

# Carbury Parish Newsletter

## Sunday 23rd February 2020



**Our Churches: Derrinturn & Kilshanroe**

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**Parish Office Opening Hours:**

Monday to Thursday 9.30am to 5pm, Friday 9.30am to 2pm.

For all bookings, newsletter items, and general queries please call 046 9553355.

Kilshanroe Church- Masses and other liturgical ceremonies will be streamed live on the Parish website via webcam on [www.carburyparish.ie](http://www.carburyparish.ie).

<i>Derrinturn Church Mass Times</i>		<i>Kilshanroe Church Mass Times</i>	
<i>Monday</i>	9.30am Mass <i>Followed by Adoration until 12 midnight</i>	<i>Monday</i>	
<i>Tuesday</i>	9.30am	<i>Tuesday</i>	
<i>Wednesday Ash Wednesday</i>	9.30am	<i>Wednesday</i>	9.00am Mass Followed by Adoration
<i>Thursday Adoration for Priestly Vocations</i>	9.30am	<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 4:1-11*

### **Coming soon from Fr Liam Lawton ~ "High is the Heaven"**

This is a new collection of Liturgical/Choral pieces especially for Parish Choirs

It contains Music for the Eucharist, Psalms, (including the Psalm which Fr Liam composed for the Papal Mass with Pope Francis) Music for Christmas, and also a special Psalm composed for Weddings and a piece composed for the centenary of my home Church of St.Mary's Edenderry. It will be available from Veritas.

**31st Colmcille Winter School:** Taking place on the 28th and 29th February in Gartan, Co Donegal. 2021 is the anniversary of St Colmcille's birth in Gartan in 521 AD. The theme of the winter school is "The contribution of Irish Christianity on Irish, European and World Civilisation". More information on [www.colmcilleheritagecentre.ie](http://www.colmcilleheritagecentre.ie)

**All Schoolchildren** in the Parish are invited to say a Prayer for Fr. Paul Dempsey, who is to be the new Bishop of Achonry. Fr. Paul said Mass in both Kilshanroe and Derrinturn Churches.

<b>2019</b>	<b><i>Derrinturn</i></b>	<b><i>Kilshanroe</i></b>
<b>Sat 22<sup>nd</sup> February</b> <i>The Chair of St Peter</i>	<b>10am</b> Marian Dolan, 1 <sup>st</sup> Anniversary Mass. <b>7.30pm Anniversary Masses:</b> Thomas Quinn, Trinity Crescent. Ann Morris, Killina, 3 <sup>rd</sup> . Patrick Murphy, 4 <sup>th</sup> . Edward & Margaret Dowdall, Ticknevin. Patrick Brennan, Ticknevin. Jim & Kate Connolly, and their Daughter Kathleen, Ticknevin.	<b>7.30pm</b>
<b>Sun 23<sup>rd</sup> February</b> <i>Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	<b>8am</b> <b>11am Anniversary Masses:</b> Michael McDonnell, Longridge, Carbury, 2 <sup>nd</sup> . Peadar O'Neill. <b>Birthday Remembrance:</b> Peter Ennis.	<b>11am Anniversary Mass:</b> Anne Hurley. Patrick Duffy, Cloona.
<b>Mon 24<sup>th</sup> February</b> <i>St Walburga</i>	<b>9.30am</b> Margaret & Patrick Maher and Deceased Members of the Maher & Comerford Families. Followed by Adoration until 12 Midnight.	
<b>Tues 25<sup>th</sup> February</b> <i>St Ethelbert</i>	<b>9.30am</b>	
<b>Wed 26<sup>th</sup> February</b> <i>Ash Wednesday</i>	<b>9.30am Anniversary Mass:</b> Mary E Mullally.	<b>9am Mass</b> <i>Followed by Adoration</i>
<b>Thurs 27<sup>th</sup> February</b> <i>St Gabriel of Our Lady of Sorrows</i>	<b>9.30am Anniversary Mass:</b> Mary Brigit & Stephen O'Toole, Kishavanna, also Patsy Kenaney.	
<b>Fri 28<sup>th</sup> February</b> <i>St Oswald</i>	<b>9.30am</b> Luke & Mary McGuinness, also Mary Griffith.	
<b>Sat 29<sup>th</sup> February</b> <i>After Ash Wednesday</i>	<b>10am</b> Mass for Special Intentions. <b>7.30pm Anniversary Masses:</b> Mary O'Connor, Coonough. Geene Kerrshaawe. William Hogan, Coonough. Patrick & Mary Nally, also Ann Walsh. Ellen Nolan, Dreenane, Ciss O'Driscoll nee Heavey, Birmingham, also Robert (Bob) Heavey, Drehid. Moyra, Larry & Matthew Mangan, Haggard.	<b>7.30pm</b>
<b>Sun 1<sup>st</sup> March</b> <i>First Sunday of Lent</i>	<b>8am</b> <b>11am</b>	<b>11am</b>

