



Carbury
Parish

Carbury Parish Newsletter

Sunday 11th February 2024

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: Mk 1:12-15

Edenderry Parish Pilgrimage to Lourdes: Will take place on the 30th July to 6th August 2024, staying in the Hotel La Solitude for 7 nights full board. Cost is €995 per person sharing. Optional travel insurance is €39. For more information contact: Eilish O'Grady 086-8909955 or Sr. Aine Parish Centre 046-97-33311

Dates for Ceremony of Light: The dates for the Ceremony of Light for the Confirmation Children are, Derrinturn School, Sunday 18th February at 11am. Kilshanroe School, Saturday 9th March at 7.30pm, Ticknevin & Killina Schools, Sunday 3rd March at 11am.

Nourishing our Communities: You are invited to an evening on Tuesday the 20th of February about growing food in our communities, for our communities. The event kicks off with a screening of "Together We Grow" (40 mins), the true story of a community enriched by growing food for their neighbours. A panel discussion, refreshments and chat will follow. Organised by the Co. Carlow Environmental Network (CCEN), please contact info@ccen.ie for information. Venue: Presentation de la Salle School, Bagenalstown, R21 X096 at 7:15pm – 9:30pm FREE admission, book a seat on the CCEN Eventbrite page through our website: www.ccen.ie/together-we-grow/

Training for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:

This will take place from 10am to 4 pm on Saturday 10th February in the Cathedral Parish Centre, Saturday 17th February in Newbridge Parish Centre and 24th February in Emo National School. Training will be led by Julie Kavanagh and Fr Tom O'Byrne. To help with costs, participants are invited to bring a packed lunch. Tea and coffee will be provided. To register participants from your parish please email fds@kandle.ie with the subject line 'EMHC training' and the following details: Name of Parish, venue attending, number attending, contact name and email for parish group. While this training is primarily for new ministers, we are very happy to welcome existing ministers who would like a refresher day. If you have any questions about this training, please email Julie.kavanagh@kandle.ie

Blessed candles: The blessed candles that were to be available on Saturday 3rd February for the Feast of St Blaise, will be available on Saturday 10th February after Mass in Kilshanroe Church, there will be candles available on the night to purchase, or you can bring your own candles to be blessed on the night.

2024	Derrinturn Church	Kilshanroe Church
Sat 10th February <i>St Scholastica</i>		7.30pm Marion Mallen, Months Mind. Barry Murphy, 15 th Anniversary.
Sun 11th February <i>Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	11am Sean Logan, 7 th Anniversary, Jody Logan, Birthday Remembrance, also remembering the Deceased Members of the Logan Family. Owen & Mary Dempsey, also remembering the Deceased Members of the Dempsey & Gill Families. Claire Smyth, Trinity Crescent, Anniversary, also remembering Her Granddaughter Robin Dunne. Patrick & Elizabeth Carberry, Mylerstown, Anniversary.	
Mon 12th February <i>St Julian</i>	<i>Adoration until 12 Midnight</i> 9.30am Chrissy Ennis, Ballyhegan, 5 th Anniversary, also Molly Daly, 47 th Anniversary.	
Tues 13th February <i>St Catherine of Ricci</i>	9.30am No Mass.	
Wed 14th February <i>Ash Wednesday</i>		9.00am Followed by Adoration.
Thurs 15th February <i>St Sigfid of Vaxjo</i>	9.30am Damien Galvin, 1 st Anniversary. Mary Balfe, Killina, Anniversary also remembering the Deceased Members of the Murphy Family.	
Fri 16th February <i>St Onesimus</i>	9.30am Thomas Connolly, Ticknevin, Anniversary. Edward & Margaret Dowdall, Anniversary.	
Sat 17th February <i>St Fintan</i>		7.30pm Noel Ryan, Kilshanroe, 1 st Anniversary.
Sun 18th February <i>First Sunday of Lent</i>	11am Bridgie Donoghue, Months Mind. Patrick (Paddy) McNally, 2 nd Anniversary. Marion Dolan, Clonkeen, 5 th Anniversary. Patsy & Lily Kelly, Remembrance Mass, also Patsy's Parents, Thomas & Elizabeth Kelly and Lilie's Parents, Mary & James Kenna. Mary Rose Malone, Anniversary, also remembering Her Husband, Owen Malone. Anniversary Masses: Brendan Cross, Killinagh. Eamon, Jane & Michael Pender, Ticknevin, also Francis O'Reilly, Ballinakill. Michael & Julia Moore. Michael Rossiter. Tom Quinn, 581 Trinity Crescent. Michael Sheeran, 11 th Anniversary, also remembering His Parents Philip & Patricia & His Sister Roisin.	

*Please remember in your prayers, John Martin, Trinity Crescent, Derrinturn, Carbury, Kildare.
May he rest in Peace.*

Escorted Tour to Westport, Knock & Co Mayo, 25th February 2024. €799.00 pps. Price includes 5 nights in 4* Castlecourt Hotel, Westport with Dinner, Bed & Breakfast. Lunch/Snack on 2 days. Afternoon Tea at Ashford Castle. All entertainment, excursions and transport included. Visit Knock, Galway City, Kylemore Abbey, Croagh Patrick & Cong. Single supplement on Enquiry. Contact Patricia or Natali on 094 9006426 or 087 1890 236 or email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com.

