr Tom Little, Browneshill Avenue, Carlow. Email: tomlittle@eircom.net. Tel 087 2481731. This special Sick/Assisted Section is accommodated at the Accueil Notre Dame. Acceptance for travel with the special section for the sick is subject to approval of the Pilgrimage Medical Board. Booking forms are available in the Parish Office and more information is available on www.kandle.ie

Carbury Parish Calendars are available in both our Churches; please feel free to take one.

Anniversary Mass List

2017	Derrinturn	Kilshanroe
Sat 14th Jan <i>St Felix of Nola</i>	10.00am Mary Jessop also Pat & Tommy Jessop. 7.00pm Confessions. 7.30pm Michael Haslam, John, Ellen & Elizabeth Kenny Ticknevin. Tom Roache , Ticknevin. Andy Gill, Maynooth. Ruane O'Mahony, Ashgrove.	7.00pm Confessions. 7.30pm Bridie Ryan, Months Mind. Paddy & Marie Broe, Bal, Kilshanroe. Sheamus Mooney, Kilshanroe.
Sun 15th Jan Second Sunday in Ordinary Time	8.00am Special Intention. Thomas & Edward Stapleton, Anniversary. 11.00am Patrick Kelly Carbury, 1 st Anniversary. Brendan Tobin, also remembering his mother Joan.	11.00am
Mon 16th Jan <i>St Fursa</i>	9.30am Remembering the departed on our Mass Card list.	
Tues 17th Jan <i>St Anthony</i>	9.30am Remembering the living on our Mass Card list.	
Weds 18th Jan <i>St Prisca</i>	9.30am <i>No Mass this morning.</i>	9.00am
Thurs 19th Jan <i>St Wulfstan</i>	9.30am Kathleen Broderick.	
Fri 20th Jan <i>St Fabian, St Sebastian</i>	9.30am	
Sat 21st Jan <i>St Agnes</i>	10.00am 7.00pm Confessions. 7.30pm John Connolly, Ticknevin House. Thomas, Elizabeth & Paul Kelly, Carbury. P.J. O'Reilly Ballinakill, First Anniversary. James Melia, also Michael & Elizabeth Melia, Ticknevin. Tracey Mooney, Trinity Crescent, Anniversary Mass.	7.00pm Confessions. 7.30pm Thomas, Elizabeth & Paul Kelly, Carbury. John & Michael Masterson. Ted Duffy Cadamstown
Sun 22nd Jan Third Sunday in Ordinary Time	8.00am John, Jane & Catherine Fox. 11.00am Agnes Cummins, Ticknevin & Patrick Murphy. TT Duffy, Anniversary Mass. Sadie Holt, Derrinturn.	11.00am

Please remember in your prayers: Brigid Rance, (neé O'Neill, Ballybrack) Hertfordshire, England. Also, please remember Tom Gallagher, Letterkenny Co Donegal. May they Rest in Peace.

Scallywags Montessori pre-school are now taking enrolments for January and September 2017. Please contact Rachel on 046 9552972 or 0851673705.

Rugby Club Lotto Results: There was no winner of the Lotto Jackpot on Tuesday 10th January. The numbers drawn were 11, 18, 22 and 28. There was one match three winner who won €150. The winner was Frank Connolly. Next week's Jackpot is €1,500.

Johnstown Bridge Gaelic Football Club will hold their Annual General Meeting in the Club House Sunday 22nd January at 6pm sharp. New and old members very welcome

Carbury GAA Lotto: The Lotto draw took place on Monday the 9th of January. The following numbers were drawn, 07, 11, 18, 22 and the bonus number was 01. There were no winner of the Jackpot of €14,400 and there were three match three winners.

Family Carers Ireland are proving the QQI Level 5 Healthcare Support Award based on demand, in February 2017. One Day workshops on Stress Management, Emergency First Aid & others workshops are also available. For more information phone 057 9322920.

<i>Derrinturn Eucharistic Ministers & Readers for weekend of 21st & 22nd of January 2017</i>		
Mass Time	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
Saturday 7.30pm	Phil Connolly	Teresa Corrigan & Patsy Daly
Sunday 8am	Mary Malone	Liz Lavery
Sunday 11am	Monica Flynn	Sharon O'Brien & Phyllis McDermott

Eucharistic Minister and Readers Lists for both Kilshanroe and Derrinturn church are currently being completed and will be available shortly.

