



Carbury Parish Newsletter

Sunday 8th October 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.

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.

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

Next Week's Gospel: Mt 22:1-14

Bike / Tractor Run: Will take place on Sunday 15th October, the venue is the Castle Inn, Carbury Village, registration is at 11am, and will leave at noon. Price per vehicle is €20, all vehicles welcome. There will be refreshments afterwards at the Castle Inn, the fundraiser is for Nathan Tait and Luke McCann, who will be taking part in the Kickboxing World Championship in Portugal. For more information contact Alan 087-6489638

Apologetics Conference for Young People: Evangelium Ireland will host its next Apologetics Conference for young Catholics at The Imperial Hotel, South Mall, Cork City on Saturday, 7 October beginning at 11.00am and concluding at 4.30pm. The theme of the conference is Towards Lifelong Formation. Speakers: Bishop Alphonsus Cullinan Defending the Faith in the Public Square; Fr Eamon Roche 'Until Christ be Formed in You' – A Roadmap for Catechesis and Christian Formation; Fr Patrick Cahill Studying Discipleship at the School of Mary. Cost: €15 including refreshments. For more information about Evangelium Ireland and to register go to www.evangelium.ie or search 'Evangelium Ireland' on Eventbrite.

Catholic Marriage Encounter: To celebrate the 50th anniversary of Catholic Marriage Encounter in Ireland a special Weekend has been scheduled for the 10th -12th November 2023. Venue: The Focolare Centre, Prosperous, Co. Kildare. Eircode W91 XR23. This Weekend is available to all married couples at no fixed charge beyond the deposit of €50 per couple and a voluntary donation. To book visit www.marriageencounter.ie

Niamh Kavanagh & Monasterevin Gospel Choir: In concert on Friday 13th October 2023 at 8pm, St Pauls Church, Monasterevin. Tickets €30 available from the Parish Office 045-525346 and Earley's Fashion Shop 045-525395. In aid of St Peter & Paul's Church & Monasterevin Tidy Town.

Catechism in a Year: Would you like to read the Catechism in a year? We are a friendly group that reads and discusses a section of the Catechism of the Catholic Church each week. In 2023, we will follow The Catechism in a Year with Fr. Mike Schmitz. <https://ascensionpress.com/pages/catechisminayear> Join us on Mondays, 8:00pm - 9:30 pm in the Parish Centre, Prosperous. For any enquiries, please contact Alice on 087 6505803

| 2023 | Derrinturn Church | Kilshanroe Church |
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| Sat 7th October <i>Our Lady of the Rosay</i> | | 7.30pm Mass for the Living on the Mass Card List. Jack & Annie McNally, also their Daughter Mary Sheridan, Anniversary. James Treacy, Anniversary. |
| Sun 8th October <i>Twenty Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> | 11am Christine O'Toole, 1 st Anniversary. Ethna O'Sullivan, Parsonstown, 4 th Anniversary. Desmond Dempsey, 5 th Anniversary and Birthday Remembrance. Mark Duffy, 9 th Anniversary. Jim & Kate Connolly, and all the Deceased Members of the Connolly Family, Ticknevin, Anniversary. | |
| Mon 9th October <i>St Denis and Companions</i> | <i>Adoration until 12 Midnight</i> 9.30am Rita Gill, Carbury, 100 th Birthday Remembrance. | |
| Tues 10th October <i>St Paulinus of York</i> | 9.30am No Mass. | |
| Wed 11th October <i>St John XXIII</i> | | 9.00am <i>Followed by Adoration.</i> |
| Thurs 12th October <i>St Wilfrid</i> | 9.30am No Mass. | |
| Fri 13th October <i>St Edward the Confessor</i> | 9.30am No Mass. | |
| Sat 14th October <i>St Callistus I</i> | | 7.30pm Kevin Healy, Anniversary. John, Ellen & Patsy Aungier, Anniversary. |
| Sun 15th October <i>Twenty Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> | 11am John Kelly, Ballinakill, 1 st Anniversary, also remembering His Wife Bridie and Son Kieran. Bishop Tom Flanagan, 4 th Anniversary. Eddie Kenny, Ashgrove, Birthday Remembrance. Anniversary Masses: Mary Kiernan, also Her Sister Margaret Tierney. Peter, Mary & James Fox, Ballinakill, also all the Deceased Members of the Mooney Family, Kilpatrick. Martin & Sheila Brennan, Ticknevin. Margaret (Peg) Mee and all the Deceased Members of the McGann Family, Des & Adrian Doyle, late of Wicklow, also Sean & Margaret Maher, late of Monasterevin. | |

Please remember in your prayers, Hilary Jane Tobin (nee Cox) Ticknevin, Carbury, Kildare, also John Mooney, Maynooth, Kildare/Johnstownbridge, Kildare. May they rest in Peace.

