



Carbury Parish Newsletter

Sunday 14th March 2021

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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.

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

Next Week's Gospel: Jn 12:20-30

Easter Station Masses

Sat 13th March: 7.30pm (Dtn) Killina, Ballybrack, Kilpatrick, Ballinakill, Drummond.

Sat 20th March: 7.30pm (Dtn) Carbury, Newbury, Longridge, Teelough, Haggard, Ardkill, Coolcor.

Sat 27th March: 7.30pm (Dtn) Rathmore, Ticknevin, Ashgrove, Ashbrook, Trinity Crescent, Trinity Drive, Ashmount.

Thank you for supporting our priests.



'Stations of the Cross in this time of Pandemic' This Lent the diocese is offering a video series, led by Bishop Denis, with three stations each week. The Stations can be accessed on kandle.ie from 3pm each Friday during Lent, as well as on the Kandle Facebook page. It is also available in written format for those who prefer to pray the stations in that way. The video reflections are read by people from the diocese who have been seriously impacted by COVID.

A group of liturgical musicians from Dublin parishes: Have put together a Lenten series entitled "A Celtic Lenten Journey - Harp, Voice and Violin" from the Avila Carmelite Centre, Donnybrook, Dublin. The First Part is now available and reflects in Word and music on the final discourses of Jesus as he journeys to Jerusalem and celebrates the last supper.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Bu8GDvSUZ_Y&feature=youtu.be

It will be followed up by part 2 in the coming weeks.

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Lenten Resources 2021 for Parish, Home and School: Please go to Lent 2021 Resources on the kandle.ie website to access Lenten resources for the parish and home, as well as for primary and post-primary. You will find lots of tools to help you make the journey of Lent along with fellow members of the Kandle Diocesan Family

2021	Derrinturn	Kilshanroe
Sat 13th March <i>St Euphrasia</i>	10am Susan Kearney, 20 th Anniversary. 7.30pm Josephine Gilbert, Inchicore, Dublin. Betty & Brid O'Donoghue.	7.30pm No Mass.
Sun 14th March <i>Fourth Sunday of Lent</i>	11am Nora & Andy Dermody, Collinstown.	11am No Mass.
Mon 15th March <i>St Louise de Marillac</i>	<i>Adoration until 12 Midnight</i> 9.30am Willie McNally, Drehid, 6 th Anniversary.	
Tues 16th March <i>St Finnian</i>	9.30am Nellie Gill, Birthday Remembrance, also Deceased Members of the Family, also Remembering Ann Brennan, England. 7.30pm	
Wed 17th March <i>St Patrick</i>	11am Paddy & Annie Hurley, Dunfeirth.	9am No Mass.
Thurs 18th March <i>St Cyril of Jerusalem</i>	9.30am Margaret Jones, Anniversary.	
Fri 19th March <i>St Joseph</i>	9.30am Dan Thornton, 10 th Anniversary.	
Sat 20th March <i>St Cuthbert</i>	10am 7.30pm Susan Hackett, 3 rd Anniversary. Billy Kenny, Parsonstown, 4 th Anniversary.	7.30pm No Mass.
Sun 21st March <i>Fifth Sunday of Lent</i>	11am Catherine Gill, Killina, Anniversary. Michael & Mary Connolly, Ballyhegan, Anniversary.	11am No Mass.

Please remember in your prayers, Kathleen Dunne (née Donohoe), Kilkeaskin, Carbury, Kildare. also Ann Clohessy (née McCormack), Derrinturn, Carbury, Kildare / Clondalkin, Dublin. also James (Seamus) Kenna, Ballyhagen, Carbury, Kildare. May They Rest in Peace.

Dates for First Holy Communion: Derrinturn Communion will take place on April 17th, April 18th, April 24th, April 25th, May 8th, & May 9th.

Ticknevin Communion will take place on May 15th.

Killina Communion will take place on May 1st, May 2nd.

Kilshanroe Communion will take place on June 27th.

Dates for Confirmation: Derrinturn Confirmation takes place on May 22nd, May 23rd, May 29th, May 30th, June 5th, June 6th, June 12th,.

Ticknevin Confirmation takes place on June 13th.

Killina Confirmation takes place on June takes place on 19th, June 20th.

Kilshanroe Confirmation takes place on June 26th.

Carbury CE Scheme Job Vacancies

Groundsperson, Carbury GAA - #2170665

Groundsperson, Carbury Village - #2170668

Cleaner, ACDAL, Allenwood Enterprise Park - #2170666

Graigucullen/Killeshin parish: Sends a warm invitation to all to tune in via webcam (www.graigucullenkilleshin.com) to their weekly Lenten services. Rosary is also led by the Poor Clare Sisters daily @ 11.40am concluding with the Angelus.