**Oberammergau 2020:** Fr Liam Morgan of Naas parish is leading a group to attend the Passion Play in Oberammergau from Aug 7th to 14th, 2020. The total cost is €1750 per person sharing a twin room which includes return flights from Dublin to Munich, private transfers, walking tour of Salzburg, five night stay in Kitzbuhel – half board, two night stay in Oberammergau – half board and Category 1 tickets for the Passion Play on Aug 13th. There are a few places available, if interested please contact Tullys Travel, Carlow 059 9136100

**Carbury Parish:** We now have a Parish Pastoral Council in Carbury Parish, this is our mission statement. The aim of our Pastoral Council is to reach out to all Parishioners, of all ages, backgrounds, levels of faith and those who are marginalised, by creating an all inclusive, vibrant, faith-based community. We can be contacted through the Parish Office, Tel: 046-9553355

***Kilshanroe Eucharistic Ministers & Readers for Saturday 29th of February & Sunday the 1st of March***

<b><i>Mass Time</i></b>	<b><i>Readers</i></b>	<b><i>Eucharistic Ministers</i></b>
<i>Saturday 7.30pm</i>	Kathleen Dempsey	Owen Smith
<i>Sunday 11am</i>	Alan Ryan	Kathleen Dempsey

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<i>Saturday 7.30pm</i>	Phil Connolly	Peg Hughes & Pat Kiely
<i>Sunday 8am</i>	Leanne Mallon	Mary Carey
<i>Sunday 11am</i>	Stephen Lott	Rose Marie Carey & Rose Connolly

**Mass Bouquets:** are available in usual outlets and from the Parish Office. The Parish opening hours are 9.30am to 5pm Monday to Thursday and 9.30am to 2.00pm Friday.

***Collections for Saturday 15th and Sunday the 16th of February***

<b><i>Collections</i></b>	<b><i>Amount</i></b>	<b><i>Collections</i></b>	<b><i>Amount</i></b>
<i>Derrinturn Basket</i>	€955.00	<i>Development</i>	€1,045.00
<i>Kilshanroe Basket</i>	€415.00	<i>Mass Cards</i>	€50.00
<i>Clergy</i>	€100.00	<i>Lenten Station</i>	€20.00

**Carbury & Edenderry Pilgrimage to Medjugorje:** takes place on the 10<sup>th</sup> May 2020 for 7 nights. Its €599 if paid before the 8<sup>th</sup> December and €699 if paid after that date. A deposit of €200 is needed to reserve your seat. Tel: 087 – 7986957

**Carbury GAA Lotto** took place on Monday the 17th of February. The Lotto numbers drawn were 01, 19, 23, 25, and the bonus ball was 11. There were 4 winners of the match 3 who won €50 each. Next week's draw takes place Monday the 24th of February. Next week's Jackpot is €6,900.

**MEDJUGORJE IRISH CENTRE PILGRIMAGES:** APRIL - OCT 2020: 7 Night Stay and Airport Shuttle service from Dubrovnik or Split for €266 per person sharing. Book any flight - any time and we provide guaranteed airport shuttle service. Call us for further info and book the dates that suit you. Tel. 01 4434510 or email [reservations@med-irishcentre.com](mailto:reservations@med-irishcentre.com).