Carbury Health Centre: That time of year again. The Health Centre in Derrinturn will be running Flu and Booster Covid Vaccination Clinics every Thursday and Fridays from 10am to 12pm to all patients over 65 and those vulnerable. No appointment required.

Confessions: Fr. Fitzpatrick will hear Confessions half an hour before all Masses in Derrinturn and Kilshanroe Churches.

Kilshanroe Eucharistic Ministers & Readers for Saturday 14th of October

| <i>Mass Time</i> | <i>Readers</i> | <i>Eucharistic Minister</i> |
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| <i>Saturday 7.30pm</i> | Caroline Dolan | Martin Mooney |

Derrinturn Eucharistic Ministers & Readers for Sunday the 15th of October

| <i>Mass Time</i> | <i>Readers</i> | <i>Eucharistic Ministers</i> |
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| <i>Sunday 11am</i> | Teresa Corrigan | Fidelma Mallen & Phyllis McDermott |

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.

Collections Saturday 30th September & Sunday 1st October

| <i>Collections</i> | <i>Amount</i> | <i>Collections</i> | <i>Amount</i> |
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| <i>Derrinturn Basket</i> | €610.00 | <i>Development</i> | €1,565.00 |
| <i>Kilshanroe Basket</i> | €255.00 | <i>Clergy</i> | €250.00 |
| <i>Autumn Collection</i> | €220.00 | <i>Mass Cards</i> | €105.00 |

Carbury GAA Lotto took place on Monday the 2nd of October, the Lotto numbers drawn were, 4, 6, 10, 21, and the bonus ball was 12. There was 1 winner of the match 3, who won €200. Next week's draw takes place Monday the 9th of October. Next week's Jackpot is €6,100.

UNDERSTANDING DIVINE MERCY Ireland/UK Tour: 5-11 October 2023 - Clonfert · Knock Shrine · Derry · Letterkenny · Dublin · Waterford · London. Fr Chris Alar, MIC, author of Understanding Divine Mercy and After Suicide There's Hope for Them and For You is coming back to Ireland, to continue promoting the devotion to Divine Mercy. He will be visiting various locations in Ireland and the UK and giving talks on various topics related to Divine Mercy. Fr Chris Alar, MIC, is the Provincial Superior of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of Mercy Province of the Marian Fathers of the Immaculate Conception in the United States and Argentina. He wrote and produced the popular 'Divine Mercy 101' and 'Explaining the Faith' DVD series and is host of the EWTN show Living Divine Mercy. He serves as 'Fr Joseph, MIC,' the Director of the Association of Marian Helpers, and is the head of Marian Press, located on the grounds of the National Shrine of The Divine Mercy in Stockbridge, Massachusetts. His religious community has been entrusted to spread the Divine Mercy around the world. Accompanying Fr Chris Alar will be special guest James Kilbane, singer-songwriter. Events are free and open to all. Limited capacity. First come, first serve. For more information please visit <https://www.veritasbooksonline.com/frchris-alar-tour/>

Allenwood Day Care Centre: Allenwood Day Care Centre is now serving Killina, Ticknevin and Derrinturn Village. The Centre is currently open four days a week from 10am to 3pm: Tuesdays and Thursday's service Allen, Robertstown, Kilmeague, Coill Dubh, Ballyteague & Derrymullen. Mondays and Fridays serving Derrinturn Village, Ticknevin, Killina and Allenwood Cross. Our Bus can collect and drop clients in those area. (Unfortunately, due to distance and time, our bus will not be extending beyond Derrinturn Village from Allenwood at this time. Clients from surrounding areas are welcome to attend, if they have independent transport.) Come and meet some old and make some new friends! Tea/ Coffee and Scone served on arrival, Card games, Bingo, Reminiscence Games, Quiz's and activities, Dinner served at 1pm. A cost of €5 per day applies, including transport, dinner, etc. Allenwood Day Care Centre is based in the beautiful surroundings of Ballyteague G.A.A Club, Ballyteague North, Co. Kildare. To register your interest in attending please contact Albert 045-860933 or email Albert.perris@svp.ie

