



Carbury Parish Newsletter

Sunday 28th June 2026

Our Churches: Derrinturn & Kilshanroe

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Parish Office Opening Hours:

Monday to Thursday 9.30am to 5.00pm.

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. Bernard Reyhart P.P. Catherine McNamara, Parish Secretary, Patricia Brady, Sharon O'Brien, Kathleen McGowan, Lucia O'Brien. DLP for Kildare: Michele Hughes.

Next Week's Gospel: Mt 11:25-30

Carbury Parish Annual Trip to Knock Shrine 2026: The Annual trip to Knock Shrine from Carbury Parish will take place on Wednesday 5th August, the cost of the bus is Adults €20 and Children €5. Anyone interested in going please contact the Parish Office 046-95-53355 or Bidy before the 3rd August to reserve a seat on the bus. The bus will be leaving Derrinturn Church at 8am.

Carbury Parish Field Day: This year's Field Day will take place on Sunday 19th July in Carbury GAA from 2pm to 6pm. Any bric-a-brac, books, toys or any items in good condition are needed for the day, no electrical goods or clothes for the bric-a-brac please. Please drop items into the Sacristy in Derrinturn Church or to Bidy's House in Trinity Crescent. Spot prizes are also needed for the Wheel of Fortune; there will also be a cake sale on the day. Books of tickets are available off Bidy and the Parish Office. We are all looking forward to a great day for the Parish.

Carbury Carers: are having their Annual Cake Sale on Saturday 27th June at 7pm at Kilshanroe Church and Sunday 28th June at 10.30am at Derrinturn Church. If anyone would like to bake cakes, buns, scones, apple tarts, etc or donate them we would be very grateful.

Cemetery Masses: The Cemetery Masses will take place in Derrinturn Cemetery on Sunday 5th July at 3pm and Kilshanroe Cemetery on Sunday 12th July at 3pm.

Kilpatrick Cemetery Mass: will take place on Friday 31st July at 7pm.

Blessing of the Graves, Prayers and Rosary in Templedoath & Ardkill Cemeteries: Templedoath's will take place on Friday 10th July at 7.00pm, and Ardkill's will take place on Thursday 16th July at 7.00pm. All are welcome.

Medjugorje Pilgrimage: July 8th to July 15th. €795 with Marian Pilgrimages. Everything included except personal insurance. Fare, half board, airport transfers and spiritual programme. Phone Marian Pilgrimages 01- 8788159 Email marian.ie Carmel 086 - 0678805

St Bridget's Lough Derg Pilgrimage 2026: Three-day pilgrimages: Friday 3rd July - Sunday 5th July and Thursday 13th August - Saturday 15th August; Bus departs: Monasterevin, Kildare, Newbridge, Naas, Sallins, Clane, Kilcock, Maynooth, Mulhuddart. To book your place telephone: Joe 0873815887/ Deirdre 087 - 2467594 email: deirdregleeson@medwise.ie One day of prayer in honour of St Carlo Acutis: Sunday 6th September; Bus departs: Monasterevin, Kildare, Newbridge, Naas, Sallins, Clane, Kilcock, Maynooth, M3 Parkway. To book your place Telephone / Text Deirdre 0872467594/ Email: deirdregleeson@medwise.ie

Please note that times can be changed at short notice because of Funerals!

2026	Derrinturn Church	Kilshanroe Church
Sat 27th June <i>St Cyril of Alexandria</i>		7.30pm John Redmond, Ticknevin, Anniversary. Michael Beatty, Kilshanroe, Anniversary, also remembering His Parents Frank & Mary. John & Breda Cummins, Ardkill, Remembrance Mass.
Sun 28th June <i>Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	11am Claire Melia, 3 rd Anniversary, also Eileen Mulligan, 2 nd Anniversary. John Joe Garry, Killina, 14 th Anniversary. James & Julia Barry, Bantry, Anniversary. Maureen Fox, Birthday Remembrance. Ellen Reilly, Killina, Anniversary, also remembering Her Sister Jewel Hartviksen, (née Brennan) formerly Ticknevin / Canada and their Parents Richard & Julia Brennan. Margaret Connolly, Killina, Anniversary, also remembering Her Daughters Kathleen Fillingham and Mary Leen. Mary Gill, Maynooth, Anniversary.	
Mon 29th June <i>Ss Peter and Paul</i>	<i>Adoration until 10pm</i> 9.30am Rita Lenehan, Drehid, 5 th Anniversary. Nellie Pender, Ticknevin, Anniversary.	
Tues 30th June <i>The First Martyrs of Rome</i>	9.30am No Mass.	
Wed 1st July <i>St Oliver Plunkett</i>		9.30am Followed by Adoration.
Thurs 2nd July <i>St Otto of Bamberg</i>	9.30am Anniversary Masses: Nancy Fitzsimons & Her Daughter Loretta Kennedy. Jimmy & Margaret Hynes, Clonkeen.	
Fri 3rd July <i>St Thomas</i>	9.30am Mass for the Deceased on the Mass Card List. Patrick McDonnell, Clondalkin, 28 th Anniversary.	
Sat 4th July <i>St Elizabeth of Portugal</i>		7.30pm Mass for the Living on the Mass Card List. Abbie Watson, Birthday Remembrance.
Sun 5th July <i>Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	3pm Cemetery Mass.	

