

Carbury Parish Newsletter

Sunday 25th April 2021

Our Churches: Derrinturn & Kilshanroe

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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



Next Week's Gospel: Jn 15:1-8

A Short Thought

The nicest place to be is in someone's thoughts,
The safest place to be is in someone's prayers,
The best place to be is in God's hands.

“Get online with our Kildare Library AGE FRIENDLY Digital Ambassadors: It is never too late to join the library online, access library resources, download your favourite books or listen to audio books. If you are an older person or if you know an older person who would benefit from this, our Digital Ambassadors will get you started. For more details or to sign up, contact Adrian Foran or Wayne Byrne in Naas Library at naaslib@kildarecoco.ie / 045 879111. Alternatively, you can call your local Kildare library to be directed to your very own Digital Ambassador.”

Trócaire: Thank you to those who have returned the Trócaire boxes and for supporting communities in the world's poorest regions to live with independence and dignity. Trocaire boxes can be left into the Parish Office over the coming weeks. Your support is greatly appreciated.

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Vocations: There have been new resources added to the Diocesan website to promote Vocations within the Diocese, these can be accessed via the following link <https://www.kandle.ie/vocations-sunday-2021-now-is-the-time/>

Graveyard Notice: Dogs are excluded from cemeteries out of respect for our dead and the accidental fouling of graves, which can occur. This is also protects the health of children and those who come to pray at the graveside. Also, it is for this reason that dogs are banned in the playgrounds of our schools, i.e. to protect children from accidentally ingesting dog droppings.

2021	Derrinturn	Kilshanroe
Sat 24th April <i>St Fidelis of Sigmaringen</i>	10am 7.30pm Paddy & Ettie McNamara, Killina, Anniversary. Jack Callan, Ballinakill. Elizabeth & Frank Lusk, Carbury Village. Tommy Brennan, 9 th Anniversary. Jim & Kitty Reilly, Parsonstown, also Jim Moran, Longridge.	7.30pm No Mass.
Sun 25th April <i>Fourth Sunday of Easter</i>	11am Evelyn McKee, Months Mind. Jody Logan, 3 rd Anniversary, also remembering the Deceased Members of the Logan Family. Patrick, Ellen & William Hynes, Clonkeen, Anniversary. Charlie McKeon, Ticknevin, 30 th Anniversary. Peter & Brigid Kelly, Ballinakill, Anniversary.	11am No Mass.
Mon 26th April <i>St Marcellinus</i>	<i>Adoration until 12 Midnight</i> 9.30am Stephanie Leeson, Birthday Remembrance.	
Tues 27th April <i>St Asicus</i>	9.30am Molly, Mick & Kit Dempsey, also all Deceased Members of the Dempsey Family.	
Wed 28th April <i>St Peter Chanel</i> <i>St Louis Marie</i> <i>Grignon de Montfort</i>	9.30am Henry, Catherine & Maryellen Pender, Ticknevin, Anniversary.	
Thurs 29th April <i>St Catherine of Siena</i>	9.30am John Flanagan, Rathmore, also Deceased Members of the Flanagan Family.	
Fri 30th April <i>St Pius V</i>	9.30am Todd & Nellie Kearney, also Deceased Members of the Kearney Family.	
Sat 1st May <i>St Joseph the Worker</i>	10am Mass for the Living on the Mass Card List. 7.30pm Richard (Dick) Brennan, Rathmore, Anniversary. Niall MacNeaney, Dunferth, Anniversary.	7.30pm No Mass.
Sun 2nd May <i>Fifth Sunday of Easter</i>	11am Ester Byrne, 1 st Anniversary.	11am No Mass.

Please remember in your prayers, Anne Clancy (née Gillen), Trinity Crescent, Derrinturn, Carbury, Kildare, also Patrick (Pat) Crowe, Preston Heights, Kilmearney, Kildare / Ladychapel, Maynooth, Kildare. May They Rest in Peace.

A Prayer to Our Lady Take my hand O Blessed Mother, Hold it firmly lest I fall; I am nervous when I'm walking, So to thee I humbly call. Guide me over every crossing Watch me while I am on the stairs. Help me with my undertakings Lessen many of my cares. Then when darkness falls upon us and I fear to be alone; Take my hand O Blessed Mother, Once again and lead me home.



Community Garden: Anybody is welcome to come and help in the community garden and sowing season is about to begin. It is very good for children to let them see how nature works. The community garden is located beside the Parochial House. People are welcome to drop in any time of the day or evening and have a look around.

