

Carbury Parish

Carbury Parish Newsletter Sunday 1st September 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 Email: carburyparish@gmail.com **F** Facebook: Carbury parish Kildare & Leighlin Website: 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 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. John Fitzpatrick P.P. Catherine McNamara, Patricia Brady. DLP for Kildare: Ailish Higgins.

Next Week's Gospel: Mk 7:31-37.

Community Garden: Need a space in nature away from daily stress? Even wanted to grow a vegetable, fruit or flower? The beloved Community Garden is being rejuvenated. Let's get it ready for planting in September! Text or WhatsApp Kathleen + Lucia 087-2141844 to meet and pull a few weeds for half an hour in the long summer evenings.

Day for sacristans: Faith Development Services and the Diocesan Commission for Liturgical Formation will host a day for Parish Sacristans in Solas Bhríde on Saturday, 5 October from 11 am- 3 pm. An opportunity for sacristans to get to know one another and share on their ministry in a peaceful setting. Parishes might let both their employed and voluntary sacristans know that they are invited to this day. Bookings will be taken in September for limited places.

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.

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.

Balyna Parish Car Boot Sale: Will take place on Saturday 14th September in St Brigid's Church Grounds, Clogherinkoe, Eircode W91 HK33 from 9:00am to 1:00pm, 8:00am for sellers. Cost per car is €15. Contact Caroline for more details on 087-6440774

Baby & Toddler Group: will resume on Thursday 12th September and every Thursday after that, in Carbury GAA from 10am till 12pm, all welcome.

List of Pilgrimages for 2025: Special Kildare/Carlow Pilgrimage (Limited availability) to Fatima EX Dublin Easter 2025. LAST REMAINING SEATS 13th June 2025 for Feast of Saint Anthony. 13th October 2025 for Miracle of Sun. Flying with TAP Airlines. Contact James Treacy 061-921470 email: jamestreacyphotography@gmail.com. Payment can be made by instalments

Carbury Women's Shed: meet every Thursday night in the Cabin, Ashgrove from 7.30 - 9pm. Great opportunity to make new friends, take part in courses, have a chat over a cup of tea. New members are always welcome.

2024	Derrinturn Church	Kilshanroe Church
Sat 31 st August		7.30pm Teresa Devine, Dysart, 1 st
St Aidan		Anniversary. Michael (Peadar) Quinn,
		7 th Anniversary. James Sheegar,
		Anniversary, also the Deceased
		Members of the Sheegar and Monahan
		Family's. Mass for the Holy Souls.
		Dan Thornton, Birthday Remembrance.
		Anniversary Masses: Paddy & Bridie
		Sheridan, Mucklon. Bridget Thornton,
		Ardkill. William, Mary & Edward
		Pender, also Kathleen McCann.
Sun 1 st September	11am Teresa & Jack Craven,	
Twenty Second	Anniversary, also their Son's Colm,	
Sunday in Ordinary	Alan & Desmond. Matt & Muriel Daly,	
Time	Rathmore, also the Deceased Members	
	of the Daly Family, Dreenane. Joan	
	Tobin, Anniversary, also Her Son	
	Brendan & the Deceased Members of	
	the Tobin Family also Margaret & John	
	Monahan, Anniversary. Brian, Isie &	
	Ann Marie Dempsey, also Fr. Seamus	
	McCormack, Anniversaries, also the	
	Deceased Members of the Dempsey	
	Family. James & Ann Rushe,	
	Ticknevin, also their Son's John,	
	Martin, Vincent & Ger, Remembrance	
	Mass. Anniversary Masses: Paud &	
	Jenny Fox, Ballyshannon. Willie Cross,	
	Killinagh.	
Mon 2 nd September	Adoration until 10pm	
St William of	9.30am	
Roskilde		
Tues 3 rd September	9.30am No Mass.	
St Gregory the Great		
Wed 4 th September		9.00am Followed by Adoration.
St Mac Nissi		
Thurs 5 th September	9.30am	
St Lawrence		
Giustiniani		
Fri 6 th September	9.30am No Mass.	
St Bega		
Sat 7 th September		7.30pm Mass for the Living on the
St Cloud		Mass Card List. Kathleen Lusk,
		Anniversary and Birthday
a oth a s		Remembrance.
Sun 8 th September	11am	
Twenty Third Sunday		
in Ordinary Time		

