



# *Carbury Parish Newsletter*

## *Sunday 12th March 2023*

### **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.**

**Derrinturn & Kilshanroe Churches - Masses and other liturgical ceremonies will be streamed live on the Parish Website via webcam on [www.carburyparish.ie](http://www.carburyparish.ie).**

**Local Safeguarding Representatives: Fr. John Fitzpatrick P.P. Catherine McNamara, Teresa Daniels, Patricia Brady. DLP for Kildare: Kathleen Sherry.**

*Next Week's Gospel: Jn 9:1-41*

### **Easter Station Masses**

**Sun 12th March: 11.00am (Dtn)** Old Court, Kishavanna, Boherbree, Kilmore, Ballyhagen, Clonkeen, Coolavacoose.

**Sun 19th March: 11am (Dtn)** Killina, Ballybrack, Kilpatrick, Ballinakill, Drummond.

**Sun 26th March: 11am (Dtn)** Carbury, Newbury, Longridge, Teelough, Haggard, Ardkill, Coolcor.

**Sun 2nd April: 11am (Dtn)** Rathmore, Ticknevin, Ashgrove, Ashbrook, Trinity Crescent, Trinity Drive, Ashmount. Thank you for supporting our priests.

**Cemetery Masses:** The Cemetery Masses will take place in Derrinturn Cemetery on Sunday 2nd July at 3pm and Kilshanroe Cemetery on 9th July at 3pm.

**Dates for your Diary:** Chrism Mass, Monday 3rd April, Cathedral of the Assumption, 7.30pm.



**Confirmation Ceremony 2023:** Will take place in The Holy Trinity Church, Derrinturn on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> March. Derrinturn School takes place at 11am, and Killina, Ticknevin & Kilshanroe Schools takes place at 2pm.

**Holy Land Christmas 2023 Ex Dublin:** Taking in Bethlehem, Jerusalem, Nazareth, Dead Sea, Sea of Galilee, Last Supper Room, Garden of Gethsemane, Mount of Olives with full day in Bethlehem on Christmas Day. Payment can be made by instalments. Contact James Treacy 061-921470 [jamestreacyphotography@gmail.com](mailto:jamestreacyphotography@gmail.com)

**Symposium on Living Synodality:** On Saturday, 11<sup>th</sup> March 2023, SETU and Carlow College, St. Patrick's will host a one day symposium on living synodality in the main building of SETU, Cork Road Campus in Waterford City (formerly the Waterford Institute of Technology main campus). The symposium will explore the ongoing Synodal Pathway and its implications for faith life in contemporary Ireland, and will be of interest to Priests, Pastoral Workers, Teachers, Chaplains, and anyone involved or interested in the Ministry. Speakers include Prof. Michael A. Conway, Professor of faith and culture at St Patricks College, Maynooth and Juliann Moran, General Secretary of the Synodal Pathway of Ireland.

<b>2023</b>	<b>Derrinturn Church</b>	<b>Kilshanroe Church</b>
<b>Sat 11<sup>th</sup> March</b> <i>St Aengus</i>		<b>7.30pm Anniversary Masses:</b> Tom Devine. Nora & Andy Dermody, Collinstown. Kathleen, Tom & Thomas Hassett, also Sean Traynor.
<b>Sun 12<sup>th</sup> March</b> <i>Third Sunday of Lent</i>	<b>11am</b> Damien Galvin, Months Mind. Marcella Kearney, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Anniversary, also Dick Kearney, 29 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary. Seamus Kenna, Ballyhegan, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Anniversary, also Michael & Mary Connolly, Ballyhegan. <b>Anniversary Masses:</b> Charles Reilly Jnr. Josephine Gilbert, Inchicore, Dublin. Teddy & Mary Mullally, Rathmore. Luke & Mary McGuinness also Mary Griffith. John Reilly, Ballybrack.	
<b>Mon 13<sup>th</sup> March</b> <i>St Euphrasia</i>	<i>Adoration until 12 Midnight</i> <b>9.30am</b>	
<b>Tues 14<sup>th</sup> March</b> <i>St Leobinus</i>	<b>9.30am No Mass.</b>	
<b>Wed 15<sup>th</sup> March</b> <i>St Louise de Marillac</i>	<b>11am Confirmations.</b> <b>2pm Confirmations.</b>	<b>9.00am No Mass.</b>
<b>Thurs 16<sup>th</sup> March</b> <i>St Finnian</i>	<b>9.30am No Mass.</b>	<b>7.30pm</b> Patrick Hurley, 4 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary, also Anne Hurley, 16 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary.
<b>Fri 17<sup>th</sup> March</b> <i>St Patrick</i>	<b>11.00am</b>	
<b>Sat 18<sup>th</sup> March</b> <i>St Cyril of Jerusalem</i>		<b>7.30pm</b> Paddy Duffy, Mucklon, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Anniversary, also his Parents, John & Ethel Duffy and Brother Tom Duffy, also Aunt Jane & John Confrey. Thomas & Rose Kearney, Anniversary. Noel Kelly, Anniversary.
<b>Sun 19<sup>th</sup> March</b> <i>Fourth Sunday of Lent</i>	<b>11am</b> Damien Galvin, Months Mind. Susan Hackett, 5 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary. Willie McNally, 8 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary.	

