

Carbury Parish Newsletter

Sunday 31st December 2017

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<i>Derrinturn Church Mass Times</i>		<i>Kilshanroe Church Mass Times</i>	
Monday	9.30am	Monday	
Monday – Adoration	10am – 12 midnight		
Tuesday	9.30am	Tuesday	
Wednesday	9.30am	Wednesday	9.00am
Thursday	9.30am	Thursday	
Adoration for Priestly Vocations	8.45pm		
Friday	9.30am	Friday	7.30pm
Saturday	10.00am 7.30pm	Saturday	7.30pm
Sunday	8am & 11am	Sunday	11am

Next Week's Gospel Mk 1:7-11.

Happy New Year: Will it be a Happy New year? Every year we say Happy New Year as if it were a wish. It really depends on us. For those who are pro life it would mean retaining the 8th Amendment. For the homeless, a place to stay. The Holy Family of Nazareth provide a model for Ireland - An unexpected pregnancy for Mary, a decision by Joseph to stand by Mary and her child and a stable for the birth of the saviour of the world. This child born in difficult circumstances proved to be the one for whom the world was waiting. He can be an inspiration to all who make resolutions. He made a place for everyone away from the rat race. He gives peace of Heart. It's the gift all of us need. If its okay he wants a place in our Heart. It's the one thing necessary and a good resolution. *Fr. Fitzpatrick P.P.*

Confirmation 2018: The meeting for Parents of the Confirmation children to explain the “*You shall be my witness programme*” will take place on Wednesday the 10th of January at 7.30pm in Derrinturn National School. ‘*You Shall Be My Witnesses*’ is a parish-based preparation programme for Confirmation developed in the diocese of Kildare & Leighlin by Maeve Mahon. Maeve will lead the Meeting on the night.

Communion Calls in the Parish are on Wednesday the 3rd of January 2018 Kilkeaskin, Killina, Ticknevin, Ballyhagen, Clonkeen, Haggard, Williamstown. Parsonstown, Kilshanroe and Derrinturn. Should anyone wish to have a Priest call to their home please contact the Parish Office on 046 9553355 or carburyparish@gmail.com



A Thought for New Year: May God be with you through New Year, And fill your life, with comfort and cheer. May this day and days ahead, hold many blessings for you and yours. Happy New Year.

<i>Anniversary Mass List</i>		
<i>2017/18</i>	<i>Derrinturn</i>	<i>Kilshanroe</i>
<i>Sat 30th Dec</i> <i>St Egwin of Evesham</i>	10am Ned & Vera Fanning, Clonkeen. 7.00pm Confessions. 7.30pm Andy Flood, Coonough. Seán Daniels, Birthday Remembrance. Thomas Kenny, Birthday Remembrance. Paddy & Mary Hannify & deceased members of the Hannify family. Liam & Claire Mallen, Anniversary Mass & deceased members of the Mallen Family. Michael Holden. Danny Phelan.	7.00pm Confessions 7.30pm
<i>Sun 31th Dec</i> <i>Feast of the Holy Family</i>	8.00am 11.00am Vicky O'Reilly, Birthday Remembrance. Seán Fox, 1 st Anniversary Mass. Richard Morris, Anniversary Mass. Dennis Gorman, Anniversary Mass.	11.00am
Monday 1st Jan <i>Mary the Holy Mother of God.</i>	9.30am Charles & Bridget Reilly Ticknevin 28 th Anniversary, also Noel Reilly 4 th Anniversary.	
Tues 2nd Jan <i>St Basil</i>	9.30am Mass for William, Mary, Tony & Liam Balfe & deceased members of the Balfe & Murphy Families.	
Weds 3rd Jan <i>The Most Holy Name of Jesus.</i>	9.30am Patrick Kelly Ticknevin, Anniversary.	9.00am
Thur 4th Jan <i>St Elizabeth Ann Seton</i>	9.30am Mass for the Sick and their carers.	
Fri 5th Jan <i>St Charles</i>	9.30am Kit McKeon, Anniversary Mass. Judy Kerrigan, Mary Thompson & the Herbert family.	7.30pm <i>First Friday</i>
Sat 6th Jan <i>The Epiphany of the Lord</i>	10am Michael Clifford, Coolavacoose. 7.00pm Confessions. 7.30pm Dessie Dempsey, Months Mind. Michael Haslam, Ticknevin. Ellen, John & Elizabeth Kenny, Ticknevin. Tom Roache, Killina. Richard Pravluckis Lithuania, 10 th Anniversary. Michael 'Squire' Connolly, Ticknevin. Sarah Kelly, Carbury.	7.00pm Confessions 7.30pm Mass for the deceased on our Mass Card list.
Sun 7th Jan <i>The Baptism of the Lord.</i>	8.00am Mass for the living on our Mass card List. 11.00am Jim Carey, Ballyhagen.	11.00am

Parish Office Christmas Hours 2017: The Parish Office will reopen Monday the 8th of January 2018 at 9.30am. The Parish Office team would like to wish everyone a Happy New Year. Fr. Fitzpatrick P.P. can be contacted at 046 9553355.

Greetings from South Africa: Dear Fr Fitzpatrick, Fr Murphy and Parishoners. Greetings and best wishes for Christmas from South Africa. May Christ find a welcome home in your hearts and families this Christmas and may we all experience his loving presence bringing us love, joy and peace this Christmas time and throughout the New Year. I look forward to reading the Parish Newsletter each week and keeping in touch with Parish news and events. God Bless, Sr Brenda Teresa Keenan . MSA.