Do you feel called to seek God in prayer & contemplation, monastic work and community life? The Cistercian Community at St. Mary's abbey, Glencairn invite single women, aged 19-40, to our upcoming monastic vocations weekend on 27-29 October, 2023. Please contact our vocation director, Sr Sarah at vocations@glencairnabbey.org Or visit www.glencairnabbey.org for more details

All-Ireland Pollinator Plan: There are over 2 million domestic gardens in this country. Just imagine the difference it could make if 2 million gardens became biodiversity friendly! Gardening for Biodiversity also has advantages for human health and wellbeing. For gardens to be good for pollinators, they need to provide food in the form of flowers, shelter for nesting and safety from chemicals. pollinators.ie/top-ten-ways-to-help-pollinators/

Knock Shrine – The Knock Youth Leadership Programme: This programme aims to train leaders to volunteer within their parish to journey with children and young people as they explore and deepen their faith. On completion of the programme (2 weekends and 11 Saturdays over an 18-month period) participants will receive two certificates: A certificate in Youth Ministries (accredited by Queens University Belfast). A certificate in Practical Youth Work/Ministry Skills (accredited by The Open University, Northern Ireland). There is no fee for participants, all food and accommodation is provided and there is small fund available to subsidise transport costs where applicable.

Hail Holy Queen Conference 2023: Is live on Radio Maria Ireland from 2pm on Saturday 7th October. Speakers include Fr. Sean Maguire, Fr. Colum Power, Catherine McGowan, and Fr. Freddy Warner. Radio Maria Ireland can be listened to by downloading the Radio Maria Ireland APP, Saorview Channel 210 or listen live at (01)4373277

Carbury Community Employment Scheme Vacancies:

Groundsperson Vacancies – 19.5 hours per week.

Derrinturn Graveyard – Vacancy No. 2290670

Trinity Crescent – Vacancy No 2288114

Carbury Village – Vacancy No. 2290666

Carbury GAA - Vacancy No. 2290668

Cleaner Vacancy – 19.5 hours per week. Carbury GAA – Vacancy No. 2290676

This is a community Employment Scheme position. To be eligible for this position you must be in receipt of a social Welfare payment for a minimum of 12 months. Please phone 085/875 9242.

Treasure Ireland: A new video series launched recently by the Irish Dominicans is an ambitious project that will take the friars to every county in Ireland, filming roughly ten videos in each county, highlighting the many and varied stories that make up the history of Irish Christianity. The series is currently focussed on the counties which overlap with the territory of the diocese of Kildare and Leighlin: Laois, Kildare, Carlow, and Kilkenny. Some of the sites visited include Timahoe, the Rock of Dunamase, and the Brownshill Dolmen. The story of Jesuit photographer, Fr Frank Browne, is told in a video recorded in Emo Court, and that of pioneering scientist, Fr Nicholas Callan, in a video from Maynooth. The stories of the great saints of these counties feature prominently: there are videos on St Brigid, St Mochua, St Moling, St Fergal of Aghaboe, and the Dominican martyr, Blessed Peter O’Higgins. There’ll soon be added to that list the stories of two great bishops of Kildare and Leighlin: Daniel Delany (d. 1814) and James Doyle (d. 1834), also known as J.K.L. (‘James of Kildare and Leighlin’). All of these stories are told in a way designed to interest believers and non-believers alike, showing, bit by bit, that the Gospel is woven inseparably into the fabric of Irish history. The videos can be viewed on <https://www.kandle.ie/treasureireland/> and <https://www.youtube.com/irishdominicans>

‘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 Siochána. If you are interested in availing of this service or you know somebody who would benefit, please contact 045-859037 / 045-870268 or email:goodmorningkildare@yahoo.ie

Gardener: available to do general upkeep of gardens, including mowing, edging lawns, weeding and general tidying up of gardens in the Carbury and surrounding areas. Contact 085-2105287 for more information.