



Carbury  
Parish

# Carbury Parish Newsletter

## Sunday 7th April 2024

### Our Churches: Derrinturn & Kilshanroe

Very Rev Fr. John Fitzpatrick P.P. Tel: 046-9553355

Very Rev Fr. Alphonsus Murphy P.E. Tel: 046-9553020

Parish Website: [www.carburyparish.ie](http://www.carburyparish.ie) Email: [carburyparish@gmail.com](mailto:carburyparish@gmail.com)

 Facebook: Carbury parish

Kildare & Leighlin Website: [www.kandle.ie](http://www.kandle.ie)

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](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: Lk 24:35-48*

**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

**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

**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.

**ICA MEETING:** Derrinturn Carbury Guild will meet on Tuesday 9th April at 8pm in the Old Schoolhouse, Carbury Hill. New members always welcome.

**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)

**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/)

**Carbury Players:** Presents A BIT OF EVERYTHING, In St Mary's School Hall, Edenderry on April 5th, 6th and 7th at 8pm. Tickets €10 At the Door. A Night of FUN AND Surprises!! A great Night's Entertainment with Something for Everyone!!

**Balyna Parish Spring Craft Fair:** Will take place on Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> April from 12-5pm in Cadamstown Hall / Cadamstown GAA Pitch, Eircode W91 C580. There will be Bic A Brac, Craft Tables, Raffle and lots more

<b>2024</b>	<b>Derrinturn Church</b>	<b>Kilshanroe Church</b>
<b>Sat 6<sup>th</sup> April</b> <i>Easter Saturday</i>		<b>7.30pm</b> Mass for the Living on the Mass Card List. Tom Duffy, Cloona, 9 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary, also remembering His Parents Patrick & Ellen Duffy. <b>Anniversary Masses:</b> John Crowley, Castleknock. Oliver Brady. Jimmy Cummins, Clonkeen, also His Wife Helena, Daughter, Alice and Daughter in Law, Rose.
<b>Sun 7<sup>th</sup> April</b> <i>Second Sunday of Easter</i>	<b>11am</b> Brendon O'Toole, Kishavanna, Months Mind. Alan Kane, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Anniversary, also remembering His Mother May Kane, Coonough. Sean McCann, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Anniversary. Abbie Watson, 4 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary. Kieran Skelly, Ballyhegan, 8 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary. <b>Anniversary Masses:</b> Margaret Pender, Ballyshannon. Paddy Garrigan, also the Deceased Members of the Garrigan & Kenny Families. John & Teresa Daniels, Ballyshannon.	
<b>Mon 8<sup>th</sup> April</b> <i>The Annunciation of the Lord</i>	<i>Adoration until 10pm</i> <b>9.30am</b> Mass for the Carers of the Parish. Sarah Duffy, Ballyhegan, Anniversary, also remembering Her Daughter Moyra Melia, Ticknevin.	
<b>Tues 9<sup>th</sup> April</b> <i>St Casilda</i>	<b>9.30am No Mass.</b>	
<b>Wed 10<sup>th</sup> April</b> <i>St Fulbert</i>		<b>9.00am</b> Followed by Adoration.
<b>Thurs 11<sup>th</sup> April</b> <i>St Stanislaus</i>	<b>9.30am</b> John & Kathleen McLoughlin, their Sons Jack, Dermot & their Grandson Charles, Anniversary.	
<b>Fri 12<sup>th</sup> April</b> <i>St Julius 1</i>	<b>9.30am</b>	
<b>Sat 13<sup>th</sup> April</b> <i>St Martin 1</i>		<b>7.30pm</b> John & Delia Dempsey, Portarlinton, Anniversary, also Pat Holton, Kilshanroe, Birthday Remembrance. Stephen Domican, 6 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary.
<b>Sun 14<sup>th</sup> April</b> <i>Third Sunday of Easter</i>	<b>11am</b> Eugene Hurst, Kishavanna, 1 <sup>st</sup> Anniversary. James (Jimmy) Kenny, 7 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary, also remembering His Son James. Liam Balfe, Killina, Anniversary.	

*Please remember in your prayers, Alec McDonnell, Clondalkin, Dublin / Inchicore, Dublin / Bettystown, Meath, Brother of Paddy McDonnell, also Mamie Meacher nee O'Rourke, England and formerly of Killina, Carbury. Mamie's funeral will take place in England. May They rest in Peace.*

**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.

**Edenderry Historical Society's:** next lecture takes place on Friday, 12th April, at 8pm in the Parish Centre, Edenderry. Dr Seamus Cullen will speak on, 'From the Pale to the Palace: King Charles's Carbury Ancestors'. Admission is €5, students are free. All are welcome to join us.

