

Carbury Parish Newsletter

Sunday 17th January 2021

Our Churches: Derrinturn & Kilshanroe

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Eircode: Holy Trinity Church Derrinturn W91XN35

Eircode: Church of the Holy Family Kilshanroe A83XW11

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.

Local Safeguarding Representatives: Fr. John Fitzpatrick P.P. Louise Reilly, Fiona Ellis, Patricia Brady. DLP for Kildare: Mick Daly

<i>Derrinturn Church Mass Times</i>		<i>Kilshanroe Church Mass Times</i>	
<i>Monday</i> <i>Adoration until 12 Midnight</i>	9.30am <i>Via Webcam</i>	<i>Monday</i>	
<i>Tuesday</i>	9.30am <i>Via Webcam</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	
<i>Wednesday</i>	9.30am <i>Via Webcam</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	No Mass
<i>Thursday</i> <i>Adoration for Priestly Vocations</i>	9.30am <i>Via Webcam</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	
<i>Friday</i>	9.30am <i>Via Webcam</i>	<i>Friday</i>	
<i>Saturday</i>	10am 7.30pm <i>Via Webcam</i>	<i>Saturday</i>	No Mass
<i>Sunday</i>	11am <i>Via Webcam</i>	<i>Sunday</i>	No Mass

Next Week's Gospel: Mk 1:14-20

Carbury Parish Masses Cancelled

We wish to advise that the Government has suspended all public weekday and weekend Masses in the Diocese for the time being following health authority guidelines.

Fr Fitzpatrick or Fr Murphy will say Mass, which will be streamed live from Derrinturn Church, we would encourage all our parishioners to visit www.carburyparish.ie to access this service.

All Masses booked during this time, will be included in the above Masses in Derrinturn Church.

2021 Eucharistic Ministers and Readers Lists: are available to pick up from Eileen in Kilshanroe Church and Bidy in Derrinturn Church, thank you.

Childminder Required: Experienced Childminder required for 3 children in Kilshanroe, suitable car essential as eldest needs to be dropped and collected to preschool. Contact Siobhan 087-6733652

2021	Derrinturn	Kilshanroe
Sat 16th January <i>St Fursa</i>	10am Kathleen O'Neill, 2 nd Anniversary. 7.30pm Patrick Kelly, Carbury Village, also His Parents Elizabeth & Thomas, His Brother, Paul and Sister, Frances. Thomas & Edward Stapleton, Anniversary.	7.30pm No Mass.
Sun 17th January <i>Second Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	11am Agnes Cummins, Ticknevin. Andy Gill, Maynooth. Brian Kenna, Ballyhegan, also Paddy Kenna, Edenderry. T.T. Duffy, Clonkeen, Anniversary. Jim Carey, Ballyhegan, Anniversary.	11am No Mass.
Mon 18th January <i>St Prisca</i>	<i>Adoration until 12 Midnight</i> 9.30am Bridget Baldwin, Anniversary.	
Tues 19th January <i>St Wulfstan</i>	9.30am Tommy Holt, Derrinturn, Months Mind, also Sadie Holt, Anniversary.	
Wed 20th January <i>St Fabian</i> <i>St Sebastian</i>	9.30am Tommie Kearney, Anniversary.	9am No Mass.
Thurs 21st January <i>St Agnes</i>	9.30am	
Fri 22nd January <i>St Vincent</i>	9.30am	
Sat 23rd January <i>St John the Almsgiver</i>	10am 7.30pm Michael Dowling, 2 nd Anniversary. John Connolly, Ticknevin House, Anniversary. James Melia, Ticknevin, Anniversary, also Michael & Elizabeth Melia.	7.30pm No Mass.
Sun 24th January <i>Third Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	11am Deceased Members of the Lenehan Family, Drehid, also Remembering Frances Lenehan, Drehid. Ronnie Morris, 4 th Anniversary, also Birthday Remembrance.	11am No Mass.

