



Carbury  
Parish

# Carbury Parish Newsletter

## Sunday 21st April 2024

### Our Churches: Derrinturn & Kilshanroe

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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](http://www.carburyparish.ie).

Local Safeguarding Representatives: Fr. John Fitzpatrick P.P. Catherine McNamara, Patricia Brady. DLP for Kildare: Ailish Higgins.

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

**Edenderry Parish Pilgrimage to Lourdes:** Will take place on the 30<sup>th</sup> July to 6<sup>th</sup> 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

**Thankyou:** Mary Sheeran would like to thank Robert Bergin, Vanessa Kelly, the Post Office, Mareen Cummins, family, friends and neighbours for their kind support for Daffodil Day, the amount collected was €921.

**Pyx:** If anyone has borrowed a Pyx from Bidy, to bring the Consecrated Host to the sick or those otherwise unable to come to church to receive Holy Communion, can you return them please.

**Donation Envelopes:** If you still didn't get your donation envelopes, they can be collected off Bidy in the Sacristy at the end of all Masses in Derrinturn.

**Coffee Morning:** in aid of Carbury Carers at the home of Elaine Brennan, Carbury Village, W91P6W7 on Sat 27th April from 11-2.30pm. All welcome.

**Cemetery Masses:** The Cemetery Masses will take place in Derrinturn Cemetery on Sunday 7th July at 3pm and Kilshanroe Cemetery on Sunday 14th July at 3pm.

**Last remaining places for Special Kildare pilgrimage to Fatima Pilgrimage 9th-14th August EX**

**Dublin:** Mass in Santarem where bleeding host took place, visit visionaries' homes, Hungarian Stations of the Cross, Lisbon with Church of Saint Anthony where he was born and baptised, seaside excursion. Payments can be made by instalments, Contact James Treacy 061-921470 or email [jamestreacyphotography@gmail.com](mailto:jamestreacyphotography@gmail.com)

**Emigrants Collection:** will take place in both Churches on Saturday 27th April and Sunday 28th April. Funds raised through the collection will be used to support the work of the Council and other projects that provide **pastoral outreach** to marginalised and vulnerable emigrants from our shores.

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

<b>2024</b>	<b>Derrinturn Church</b>	<b>Kilshanroe Church</b>
<b>Sat 20<sup>th</sup> April</b> St Beuno		<b>7.30pm</b> James (Jim) Halligan, Halshaven, Mucklon, 1st Anniversary. Thomas & Anne Ayres & Martin Ayres, Anniversary, also remembering all the Deceased Members of the Ayres Family.
<b>Sun 21<sup>st</sup> April</b> <i>Fourth Sunday of Easter</i>	<b>11am</b> Michael & Mary Sullivan, Ticknevin, Anniversary, also remembering their Son Tony. Nora Walsh, Ticknevin, Anniversary, also remembering Patsy Mooney and all the Deceased Members of the Walsh Family. <b>Anniversary Masses:</b> Paddy & Ettie McNamara, Killina. The Hynes Family, Clonkeen. Dick & Kathleen Cully, Coonough.	
<b>Mon 22<sup>nd</sup> April</b> <i>St Abdiesus</i>	<i>Adoration until 10pm</i> <b>9.30am</b>	
<b>Tues 23<sup>rd</sup> April</b> <i>St George</i>	<b>9.30am No Mass.</b>	
<b>Wed 24<sup>th</sup> April</b> <i>St Fidelis of Sigmaringen</i>		<b>9.00am</b> Followed by Adoration.
<b>Thurs 25<sup>th</sup> April</b> <i>St Mark</i>	<b>9.30am</b>	
<b>Fri 26<sup>th</sup> April</b> <i>St Marcellinus</i>	<b>9.30am</b> Stephanie Leeson, Birthday Remembrance. Edward & Julia Dempsey, Killina, Anniversary, also remembering the Brilly & Noonan Families.	
<b>Sat 27<sup>th</sup> April</b> <i>St Asicus</i>		<b>7.30pm</b> Tommy Brennan, Ticknevin / Dunshaughlin, 12 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary. Niall MacNeaney, Dunfieth, 18 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary.
<b>Sun 28<sup>th</sup> April</b> <i>Fifth Sunday of Easter</i>	<b>11am</b> Lilly Reilly, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Anniversary, also remembering the Deceased Members of the Reilly & Smith Families. Jody Logan, 6 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary, also remembering the Deceased Members of the Logan Family. <b>Anniversary Masses:</b> Frank & Elizabeth Lusk, Carbury Village. Michael (Mickey) McManus, Killina. Molly, Mick & Kit Dempsey, Ballyhegan.	