<i>Derrinturn Eucharistic Ministers & Readers for Saturday 1st & Sunday the 2nd of May</i>		
<i>Mass Time</i>	<i>Readers</i>	<i>Eucharistic Ministers</i>
<i>Saturday 7.30pm</i>	Paul Mooney	
<i>Sunday 11am</i>	Caroline Dolan	

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.

<i>Collections for Saturday 17th and Sunday the 18th of April</i>			
<i>Collections</i>	<i>Amount</i>	<i>Collections</i>	<i>Amount</i>
<i>Derrinturn Basket</i>	€70.00	<i>Development</i>	€2,310.00
<i>Clergy</i>	€50.00	<i>Lenten Stations</i>	€90.00
<i>Mass Cards</i>	€180.00	<i>Easter Collection</i>	€190.00
<i>List of the Dead</i>	€20.00		

Carbury GAA Lotto took place on Monday the 19th of April. The Lotto numbers drawn were 17, 22, 25, 26, and the bonus ball was 13. There was 0 winners of the match 3, the Lucky Dip was shared with 4 people who each won €50. Next week's draw takes place Monday the 26th of April. Next week's Jackpot is €9,000.

Carbury Men's Shed: I'm trying to gauge interest in setting up a Men's Shed in the village. A "men's shed" is a community based project, where men can come together to learn, share skills and make long-lasting friendships together. Most sheds engage in activities such as woodwork, gardening, carpentry and community work. However, there are more special interests sheds that focus on things like music, fishing and restoration work."

I think it would be a fantastic addition to the village to have an active Men's Shed where retired/semi-retired men could come together to share skills, make new friends and put those valuable skills to good use in the community.

If you are interested in getting involved please get in touch with Paul Mahon Tel: 087 1778706 Email: paulmahonpbp@gmail.com or 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.

Carbury CE Scheme Job Vacancies

Groundsperson, Carbury GAA - #2170665

Groundsperson, Carbury Village - #2170668

Cleaner, ACDAL, Allenwood Enterprise Park - #2170666

Diocesan Pastoral Council

Monday, May 10. 7.30pm	DPC Zoom meeting Deanery North
Tuesday, May 11. 7.30pm	DPC Zoom meeting Deanery West
Thursday, May 13. 7.30pm	DPC Zoom meeting Deanery South

All meetings will open at 7:30 pm.

In the coming weeks we will send you, the zoom link and any further details.

The members of the DPC are looking forward to this next stage of engaging with parishes across our diocese. May we hold one another in prayer as we continue to walk together into the future in a spirit of hope and shared mission.

Yours in fraternity,

Mgr John Byrne

Easter Water for the Home – A message from Bishop Denis

Up to March of 2020, people invariably blessed themselves with holy water as they entered a church. This gesture reminds us of and stirs up the waters of our baptism. Alas, this is one of the many things that Covid has taken from us.

Priests have asked me about the possibility of making Easter water available for use in the home. While we are still in the midst of the Easter season, a season which has baptism at its heart, I would encourage you to continue this popular and worthwhile tradition. A number of parishes are already doing so in this Eastertide. At this time we need to continue to support the domestic church in any way we can and the presence of holy water in the home can be a powerful domestic reminder of our baptism. This blessed water can be placed in a font by the door of the home or it might be used in a blessing of the home and household. So while, for the moment, we cannot bless ourselves with holy water in a church, holy water can have a place in the domestic Church.

The text found in the Missal on p 1354 can be used to bless water, using the option for during Easter Time. [If there is no congregation present, you might omit the line in the introduction on page 1353 that says: ‘which will be sprinkled on us’]

Parishes may choose to distribute water in small, individual bottles or to facilitate water containers from the home being filled from a large vessel inside or outside the church. In either case, parishes will need to be mindful of Covid safety, for example making hand sanitizers/wipes available if taps have to be turned on or off.

+Denis

Living ‘Laudato Sí’ ‘Laudato Sí’ is Pope Francis’ second encyclical subtitled ‘On Care for our Common Home’. It ponders the deep relationship between humanity and creation and how the flourishing of human beings is intimately connected with our understanding and treatment of nature. It is a must read for all. It can be downloaded free of charge on:

http://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/encyclicals/documents/papa-francesco_20150524_enciclica-laudato-si.html

This week try to reconnect with nature. Go for a walk, spend a few minutes in your garden or even look out through the window. All creation is a reflection of God’s love, and so this week we could try to be more aware of nature. Contemplation of creation allows us to discover in each thing a teaching which God wishes to hand on to us, since “for the believer, to contemplate creation is to hear a message, to listen to a paradoxical and silent voice”. (Laudato Sí 85)