National Synodal Pathway Update: Preparations are continuing for the National Synodal Assembly, which will take place in October. Working groups from across the country are reflecting on the key priorities identified through the synodal process and helping to shape the next stage of the Church's journey in Ireland. To learn more and view the latest video update from Fr Declan Hurley, Chairperson of the National Synodal Pathway, and Patricia Carroll, member of the National Synodal Pathway and Pastoral Coordinator for the Archdiocese of Dublin, please follow the link provided.

<https://theway.ie/the-irish-synodal-pathway-progress-and-purpose/>

Carbury Community Employment Scheme: Grounds Person required for Kilshanroe Graveyard, also Derrinturn Tidy Towns. If interested please email carburyce@gmail.com or call Louise or Paula on 085-8759242 and we can check your eligibility to take part in a CE Scheme.

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.

ACCORD Carlow: We offer counselling in Carlow at St Catherine's on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, and we have two upcoming Marriage Preparation courses in September and November in Carlow. Please contact carlow@accord.ie or phone 086 4149034 for more details.

Kilshanroe Eucharistic Ministers & Readers for Saturday 4th of July

<i>Mass Time</i>	<i>Readers</i>	<i>Eucharistic Minister</i>
<i>Saturday 7.30pm</i>	Cyril Regan	Patricia Gallagher & Owen Smith

Derrinturn Eucharistic Ministers & Readers for Sunday the 5th of July

<i>Mass Time</i>	<i>Readers</i>	<i>Eucharistic Ministers</i>
<i>Sunday 11am</i>	Stephen Lott	Pat Kiely & Lucia O'Brien

Mass Bouquets: are available in the usual outlets and from the Parish Office or from Bidy and Eileen. The Parish Office opening hours are 9.30am to 5pm Monday to Thursday.

Collections Saturday 20th & Sunday 21st June

<i>Collections</i>	<i>Amount</i>	<i>Collections</i>	<i>Amount</i>
Derrinturn Basket	€520.00	Development	€658.10
Kilshanroe Basket	€330.00	Mass Cards	€40.00
Retired Priests	€5.00	Donation	€400.00
Peters Pence	€215.00	Trinity Sunday	€20.00

Carbury GAA Lotto: took place on Monday the 22nd of June, Lotto numbers drawn were, 1, 6, 11, 25, and the Bonus Ball was 20. There were 2 winners of the match 3, who each won €100. The next draw will take place on Monday the 29th of June. Jackpot is €14,000.

Men's and Women's shed: We are hoping to set up a Men's and Women's shed in the near future in the Parish Hall, if anyone is interested, you can phone the Parish Office to leave your name and phone number 046-95-53355 or give your name to Fr. Bernard after Mass.

Life in the Spirit Seminars 2027: Come Holy Spirit, come. Carbury Parish is hoping to facilitate the Life in the Spirit Seminars next year. These seminars are designed to help us encounter God and deepen our relationship with Him. They are focused on the action of Holy Spirit and experiencing His presence in our lives. Pope Francis had this to say about the seminars '...They make it possible for people to encounter the living Jesus, in His Word and His Spirit, and at the same time to experience His Church as a welcoming environment, a place of grace, reconciliation and being born again. That is why I have encouraged you to make these Seminars more widely available.' If anyone is interested in being part of the seminar team or has any questions or queries, please contact Darren Baldwin on 085 7363808 or e-mail dazbaldy1991@yahoo.ie.