<i>Kilshanroe Eucharistic Ministers & Readers for weekend of 21st & 22nd of January 2017</i>		
Mass Time	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
Saturday 7.30pm	Deirdre Carley	Mary Duffy Regan
Sunday 11am	Irene Hurley	Andy Gannon

<i>Collections for Saturday the 7th January 2017 & Sunday 8th of January 2017</i>			
Collections	Amount	Collections	Amount
Derrinturn Basket	€930	Development	€890
Kilshanroe Basket	€605	Mass Cards	€76
Christmas Day	€85	Christmas Station	€70
Donation	€50		

Pontifical Missions Societies Internet App: Pope Francis asks all people of good will to engage with a new, cutting-edge technology powered by the Pontifical Missions Societies called MISSIO. First launched by the Holy Father in 2013 as a mobile application offering news about the hope-filled work being done around the world by the Catholic Church, the platform – now available on desktops and mobile devices – offers a direct connection to change-makers who work on the “frontlines” making a difference for the poor and marginalized through direct, daily service. “The MISSIO platform connects change-makers around the world in a way that’s never been done before. Now you can explore projects, share them with friends and family through social media, make a donation or even ‘adopt’ a cause that is particularly appealing to you,” said Oblate Father Andrew Small, national director of the Pontifical Missions Societies in the United States. “More importantly, you can interact directly with missionaries and other members of the MISSIO community and get to know personally the people you are helping.” Pope Francis’ concern and love for the poor is no secret. With Missio, you can answer the Holy Father’s call and bring compassion and real change to those who need it most. Now when you join MISSIO, you will be entered for a chance to win a trip for two to Vatican City in May 2017. You can visit MISSIO.org or download the MISSIO app for Android or IOS devices and enter your name and email address. Winners will be announced on February 2, the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord. The Pontifical Mission Societies are the Catholic Church’s official support organization for overseas missions since 1822, providing for a global network of people who are making a difference for communities in need around the globe.

Great Work Carried out in Ticknevin: The residents of Ticknevin wish to acknowledge all the work that has been carried out in the area in 2016. Sincere thanks to the workers on a job well done!

Fr Pat Ramsbottom PE as written a book called ‘*Thought at Sundown*’ which costs €10 and all proceeds will go to Cancer Research. It is available from the Parish Office in Cooleragh Call the office on 045-860281 Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday 9.30am to 12pm or from Fr Jimmy Doyle on 087-9358279.

Part 2 of the Message Of His Holiness Pope Francis For The Celebration Of The Fiftieth World Day Of Peace 1st of January 2017



Nonviolence: a Style of Politics for Peace

The Good News

3. Jesus himself lived in violent times. Yet he taught that the true battlefield, where violence and peace meet, is the human heart: for “it is from within, from the human heart, that evil intentions come” (Mk 7:21). But Christ’s message in this regard offers a radically positive approach. He unfailingly preached God’s unconditional love, which welcomes and forgives. He taught his disciples to love their enemies (cf. Mt 5:44) and to turn the other cheek (cf. Mt 5:39). When he stopped her accusers from stoning the woman caught in adultery (cf. Jn 8:1-11), and when, on the night before he died, he told Peter to put away his sword (cf. Mt 26:52), Jesus marked out the path of nonviolence. He walked that path to the very end, to the cross, whereby he became our peace and put an end to hostility (cf. Eph 2:14-16). Whoever accepts the Good News of Jesus is able to acknowledge the violence within and be healed by God’s mercy, becoming in turn an instrument of reconciliation. In the words of Saint Francis of Assisi: “As you announce peace with your mouth, make sure that you have greater peace in your hearts”.

To be true followers of Jesus today also includes embracing his teaching about nonviolence. As my predecessor Benedict XVI observed, that teaching “is realistic because it takes into account that in the world there is too much violence, too much injustice, and therefore that this situation cannot be overcome except by countering it with more love, with more goodness. This ‘more’ comes from God”. He went on to stress that: “For Christians, nonviolence is not merely tactical behaviour but a person’s way of being, the attitude of one who is so convinced of God’s love and power that he or she is not afraid to tackle evil with the weapons of love and truth alone. Love of one’s enemy constitutes the nucleus of the ‘Christian revolution’”. The Gospel command to love your enemies (cf. Lk 6:27) “is rightly considered the magna carta of Christian nonviolence. It does not consist in succumbing to evil..., but in responding to evil with good (cf. Rom 12:17-21), and thereby breaking the chain of injustice”.

More powerful than violence

4. Nonviolence is sometimes taken to mean surrender, lack of involvement and passivity, but this is not the case. When Mother Teresa received the Nobel Peace Prize in 1979, she clearly stated her own message of active nonviolence: “We in our family don’t need bombs and guns, to destroy to bring peace – just get together, love one another... And we will be able to overcome all the evil that is in the world”. For the force of arms is deceptive. “While weapons traffickers do their work, there are poor peacemakers who give their lives to help one person, then another and another and another”; for such peacemakers, Mother Teresa is “a symbol, an icon of our times”.

Last September, I had the great joy of proclaiming her a Saint. I praised her readiness to make herself available for everyone “through her welcome and defence of human life, those unborn and those abandoned and discarded... She bowed down before those who were spent, left to die on the side of the road, seeing in them their God-given dignity; she made her voice heard before the powers of this world, so that they might recognize their guilt for the crimes – the crimes! – of poverty they created”. In response, her mission – and she stands for thousands, even millions of persons – was to reach out to the suffering, with generous dedication, touching and binding up every wounded body, healing every broken life. (*Part 3 next week*)