Kilshanroe Eucharistic Ministers & Readers for Saturday 17th of February

Mass Time	Readers	Eucharistic Minister
Saturday 7.30pm	Cyril Regan	Martin Mooney

Derrinturn Eucharistic Ministers & Readers for Sunday the 18th of February

Mass Time	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers
Sunday 11am	Stephen Lott	Rose Connolly & Cindy Pender

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 3rd & Sunday 4th February

Collections	Amount	Collections	Amount
<i>Derrinturn Basket</i>	€590.00	<i>Development</i>	€1,230.00
<i>Kilshanroe Basket</i>	€15.00	<i>Mass Cards</i>	€461.00
<i>Lenten Stations</i>	€20.00	<i>Donations</i>	€140.00
<i>Christmas Day</i>	€20.00	<i>Christmas Stations</i>	€10.00
<i>Blessed Candles</i>	€93.40		

Carbury GAA Lotto took place on Tuesday the 6th of February, the Lotto numbers drawn were, 1, 7, 13, 14, and the bonus ball was 20. There was 1 winner of the match 4, who won €3,500. Next week's draw takes place Monday the 12th of February. Next week's Jackpot is €5,000.

M. Nerney Medjugorje Group Pilgrimage 2024: Direct flights to Mostar - Medjugorje Dublin to Medjugorje in Half the Time. 12th - 19th June 2024, cost €765
Price increases to €815 after 2nd Feb 2024. Spiritual Director: Fr. Sean Hyland C.C.
Contact: Michael Nerney 086-8157305

Edenderry Library Mindful Journaling for Adults with Laura Phillips: Laura Phillips will be hosting a monthly Journaling Group in Edenderry Library for adults. The First Session will take place on Wednesday 14th February at 6:30 pm. All you need to bring with you is a pen and your favourite journal! To book your spot please contact laura@thebarleymoon.ie.

Totus Tuus Magazine: is a Catholic magazine, full of articles from Irish priests and laity, which aims to highlight the beauty and joy of our faith. It is going into its 7th year and is run by donations. If you haven't come across Totus Tuus Magazine and would like a free copy please contact Fiona Kiely on 086 8760058.

Dates for your Diary:

- Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock, Sunday 2nd June 2024.

Clocha Rince School Enrolments: Clocha Rince school are now inviting Applications for Enrolment. Forms can be downloaded from the website, or collected from the school office.

Parish Donation Envelopes: have arrived in the Parish Office. We are looking for volunteers to help distribute the envelopes over the next few weeks. If you would like to volunteer, please call the Parish Office on 046 9553355 or email carburyparish@gmail.com. Thank you.

Carbury Community Employment: Carbury Community Employment Scheme has vacancies coming up for Grounds Persons and a Cleaner. To qualify you must be on Unemployment Benefit or similar for 12 months or more. Total hours per week 19.5. All training courses will be provided. For more information, call Paula or Louise on 085-8759242 or email: carburyce@gmail.com

The Baby & Toddler Group: will be back up and running in Carbury GAA every Thursday from 10am to 12pm during School term, new faces are always welcome.

Ash Wednesday. A prayer to begin my Lenten journey

Loving Jesus, as I receive on my forehead the sign of your saving cross you say to me, repent and believe in the Gospel. Walking into Lent my heart is set on you. May my fasting fill me with hunger for you, may my prayer draw me deeper into your presence. May my acts of charity bring your love to my home and community. Lord of life, grant that by turning back to you in these 40 days I will re-awaken the joy of my Easter faith; for you raise me up from fear and despair and call me to hope and trust in God who is with me always. With you, I will rise again. Amen.

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>

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.

Clubs and organisations are invited to send in short notices for our Parish Newsletter, by email: carburyparish@gmail.com, phone or in person to the Parish Office. All notices must be received by 12 noon on a Thursday. Notices received after this time will be included in the following weeks' newsletter. Articles may be edited.

'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 email: goodmorningkildare@yahoo.ie

Daingean Library Creative Kids: Daingean Library staff will host a monthly art and craft session for children 7-12. It will take place on the 3rd Tuesday of every month at 3.30pm and booking is required – daingeanlibrary@offalycoco.ie

Daingean Children's Bookclub: 1st Tuesday of every month @ 3.30pm. Suitable for ages 9-12. Open to new members. Email daingeanlibrary@offalycoco.ie if you would like to join.

Adult Bookclub: 3rd Thursday of every month @ 6.30pm. Open to new members. Email daingeanlibrary@offalycoco.ie if you would like to join.

Creative Writing Group: 2nd & 4th Tuesday of every month 3 till 4.30pm. New member's welcome. Email daingeanlibrary@offalycoco.ie if you would like to join.

Knitting & Stitching: 2nd Thursday of every month @ 6.30pm. Open to new members. Email daingeanlibrary@offalycoco.ie if you would like to join.

Storytots: every Saturday in Daingean Library @ 10.30am. Suitable for under 6s – no booking required.