Tom Fox Multi-Sport Summer Camp with Bergin's Foodstore: Will take place in Carbury GAA from 20th July to 24th July, times are from 10am to 2.30pm, age groups are 5yrs to 12yrs, activities to include, Gaelic Football, Athletics Relay, Treasure Hunt, Kickboxing, and many more events. There will also be a Mystery Tour on the last day. For more information, contact Tom 085-7284795

Finding God in Nature and Culture – Saturday 27th June 2026, Kildare Town: A day of talks, music, storytelling, prayer, and pilgrimage exploring the relationship between Christian faith, Irish culture, imagination, and the natural world. Featuring Paul Vander Klay, Fr. Conor McDonough OP, and Heather Pollington. Hosted at Solas Bhríde Centre with pilgrimage visits to St Brigid's Well and Kildare Cathedral. Tickets and information: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/finding-god-in-nature-and-culture-tickets-1988447493982?aff=oddtcreator>

Top Ten Ways to Help Pollinators: Plant pollinator friendly trees Native trees and shrubs such as Willow, Hawthorn, Rowan, Crab Apple, and Holly support huge numbers of insects including pollinators. Why: Trees that blossom in spring are a low-maintenance, vital source of food for pollinators. Trees contribute to a healthy climate and biodiversity, supporting a rich variety of organisms such as lichens, mosses, birds, mammals, and insects. Where: Anywhere there is space.

Donore Avenue Parish, Dublin: Pilgrimage to Lisieux, September 18th to 21st, staying in a beautiful hotel across the road from the Carmel of St Therese. 795 euro includes flights, coaching, full religious programme, all dinners and some lunches. Please phone 057 93 55050 or email info@myriam.ie

Allenwood indoor Bowling club: are looking for new members, 18 and over. Monday and Thursday from 8pm to 9.30pm in Allenwood Gaa Hall. Please call Sean on 086-8032986 for more information.

Confessions: are available every Saturday evening before 7.30pm Mass in Kilshanroe Church and every Sunday morning before 11am Mass in Derrinturn Church.

Edenderry Library

Tuesday 30th June: All Day - Lego Free Play. All Day DIY Craft Table - Children must be supervised by an adult.

Wednesday 1st July: All Day - LEGO Club. 15:00 – Boardgames.

Thursday 2nd July: 10:00 - Crochet Group - all welcome. 11:00 – Crafty Thursday for under 6s - Booking required. Sensory Room available for Bookings every Thursday.

Friday 3rd July: 10:30 - Parent and Toddler group - all welcome. 15:30 - Crafty Friday for 6-12years - Booking required. All Day DIY Craft Table - Children must be supervised by an adult.

Saturday 4th July: 10:00 - STEM Saturday. 11:00 - Storytime for under 6s. 10:00 - 12:30 - Bookmark Making Station. 10:00 - 12:30 - Lego Free Play.

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Tuesday 30th June: 10:00 - Baby and Toddler Group. 14:00 - 16:30 - Board Games afternoon.

Thursday 2nd July: 14:00 - 16:30 - After School Lego Club. 14:00 - 16:30 - DIY Craft Table - Children must be supervised by an adult.

Saturday 4th July: 10:00 - 12:30 - Lego Freeplay and board game. 10:30 - Storytime for under 6s

Allenwood Campus, Same Community, New Name: As a direct employer of 30 staff with many more working across the businesses based here. Allenwood Campus is proud to support enterprise, the local economy, early childhood education and childcare, training, and community.



WHAT WE DO



Eucharistic Adoration – All Are Welcome: Spend time in the presence of the Lord through Eucharistic Adoration, which takes place as follows: Every Monday following the 9:30 a.m. Mass until 10 p.m. in The Holy Trinity Church, Derrinturn. Every Wednesday following the 9:30 a.m. Mass for one hour in The Holy Family Church, Kilshanroe. Please note: In the event that Mass is not celebrated, Eucharistic Adoration will proceed as scheduled in both Churches. “Of all devotions, that of adoring Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament is the greatest after the sacraments, the one dearest to God and the one most helpful to us.” - St. Alphonsus Liguori

County Kildare LEADER Partnership Rural Social Scheme Opportunities: The Rural Social Scheme provides a supplementary income for low-income farmers and fishers who are unable to earn an adequate living. An RSS participant must work 19.5 hours per week. The hours are based on a farmer and fisher-friendly schedule. This ensures that participation on the scheme does not affect your farming or fishing activities. As from the 01/01/2026 you may also qualify for the RSS Pilot scheme. Where you do not need a farming or fishing background but requires you to be over 50 living in a rural area (outside of Dublin Galway Cork or Limerick Cities) and on a qualifying payment. You can find out more information on the schemes and to see if you may qualify at the web address below

<https://www.citizensinformation.ie/en/social-welfare/farming-and-fishing/rural-social-scheme/>

Or by contacting Adrian Brown RSS Co-Ordinator at Co Kildare LEADER Partnership on 086-0436149

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