**Local Pilgrimage to Fatima for Easter 2020.** 8th – 13th April

5 nights Full Board ex Dublin, taking in all the major sites also including day trips to Santeram, where Bleeding Host took place and trip to Lisbon to see Saint Anthony's Church and Baptismal Font. Contact James Treacy 086 -0572216

**ARISE – Young Adult 18+ National Event:** Takes place in Knock Shrine on March 7th 2020. There will be inspirational speakers, music, celebration, fun, a chance to meet with other young adults and much more. For more information, booking, etc. please contact Robert Norton, Youth Co-Ordinator on 059-9164084

**Carlow Family Support Group - You Are Not Alone:**

Drugs and Alcohol abuse affects families regardless of status in life. You did not cause it, you can't control it and you can't cure it. Help is available for those who live with this dreadful disease call 085 7872730.

**Lent Online Retreat:** Do a free three-day online retreat focusing on Prayer, Fasting and Almsgiving. Available throughout Lent. Register now: [prioryinstitute.com](http://prioryinstitute.com) Tel: 01- 4048124

**From Grief to Grace:** A holy hour of prayer for those affected by sexual abuse will take place in the Cathedral of the Assumption, Carlow on Friday 28th February beginning at 7.30pm. All are welcome.

## **SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 2020 DIGGING DEEPER – LIVING LENT AN INVITATION**

Dear friends, as we approach the season of Lent, together with Christians across the world, next Wednesday we will allow ourselves to be marked with ashes. This smudged sign of the cross on our foreheads announces a stepping out from our usual routine and a stepping into a special and sacred time for us, a Lenten time of renewal and of recovery of our identity as baptised Christians. In the rush of daily life, we can lose sight of what is really important. We can forget who we are, and we can forget what it means to bear the name Christian as we go about our lives with family, children, neighbours and strangers. Every year Lent gives us the opportunity to remember who we are. The dust of ashes speaks of the fragility of life but also of repentance and of the need to continually turn our lives back to God, the source of our life. The words that accompany the signing with ashes call us to change and to believe in the Good News. The sign of the cross itself speaks of the good news and the divine, eternal love at the centre of our faith. Because Christ died and rose to new life for each and every one of us, sin has been conquered, death is not the final word, we have been saved. In addition, this changes who we are called to be in the world and how we are called to live. Lent calls us to an honesty about ourselves that can only be good for us, an honesty about our values, our motives, our actions, our lives as individuals and as a faith community. By fully entering into and by digging deeper into this season we can come to see the changes we need to make so that the very bits and pieces of our lives will reflect the Christian faith that is at the centre of who we are. By living Lent, with its disciplines of fasting, charity and prayer and all the many opportunities it gives us for renewal, we can arrive at Easter ready to truly recommit to our baptism and ready to celebrate the joy of our faith, the passion, death and resurrection of Jesus. As your bishop, but also as a fellow Christian through baptism, I am committing to living Lent this year and earnestly seeking to make the changes it may call me to, in order to live my baptism more fully. I am asking each of you personally, beginning this coming Ash Wednesday, will you make this commitment to living Lent with me. To support our journey through Lent, I have asked the Diocesan Commission for Liturgical Formation to provide, like last year, weekly bulletins for parishioners, under the heading 'Digging Deeper – Living Lent'. These will be made available through parishes and on the diocesan website, kandle.ie. Together with other parish opportunities, my hope is that they will offer people across our diocese some food for the journey as we make our way across the desert of Lent to the living waters of Easter. I pray God's abundant blessing on each of you in this coming season of renewal and ask you to pray for me. ☩ Bishop Denis

**Rise – Take Your Mat and Walk:** Women's World Day of Prayer, prepared by the women of Zimbabwe, takes place on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> March 2020 at 8pm in the Parish Office, Edenderry. The Service is for all to attend.

**Thank You:** Carbury GAA Underage would like to thank everyone for their kind donations at their recent Church Gate Collection; your support is greatly appreciated.

### **Job Vacancies:**

**Grounds Person for Carbury Village, Job Ref: 2138513**

**Cleaner required for Carbury GAA, Job Ref: 2138499**

**Grounds person for Trinity Crescent, Job Ref: 2135905**

These are Community Employment positions. To be eligible for these positions you must be in receipt of a Social Welfare payment for a minimum of 12 months. Please contact your local DEASP Employment Services/Intreo Office to check your eligibility and to apply for this vacancy. Vacancy Reference Number will be required, you must also be available to work 19.5 hours per week. Please send C.V to carburyce@gmail.com.