Carbury Parish Calendars are now available for collection in both our churches, feel free to take one. The Reach Out gift from the Diocese, is also available in both our Churches.

<i>Collections for Saturday the 23rd & Sunday the 24th Monday 25th of December 2017</i>					
Collections		Amount	Collections		Amount
Derrinturn Basket		€1,145	Development		€ 6,239.89
Kilshanroe Basket		€380	Mass Cards		€ 2,158.75
Christmas Station		€470	November Deceased		€45
Christmas Offering		€3,415	Donation(s)		€610
Clergy		€200	Christmas Baskets		€3,410
Peters Pence		€25			



World Meeting of Families: Thousands of people will be travelling from very distant places to participate in World Meeting of Families 2018 (Dublin, 21-26 August 2018). Help welcome visiting families to Ireland and have a home-from-home experience. **Accommodation for Pilgrims:** Over the

years, a tradition of hosting pilgrims has grown around the World Meeting of Families. The organisers of the World Meeting of Families 2018 are now actively seeking offers of accommodation for overseas pilgrims in family homes in the Dublin area, and particularly in areas which have a good bus or rail links to the City Centre. The requests that we receive are from places like Peru, Ecuador, the Philippines and Bangladesh, for example. For pilgrims travelling from these distant places, travel costs are already quite significant. Many of them would be unable to come if they also had to cover the cost of their accommodation. Yet their presence here is an important expression of solidarity with us, coming as they do from countries which have a strong missionary connection with Ireland. **What would you be asked to do?** Broadly speaking, we hope that you might receive a pilgrim family, perhaps a couple and some children, or an individual pilgrim, into your home between Saturday 18th of August 2018 and Monday 27th August 2018, provide them with a simple clean bedroom and breakfast each day. All pilgrims staying in hosted accommodation will have been referred to us by the national delegate of their home country. If you are interested in learning more, please call 01 567 6800 or email hostingteam@worldmeeting2018.ie

<i>Derrinturn Eucharistic Ministers & Readers for Saturday 6th, Sunday 7th January .</i>		
Mass Time	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
Sat 7.30pm	Donal Hanley	Teresa Corrigan & Kate Crowe
Sunday 8am	Mary Malone	Liz Lavery
Sunday 11am	Tina Lee	Marian Dolan & Phyllis McDermott

Donation Envelopes have arrived in the Parish office. We will be looking for volunteers to help distribute the envelopes over the next few weeks. If you would like to volunteer please call the Parish Office on 046 9553355 or email carburyparish@gmail.com

<i>Kilshanroe Eucharistic Ministers & Readers for Saturday 30th & Sunday 31st December</i>		
Mass Time	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
Saturday 7.30pm	Francis Cline	Kathleen Dempsey
Sunday 11am	Gabrielle Walsh	Tommy Holton



Baptisms in Carbury Parish 2017

*Lord, surround these children with goodness,
lead them in Your light each day.
Help them walk the path You've chosen,
Guide their steps along the way.
Teach them, Lord to trust Your wisdom,
With a faith from up above. Keep them from all harm,
And bless them always with Your grace and love.
Amen.*



To have your child Baptised in Carbury Parish please call the Parish office on 046 9553355. All Baptism bookings must be made through the Parish office.

List of Baptisms in the Parish 2017

Zacheriah Brien
Zara Brien
Emma Christine Glennon
Hamish Brian Dunne
Harley Scott McCabe
Caylin Eva Duffy
Alan Joseph Gill
Finn Kenneth Carberry
Kate Christina Soraghan
Hannah Kathryn Briega Merrigan
Seán James Gavin
Killian Michael Callan
Veronica Amanda Craven
Chloe Helena Gill
Sophie Rose Murray
Gavin McCloskey
Adam James Taylor
Millie Catherine Kavanagh Tyrell
Teighan Michael Donnellan McGrath
Hannah O'Loughlin
Tommy Seán Daniels
Charlotte Kate Crowe
Oliver Peter Quinn
Amber Victoria O'Brien
Caoilainn Susan Khanh Mulligan
Marguerite Jacqueline Connors
Aubrey Anna Lally
Cami Lee Pearl Maria O'Donoghue
Sophia Fitzpatrick
Aidan Seán Cawley
Aria Mary Fox Simpson
Heidi Daisy Montgomery
Saoirse Nicola O'Brien

Michael Robert Patrick Martin
Sebastian O'Reilly
Ava Grace Annie McNally
Aoibheann Tara Scully
Alex Patrick Kenny
Bella May Byrne
Matthew Thomas Michael Long
Harleigh Rose Mooney Corish
Eoghan Thomas Moore
Ryan Martin Hughie Foran
Nathan Charlie Owen
Ashton Daniel Etchells
Holly Ellie Mills
Frankie Bo O'Reilly
Margaret Mandy Connors
Ollie Raymond Tyrrell
Lawrence Michael Connors
Liam Christopher Langan
Mya Gill
Darragh Kenny
Elayna Louise O'Rourke
Jake Brian Duffy
Lexi Moore
Tom Patrick McDermott
Jessica Maura Cronly Collins
Ciara Mary Conway
Charlie O'Hagan
Cody Galvin
Aoife Marie Boylan
Callie Angela Harrison
Aubree Bernadette Casey Martin
Charlie James Montgomery
Cooper Jack Breton