**Kilshanroe Eucharistic Ministers & Readers for Saturday 13th of April**

<b>Mass Time</b>	<b>Readers</b>	<b>Eucharistic Minister</b>
Saturday 7.30pm	Mary Baldwin	Tommy Holton

**Derrinturn Eucharistic Ministers & Readers for Sunday the 14th of April**

<b>Mass Time</b>	<b>Readers</b>	<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>
Sunday 11am	Fiona Feely	Fidelma Mallen & Bernadette Connolly

**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 & Sunday 31st March**

<b>Collections</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>Collections</b>	<b>Amount</b>
Derrinturn Basket	€865.00	Development	€1,157.20
Kilshanroe Basket	€455.00	Mass Cards	€1,738.75
Lenten Stations	€80.00	Easter Stations	€1,556.10
Trinity Sunday	€9.00	Gaza Appeal	€40.00
Retired Priests	€10.00		

**Carbury GAA Lotto** took place on Tuesday the 2nd of April, the Lotto numbers drawn were, 4, 18, 25, 27, and the bonus ball was 21. There was 1 winner of the match 3, who won €200. Next week's draw takes place Monday the 8th of April. Next week's Jackpot is €5,800.

**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](mailto:admin@dromantineconference.com)

**Dates for your Diary:**

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

**Carbury Community Employment:** Carbury Community Employment Scheme has vacancies for Grounds Persons in Kilshanroe Cemetery and Trinity Crescent. 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: [carburey@gmail.com](mailto:carburey@gmail.com)

**National Eucharistic Adoration Pilgrimage to Knock:** Calling ALL ADORERS of the Blessed Sacrament in the Kildare & Leighlin Diocese for the National Eucharistic Adoration Pilgrimage to Knock on Sunday 14th April 2024. Please ring 086 1637311 (Barbara Kinsella) to enquire or book a seat. Full bus details on [www.eucharisticadoration.ie](http://www.eucharisticadoration.ie)

**Parish Donation Envelopes:** We are looking for volunteers to help distribute the remainder of the envelopes. If you would like to volunteer, please call the Parish Office on 046 - 9553355 or email [carburey@gmail.com](mailto:carburey@gmail.com). Thank you.

**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.

**A Day for Choirs, Musicians & Cantors:** A Day for Choirs, Musicians and Cantors at the Dominican College Newbridge Saturday 13th April 2024, 10.00 am to 7.00 pm. The day is presented by a Dominican Friar from Ireland and Poland, an Australian soprano and liturgical music expert. Content: New liturgical music from Poland, good liturgical practice, filling gaps in your repertoire, launch of a new hymnal, record music for Irish Dominican's 800 years in Ireland. Cost is €32.00 including a three-course lunch. Book: [DominicanDayChoirs2024.eventbrite.com](http://DominicanDayChoirs2024.eventbrite.com)

**The 'Synodal Explored' Conference:** The 'Synodal Explored' Conference will be held on 19th and 20th April 2024 at St John's Welcome Centre, Knock Shrine where Cardinal Mario Grech, Secretary General of the Synod of Bishops will be the keynote speaker. This conference is a free event, open to the public and all are welcome. Further details are available on [www.knockshrine.ie](http://www.knockshrine.ie)

**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.

**Mary's Meals Ireland:** Mary's Meals Ireland are providing a much-needed lifeline for families by operating a school feeding programme in 36 schools across the Ethiopian region where a combination of drought, displacement and brutal conflict have left huge parts of the country in crisis. As a result, millions of Ethiopians are facing crisis levels of food insecurity and hunger and face starvation. All are encouraged to please pray for the people of Tigray in Ethiopia, where drought and civil war have left many in crisis and in danger of starvation. Mary's Meals feeds tens of thousands of children one meal in school each day in the region. If you feel called to support our mission, and to help us reach more children, please visit [marysmeals.ie](http://marysmeals.ie) or contact 01-8535163. Mary's Meals is a simple idea that works. The charity provides hungry children with one daily meal in a place of education in areas where hunger and poverty often stand in the way of education. Mary's Meals feeds more than 2.4 million children in 18 countries. The average cost to feed a child with Mary's Meals for a whole school year is just €22. Mary's Meals Ireland is a Registered Charity: 20061920 CHY16897.

**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](mailto: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.

**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.

**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.

**'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](mailto:goodmorningkildare@yahoo.ie)