*Please remember in your prayers, Patsy Myles, 569 Trinity Crescent, Derrinturn, Carbury, Kildare, also Sean Kearney, Killina, Carbury, Kildare. May They rest in Peace.*

**SeniorLine:** Would you like someone to talk to? SeniorLine is Ireland's national telephone service for older people, open every day of the year 10.00 am to 10.00 pm, they can be contacted on Freephone 1800 80 45 91. Callers may feel isolated, alone, wish to discuss a problem in confidence, or for company during their day. SeniorLine's volunteers are trained to listen, to support, to discuss options and refer the caller to other helpful services available if necessary. So don't be alone if sharing a problem would help, phone SeniorLine.

**Kilshanroe Eucharistic Ministers & Readers for Saturday 27th of April**

<b>Mass Time</b>	<b>Readers</b>	<b>Eucharistic Minister</b>
Saturday 7.30pm	Patricia Gallagher	Andy Gannon

**Derrinturn Eucharistic Ministers & Readers for Sunday the 28th of April**

<b>Mass Time</b>	<b>Readers</b>	<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>
Sunday 11am	Paul Mooney	Clodagh Pender & Rose Marie Carey

**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 13th & Sunday 14th April**

<b>Collections</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>Collections</b>	<b>Amount</b>
Derrinturn Basket	€475.00	Development	€685.85
Kilshanroe Basket	€360.00	Mass Cards	€40.00
Trinity Sunday	€5.00	Easter Collection	€55.00
Retired Priests	€5.00	Trocaire	€545.00

**Carbury GAA Lotto** took place on Monday the 15th of April, the Lotto numbers drawn were, 13, 14, 22, 28, and the bonus ball was 2. There were 2 winners of the match 3, who each won €100. Next week's draw takes place Monday the 22nd of April. Next week's Jackpot is €6,000.

**World Day of Prayer for Vocations:** will be observed on Sunday, April 21st 2024. It is also known as 'Good Shepherd Sunday' because the Gospel is always from John chapter 10 where Jesus speaks of himself as being a caring shepherd. The purpose of this day is to publicly fulfil the Lord's instruction when he asked us: Pray the Lord of the harvest to send labourers into his harvest. (Mt 9:38; Lk 10:2). Please pray that young men and women hear and respond generously to the Lord's call to the priesthood and religious life and that the Church will always have pastors who care for God's people with the heart of Christ himself.

**UNDEFEATED: LIVING WITH CANCER:** Weekend Workshop at Dromatine Retreat & Conference Centre. People living with cancer and their loved ones often report feeling overwhelmed by 'information overload' following the initial cancer diagnosis. Grounded, honest and inspirational, this workshop seeks to help people affected by cancer to separate fact from fiction, feel more able to sit with the uncertainty of their future, build their emotional strength and courage and claim deeper meaning in vulnerability. As living longer with a cancer diagnosis becomes more common, this workshop is for everyone. Friday, 26th April (5pm) - Sunday, 28th April (2pm) 2024. 230 Sterling / 262 Euro. Workshop Facilitator: Father Hugh Lagan SMA. Fr Lagan is a priest with the Society of African Missions and a chartered clinical psychologist. He has led retreats, workshops and trainings internationally on psychological and spiritual well-being, positive change, trauma, mental health and resilience. Please contact Jacinta or Louisa to reserve your place, TEL: 028 (048 from ROI) 3082 1964 EMAIL: admin@dromantineconference.com

**Burren Outdoor Retreat:** Would you like to come on a guided journey through the Burren with its limestone pavements, rare flora, and ancient sacred sites? Let the beauty of the amazing Burren landscape renew you in body and soul. This retreat takes place Saturday 4th May 2024 to Monday 6th May 2024. Information: Mary 087 970 1130. Booking: Noirin 087 447 911

**Dates for your Diary:**

- Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock, Sunday 2nd June 2024.
- Clergy Retreat to Dromantine, Sunday 22nd – Thursday 26th September 2024

**Catholic Faith Support Group:** Would you like to join a Catholic Faith Support group in Prosperous Parish, based on Adult Catechesis? We meet between 8pm - 9pm Mondays. Everyone is welcome to join. Contact Alice 087 6505803 on any enquiries.