Please remember in your prayers, Ann Dempsey (née Maher) Ballyhagen, Carbury, Co. Kildare / Durrrow, Laois, May She Rest in Peace.

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity: The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity takes place from 18th-25 January. For 2021, it has been prepared by the Monastic Community of Grandchamp in Switzerland. The theme that was chosen, "Abide in my love and you shall bear much fruit", is based on John 15:1-17 and expresses Grandchamp Community's vocation to prayer, reconciliation and unity in the Church and the human family. Parish and home resources for this week can be accessed on the following link: <https://ctbi.org.uk/week-of-prayer-for-christian-unity-2021/> The resources include a prayer service and daily prayer for the home that includes Scripture, a meditation, Prayer, Questions and a 'Go & Do' section. Look out for the daily prayer on the Kandle Facebook page and Twitter account on each of the days and feel free to share.

Baptisms: Bookings for baptisms can be arranged through the Parish Office @ 046 9553355. Only immediate family members who need to be present at the ceremonies (to an absolute maximum of six). Please note: Face masks must be worn at all times when entering the Church.

Online Catechism Studies: Catechism Studies are held online on Zoom each Monday from 8:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. It's a very enjoyable and relaxed study of the Catholic faith. If you would like to join, please contact Alice on 087 6505 803, and she will send you a link on the evening.

Derrinturn Eucharistic Ministers & Readers for Saturday 23rd & Sunday the 24th of January

<i>Mass Time</i>	<i>Readers</i>	<i>Eucharistic Ministers</i>
<i>Saturday 7.30pm</i>	Teresa Corrigan	
<i>Sunday 11am</i>	Stephen Lott	

Mass Bouquets: are now 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 2nd and Sunday the 3rd of January

<i>Collections</i>	<i>Amount</i>	<i>Collections</i>	<i>Amount</i>
<i>Derrinturn Basket</i>	€260.00	<i>Development</i>	€3,415.00
<i>Clergy</i>	€50.00	<i>Christmas Stations</i>	€30.00
<i>Donations</i>	€20.00	<i>Mass Cards</i>	€1,134.50
<i>Christmas Day</i>	€80.00		

Collections for Saturday 9th and Sunday the 10th of January

<i>Collections</i>	<i>Amount</i>	<i>Collections</i>	<i>Amount</i>
<i>Derrinturn Basket</i>	€335.00	<i>Development</i>	€1,125.00
<i>Easter Collection</i>	€20.00	<i>Trinity Sunday</i>	€20.00
<i>Lenten Stations</i>	€20.00	<i>Mass Cards</i>	€210.00
<i>Christmas Day</i>	€60.00	<i>Christmas Stations</i>	€25.00
<i>Mission Sunday</i>	€20.00		

Sunday of the Word of God: Pope Francis has designated the Third Sunday of Ordinary Time (24 January this year) each year as a particular celebration of the Scriptures in the life of the Church. Each year, we are asked to focus on how God speaks to his people in the proclamation of the Scriptures.

In order to celebrate this, Fr Seán Maher will host a Q&A on YouTube, to be released on that Sunday. If you would like to include a question for consideration, please e-mail your question to ppbalyna@gmail.com Details of the recording will be included later. Questions should arrive before Thursday 21 January.

COVID-19 Support Line for Older People: ALONE manage a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to the outbreak of COVID-19 (Coronavirus). Professional staffs are available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary. The support line is open seven days a week, 8am - 8pm, by calling 0818 222 024.

Carbury GAA Lotto took place on Monday the 11th of January. The Lotto numbers drawn were 01, 09, 12, 28, and the bonus ball was 08. There was 0 winners of the match 3, the Lucky Dip was shared between 4 people who each won €50. Next week's draw takes place Monday the 18th of January. Next week's Jackpot is €7,600.