*Please remember in your prayers, Seamus Mangan, Brittas Road, Thurles, Tipperary / Edenderry, Offaly, Brother of Marion Cummins, May he rest in Peace.*

**Fr. Joe McGrath and the throwfire.ie team:** Will be offering First Communion and Confirmation retreats on day in all the different National Schools around this area. The cost is €600 per group 30-60 pupils usually paid for by the local parish. These interactive retreat days, for full school day, have been well developed over a number of years, they focus directly on the key sacrament and they are delivered by a highly trained experienced team members who have a genuine love for what they are doing / The children just love them. The throwfire.ie teams goes out to the school itself and works in the same building or maybe there might be a suitable hall / venue nearby. Perhaps you might be interested. Contact Fr. Joe McGrath 087-1161388

**Kilshanroe Eucharistic Ministers & Readers for Saturday 18th of March**

<b>Mass Time</b>	<b>Readers</b>	<b>Eucharistic Minister</b>
Saturday 7.30pm	Mark O'Donoghue	Owen Smith

**Derrinturn Eucharistic Ministers & Readers for Sunday the 19th of March**

<b>Mass Time</b>	<b>Readers</b>	<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>
Sunday 11am	Phil Connolly	Muriel Skelly & Patsy Daly

**Mass Bouquets:** are now available in the usual outlets and from the Parish Office. The Parish Office opening hours are 9.30am to 5pm Monday to Thursday and 9.30am to 2pm Friday.

**Collections Saturday 1st March & Sunday 2nd March**

<b>Collections</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>Collections</b>	<b>Amount</b>
<i>Derrinturn Basket</i>	€550.00	<i>Development</i>	€1,085.00
<i>Kilshanroe Basket</i>	€290.00	<i>Easter Collection</i>	€50.00
<i>Mass Cards</i>	€400.00	<i>Trocaire</i>	€10.00
<i>Lenten Station</i>	€499.00	<i>Clergy</i>	€70.00

**Carbury GAA Lotto** took place on Monday the 6th of March, the Lotto numbers drawn were, 2, 11, 13, 17, and the bonus ball was 8. There were 2 winners of the match 3, who each won €100.00. Next week's draw takes place Monday the 13th of March. Next week's Jackpot is €9,500.

**Carbury / Edenderry Medjugorje Trip, May 2023:** The cost for the trip is €849. For further details, contact Patsy 087-7986957 or Pat 087-2330862.

**Pilgrimage to Lourdes:** Askea, Bennekerry and Tinryland parishes are travelling to Lourdes for 5 nights on 21 August 2023, spiritual director Fr Tommy Dillon. Cost €835 per person sharing (single room supplement €40 per night) includes return flights, accommodation on full board basis, 10kg checked baggage, airport transfers and travel insurance (€20 supplement for over 85's). For more details contact Askea Parish Office 059-9142565 or Tullys Travel Carlow, 059-9136100.

**Clane Parish Pilgrimage to The Holy Land:** Accompanied by Fr Paul O'Boyle, travelling from 19th – 26th April 2023. Price per person, €1665, includes return flights from Dublin to Tel Aviv, 3 nights in Legacy Hotel Nazareth, 4 nights in Manger Square Hotel Bethlehem (all night's dinner bed & breakfast basis), all transfers, boat trip on Sea of Galilee and all admissions, tips and local taxes. For more details, please

visit <https://marian.ie/destinationIndiv.asp?id=Holy%20Land&tour=5893>

**Trip to Seek24 Focus Conference, St. Louis Missouri, U.S.A:** 30th/31st December 2023 - 6th January 2024. 18-35 year olds. There will be daily Mass and talks over the week from speakers including Fr. Mike Schmitz, Fr. Joshua Johnson, Emily Wilson and Paul J. Kim to name a few, with more to be confirmed. There will also be many more events taking place throughout the week, with opportunities for adoration and confession also. The cost involved is expected to be between €1,900 - €2,500; a better estimate will be given once expressions of interest are received. Price includes return flights, accommodation, daily conference pass and some daily meals. More information on the conference can be found at <https://seek.focus.org>. Please don't be afraid to come along if you don't know anyone else coming! This is a great opportunity to develop your relationship with God and to make new friends. If you would be interested in coming along or would like more information, please let me know by Tuesday next, 28th February. Contact Gabrielle on 087 266 3444.