Derrinturn Eucharistic Ministers & Readers for Saturday 20th & Sunday the 21st of March

<i>Mass Time</i>	<i>Readers</i>	<i>Eucharistic Ministers</i>
<i>Saturday 7.30pm</i>	Monica Flynn	
<i>Sunday 11am</i>	Paddy Fitzsimons	

Easter and Mothers Day 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 6th and Sunday the 7th of March

<i>Collections</i>	<i>Amount</i>	<i>Collections</i>	<i>Amount</i>
<i>Derrinturn Basket</i>	€85.00	<i>Development</i>	€1,375.00
<i>Clergy</i>	€50.00	<i>Easter Collection</i>	€20.00
<i>Mass Cards</i>	€400.25	<i>Christmas Day</i>	€50.00
<i>Lenten Stations</i>	€140.00	<i>Lenten Stations</i>	€140.00
<i>Christmas Stations</i>	€50.00		

Preparation Mass: for First Communion and Confirmation Children will be on every Wednesday at 9.30am in Derrinturn Church, because we will not be able to have a preparation programme at this time. The Mass can be viewed on the Parish Webcam.

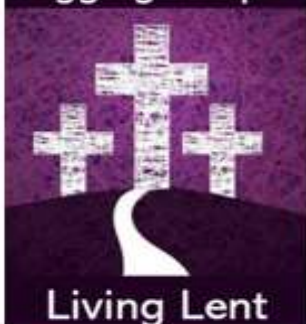
Carbury GAA Lotto took place on Monday the 8th of March. The Lotto numbers drawn were 05, 14, 16, 24, and the bonus ball was 07. There were 3 winners of the match 3, who each won €67. Next week's draw takes place Monday the 15th of March. Next week's Jackpot is €8,400.

Rosary in Kilshanroe: There will be Rosary every evening in Kilshanroe Church for Lent, at 6.30pm.

Carbury clean up 2021: The Clean up on the 6th / 7th of March was a huge success. Over a hundred volunteers from the community came out and removed litter and rubbish from the roads around Carbury, Derrinturn, Ticknevin, Killina and Drehid. As per the Environment Section in Kildare County Council we removed over 3260kgs of rubbish from the side of the road. Thank you to all the volunteers who gave up their time and worked so hard to make our little piece of the country a cleaner place. We will be organising another event in June/July and there is already great support to get out and help again. If you would like to be involved, keep an eye on the Carbury Community Facebook page

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.

Digging Deeper



Fourth Sunday of Lent: Some Suggestions for the Week

- + Persevere in your chosen resolutions for Lent and remember their purpose is to bring you closer to God
- + Pray the Mysteries of Light and /or the Sorrowful Mysteries
- + Be kind to your mammy throughout the week!
- + Check the energy efficiency of your light bulbs and change them if necessary
- + Look out for someone who might need your help and offer it
- + Visit a church, light a candle and say a prayer
- + Turn off lights when not in use



St. Patrick of Ireland is one of the world's most popular saints. He was born in Roman Britain and when he was fourteen or so, he was captured by Irish pirates during a raiding party and taken to Ireland as a slave to herd and tend sheep. At the time, Ireland was a land of Druids and pagans but Patrick turned to God and wrote his memoir, *The Confession*. In *The Confession*, he wrote: "The love of God and his fear grew in me more and more, as did the faith, and my soul was rosed, so that, in a single day, I have said as many as a hundred prayers and in the night, nearly the same. I prayed in the woods and on the mountain, even before dawn. I felt no hurt from the snow or ice or rain." Patrick's captivity lasted until he was twenty, when he escaped after having a dream from God in which he was told to leave Ireland by going to the coast. There he found some sailors who

took him back to Britain and was reunited with his family. A few years after returning home, Patrick saw a vision he described in his memoir: "I saw a man coming, as it were from Ireland. His name was Victoricus, and he carried many letters, and he gave me one of them. I read the heading: 'The Voice of the Irish.' As I began the letter, I imagined in that moment that I heard the voice of those very people who were near the wood of Foclut, which is beside the western sea-and they cried out, as with one voice: 'We appeal to you, holy servant boy, to come and walk among us.'" The vision prompted his studies for the priesthood. He was ordained by St. Germanus, the Bishop of Auxerre, whom he had studied under for years, and was later ordained a bishop and sent to take the Gospel to Ireland. Patrick arrived in Slane, Ireland on March 25th, 433.

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Patrick preached and converted all of Ireland for 40 years. He worked many miracles and wrote of his love for God in *Confessions*. After years of living in poverty, travelling and enduring much suffering he died March 17, 461. He died at Saul, where he had built the first Irish church. He is believed to be buried in Down Cathedral, Downpatrick. His grave was marked in 1990 with a granite stone.

legends about what happened prominent claiming he met the the druid tribes, who tried to intervention from God, convert the chieftain and throughout Ireland. There, he people -eventually thousands - building churches across the used shamrocks to explain the entire kingdoms were converted to Christianity after message.

A Mother's Day Prayer

Lord we pray for all Mothers. Beautiful and wonderful they fill the earth; gracious in your call they carry life, in a bond of love they bring forth a child. We ask you to bless all Mothers today, may they feel the joys of motherhood every day, in all their struggles giving us a livelihood, may your love and compassion be with them for good. May every Mother feel today the pride and beauty of a family they bear , through all pain and sorrow, Lord deliver them.

In your strength and Grace may they always stay. Amen.



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