Enrolments for Primary Schools: The primary schools in the parish will accept enrolments for next September from January 14th 2021. Details will be published on the school websites on January 7th. Please visit the relevant school websites for further information.

www.stconlethsns.weebly.com

www.killinans.com

www.ticknivinns.ie

www.sstkilshanroe.ie

Thank You: As the New Year begins and we look forward to the lifting of restrictions, we as a Parish wish to say thanks to all our parishioners for their constant support over the years and in particular since March of last year, when the pandemic entered our lives. It has been a difficult time for everybody; people have shown wonderful courage and resilience in adapting as best they could to the new circumstances we all faced. Initially we had Mass on Facebook and then on the Webcam. Some adjustments were needed on devices in order to receive the Webcam Masses. No public Masses mean no collections for the upkeep of the Parish, but people have responded wonderfully in different ways by dropping in their envelopes, offertory donations and in many other ways. We are grateful for this support as ever, and look forward to a day when things will return to normal. As a Parish we move forward together, First Communions, First Confessions and Confirmations for the Children are next up. Planning continues; keep us in your Prayers. Many thanks.

Yours Sincerely

Fr. John Fitzpatrick P.P. and Fr. Alfie Murphy P.E.

Taking steps to care for our common Home

Energy: Turn off lights and unplug appliances not in use. *Appliances on standby can use up to 20% of the electricity used when they are turned on.* Use your microwave when possible. *It uses less energy than ovens and cookers.* Only fill the electric kettle with the amount of water you need. *The energy wasted in boiling a full kettle of water when it is not required is enough to run energy saving bulb for 9 hours!* Set your fridge temperature to its economic settings, 3-4 degrees for fresh food compartments and minus 15-18 degrees for the freezer section. *Keeping your fridge or freezer too cold wastes energy.* If defrosting something from your freezer, try moving it from the freezer to the fridge the night before. *The cooling energy invested in the frozen item is recycled in the fridge reducing the energy needed to cool the fridge.* Do not put hot food into a fridge. *A fridge uses more energy to cool the food down, rather than simply keeping it cool.* Clean the condenser coils at the back of your fridge twice a year. A brush or vacuum cleaner can be used. Be sure to unplug the fridge before you start to work. *This allows the condenser to work more efficiently.* Have your hot water boiler serviced on a regular basis. Replace the lagging jacket if it is in poor condition. *A 3" lagging jacket can cut heat loss by up to 75%.* When cooking/baking, don't open the door more often than necessary to check on the food. *Each time you open the oven door the temperature drops by 4-5 degrees.* Match the size of the saucepan to the heating element. *This avoids energy waste and avoids heating the air instead of the pan.* Clean gas burners on cookers regularly to remove food spill caught in the small holes in the burner. *This ensures a constant and even gas distribution and flame size for more efficient cooking.* Set your washing machines at 30 degrees C. *You use less energy and modern washing powders work just as efficiently at lower temperatures so, unless you have very dirty washing, keep the temperature down.* Use a natural option for drying clothes rather than a tumble dryer if possible. *Tumble dryers are one of the highest energy consumers among domestic appliances.* Iron your clothes when they are still damp. *It saves drying time and you don't have to use steam. Steam irons can use more than 1,000 watts more electricity per hour than non-steam irons.* Dust light bulbs and fixtures to improve light output. *A dusty bulb will give off 50% less light.* Reduce unnecessary energy use during the peak hours 5.00-7.00pm (e.g. delay putting on the dish washer, etc, until after 7.00pm). *When peak demand puts pressure on the national grid extra more expensive power stations are brought into operation. Because these particular generators are entirely reliant of fossil fuel, their emission of CO2 is high. So help reduce national CO2 emissions by reducing demand during the peak hours.* If you are replacing the lights on your Christmas tree, choose ones that use LED technology. *LED lights use up to 90% less energy, last up to six times longer and cost almost one tenth of the cost of regular Christmas tree lights.* Hire or borrow equipment that you will not often use. *This avoids expensive tools lying idle, cuts down on use of raw materials and energy-intensive manufacturing.* Invest in drought excluders for letterboxes, base of doors etc. *This prevents vast amount of cold from getting in and heat from getting out.*