**Balyna Parish Easter Craft Fair:** Sunday 2nd April Cadamstown Hall W91C580 12-5pm All welcome.

**'Good Morning Kildare'** service provides a FREE friendly phone call on a regular basis to adults in their own home or place of residence. It is a friendly chat about everyday things e.g., Gardening, Cookery, Sport, TV, Pets etc. All calls are strictly private and confidential. The phone operators are Garda Vetted. The service operates from 9.15am to 2.30pm Monday to Friday. 'Good Morning Kildare' supports Independent Living & Social Connection. The service is supported by the HSE, DEASP, An Garda Síochána. If you are interested in availing of this service or you know somebody who would benefit, please contact 045-859037 / 045-870268 or E-mail:goodmorningkildare@yahoo.ie

**Special Kildare Pilgrimage to Fatima 9-14th June 2023:** ex Dublin for the Feast Day of Saint Anthony, Patron Saint of Portugal, visiting Saint Anthony's Baptismal Font and the place where he was born in Lisbon. Contact James Treacy 061-92147

**Carbury achieve retirement group:** will meet in Carbury G.A.A. every Monday and Thursday at 11.00am to 2.00pm. All are welcome. Come along for a cup at tea and a chat. If anyone would like to attend but has no transport, please let us know and we will try to facilitate 087-1716732.

**Little Way Cancer Support Centre in Clane:** we are now offering Music Therapy for people affected by can."What is Music Therapy? Music therapy is an evidence-based therapy profession. It is the planned and intentional use of music-based methods to enable a person to achieve health and well-being goals. Some activities you can choose from include: Creating playlists (for example to listen during treatment, for motivation, relaxation or pain management); listening to music; talking about musical memories; Song writing; Singing; Playing drums to relieve tension; exploring emotions and personal issues through music and talking; writing a song for a loved one."

**Special Kildare Pilgrimage to Fatima:** 9-14th June 2023 ex Dublin for Feast Day of Saint Anthony Patron Saint of Portugal. Visiting Saint Anthony's Baptismal Font and the place where he was born in Lisbon. Contact James Treacy 061-921470

**Mortgage Arrears / Abhaile Scheme:** Are you in mortgage arrears? Are you worried about losing your home? If so, there is help. You may be entitled to Government support under the Abhaile Scheme. For more information, feel free to contact Tatiana McGreal, Financial Solutions Ireland on 085-867 4883 (www.fsireland.ie)

**Pilgrimage to Rome & Assisi 2023:** Led by Fr Liam Merrigan and Mgr John McEvoy. Visiting Assisi 25th – 27th May 2023, visiting Rome 27th – 31st May 2023. Total Price: €1265 per person/ Deposit: €150. Return air ticket including 10kg luggage and taxes, Sharing twin rooms with private facilities for 2 nights in Assisi on half board basis, Sharing twin rooms with private facilities for 4 nights in Rome on B&B basis, Entrance tickets to the Vatican, Sistine chapel, Catacombs & the Colosseum. Single Supplement subject to availability for €195.00  
For reservations phone Tullys Travel on 059 9136100

**Pilgrimage to Assisi and Rome:** Visiting the Tombs of St Francis, St Clare and Blessed Carlo Acutis; a guided tour of the St Peters Basilica and attendance a General Papal Audience. Travelling dates 25th – 31st May 2023, cost €1235 pps, single supplement €270. Spiritual directors Fr Liam Merrigan & Fr John McEvoy. For further details contact Monasterevin Parish 045-525346, Rathvilly Parish 059-9161114 or visit [www.marian.ie](http://www.marian.ie)

**ALONE are seeking volunteers:** Would you be willing to provide companionship or make calls to Older People once a week? ALONE are seeking volunteers in your area. Full training and support provided. If interested please sign up here: <https://alone.ie/volunteers/> For more information, contact Frances on [volunteer@alone.ie](mailto:volunteer@alone.ie) or on 086 1085965.