**Trocaire Boxes:** Please drop your Trocaire boxes back as soon as possible. They can be left into the Church (at Mass times only) or alternatively into the Parish Office, 9.30am – 5pm, Monday - Thursday.

**Join Arthritis Ireland for the VHI Women's Mini Marathon:** The VHI Women's Mini Marathon is just around the corner on the June bank holiday weekend. Arthritis Ireland want to build a strong team of fundraisers to represent us and raise vital funds to support our essential services. Walk, jog or run, the important thing is to take part and show your support for our essential services which are so vital to those living with arthritis in Ireland. Why not get your friends, family and colleagues to join you?? Spread the word to anyone who might be interested.

Sign up here today: <https://www.arthritisireland.ie/vhi-womens-mini-marathon-2024>

Contact the fundraising team on [fundraising@arthritisireland.ie](mailto:fundraising@arthritisireland.ie) or 016618188 if you have any questions.

**All-Ireland Pollinator Plan:** The All-Ireland Pollinator Plan is an island-wide attempt to reverse declines in pollinating insects. One third of our bee species are threatened with extinction in Ireland. The good news is that you can help by making your garden pollinator friendly. Every garden, no matter its size, can be a haven for hungry pollinators. See the link below for more information: [pollinators.ie/top-ten-ways-to-help-pollinators/](http://pollinators.ie/top-ten-ways-to-help-pollinators/)

**Spioraid Naoimh Praying Community Growth in the Holy Spirit Monthly Retreat:**

St. Peters and Paul's Parish Church Portlaoise, Saturday 27th. April 2024, 10 am to 1.30 pm. Holy Mass @ 10 am - Confessions available. Retreat continues in Parish Centre from 10.45 am to 1.30 pm (Exposition, Rosary, Holy Spirit Novena, Praise & Worship, Teaching, Prayer Ministry) Contact: Michael Nerney 086 8157305. Spiritual Director Fr. Ruairi O'Domhnaill P.P.

[www.spioraidnaoimh.com](http://www.spioraidnaoimh.com) All Welcome.

**March For Life Ireland 2024:** Shining A Spotlight on Ireland's Abortion Law and Calling for Positive Supports for Mothers. Our Next March: Save The Date, Bank Holiday Monday, 6th May, 2:00pm, 2024 Marching In Dublin from St. Stephen's Green to Leinster House. Join us In Advocating for Change, Unity, And Empowerment for Mothers and Their Babies. Be A Part of Something Bigger – Let's Make a Difference Together. Takes place at 2pm on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May in Dublin, marching from St Stephens Green to Leinster House

### Upcoming Poetry events in both Edenderry and Daingean Libraries

**Children's Poetry Day event:** Calling on all young poets to come and join us for a poetry reading in Edenderry or Daingean libraries for poetry Ireland day.

Taking place in:

- Edenderry Library on Thursday 25th April at 3:30. The Edenderry event will also include a screening of spoken word/rap poetry for children. No booking required.
- Daingean Library on Thursday 25th April at 3.30. No booking Required.

**Open Mic Poetry Event for adults:** Inviting participants to read a poem or just come along and listen to the poetry readings. The event includes a presentation of a Paul Durcan poem by Edenderry women's group to Edenderry Library. This event takes place in Edenderry Library on 24th of April at 5:30pm. No booking required.

**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 085-1180013 for more information.

**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.

**Annual Day of Prayer & Reflection for Deacons, Candidates and their Families:** The third annual Day of Prayer & Reflection for Deacons, Candidates and their Families will take place on Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2024 at Knock Shrine. This is a great opportunity for Deacons and Candidates to come together and help to promote the ministry of diaconate at a national level. A detailed schedule for the day will issue over the coming weeks once guest speakers have been confirmed.

**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.