Harvesting Gratitude – Dominican Retreat 13th -15th September 2024: This weekend retreat offers us the invitation to pause, ponder, acknowledge and celebrate with gratitude the many blessings in our lives. Cost: €280.00 Residential, €180.00 Non-Residential. For bookings, please contact the Dominican Retreat Centre Tallaght, call: 01 4048189 or email: dominicanretreat@gmail.com

Kilshanroe Eucharistic Ministers & Readers for Saturday 7th of September					
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Saturday 7.30pm	Francis Cline	Lily Boyle			
Derrinturn Eucharistic Ministers & Readers for Sunday the 8th of September					
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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 24th & Sunday 25th August					
Collections	Amount	Collections	Amount		
Derrinturn Basket	€470.00	Development	€617.40		
Kilshanroe Basket	€360.00	Mass Cards	€60.00		

Carbury GAA Lotto took place on Monday the 26th of August, the Lotto numbers drawn were, 10, 14, 19, 20, and the bonus ball was 27. There were 4 winners of the match 3, who each won €50. Next week's draw takes place Monday the 2nd of September. Next week's Jackpot is €5,800.

Adult Literacy for Life (ALL): Do you know that in Ireland, 1 in 6 adults struggle with reading and writing, 1 in 4 adults struggle with maths and 1 in 2 adults struggle with digital skills? Do you or a family member need to improve your reading, writing, maths or digital skills? We can help. All courses are free. Contact: Kilkenny Adult Learning Service (KCETB) 056 776 3149 or Carlow Adult Learning Service (KCETB) 059 913 5544 or freephone 1800 20 20 65 or email allinnovation@solas.ie

Spioraid Naoimh Praying Community Growth in the Holy Spirit Monthly Retreat: will take place in St. Peters and Paul's Parish Church Portlaoise on Saturday 31th. August 2024 from 10.00 am to 1.30 pm Holy Mass @ 10.00 am - Confessions available. Retreat continues in Old Sacristy behind Altar 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. <u>www.spioraidnaoimh.com</u> All Welcome.

Bòthar: Irish charity Bóthar wish to thank everyone who donated to their Easter Appeal to humanitarian aid for Palestine and Gaza. Check our website and Facebook pages for monthly updates on our work in Tanzania; Rwanda; Malawi; Kosovo; Albania and our donation of humanitarian aid to Palestine. Our contact details are Bóthar, Regus Castletroy, Business Reply, Limerick, V94 Y6FD 1800 26 84 63 or 061414142. Online at Bóthar.ie on Instagram and on Facebook.

Keep up to date with happenings in the Church in Ireland: Catholic News is the news service of the Irish Catholic Bishop's Conference. You can follow their articles on www.catholicnews.ie where you can also subscribe to a weekly magazine straight to your email inbox. To keep up to date with what's happening on the Irish Synodal Pathway follow its Facebook page and X account – just type into the search box of each - 'synodal pathway'. This will keep you in touch with what is happening in the Universal Synod also. And don't forget to check out the diocesan website, kandle.ie, as well as our Facebook and X account to stay in touch locally!

An Tairseach Autumn 2024 Programme: An Tairseach, the Wicklow based, Cabra Dominican sponsored Centre for Ecology, Spirituality and Theology is delighted to share with you our upcoming courses, workshops, and 4-week sabbatical programme for the autumn season with wide-ranging events planned from September 13th to November 1st, 2024. Booking essential, please contact: info@antairseach.ie/0404 61833. For further details, see www.antairseach.ie/events.

''Designer Minds STEAM: (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, Maths) Summer Camps start soon in Kildare, Newbridge, Naas. For all boys & girls going into 1st to 6th Class this September. All details and online registration: www.designerminds.ie Give your child the opportunity to explore, create, and innovate in a fun and supportive environment this Summer!"

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Tuesday 3rd Sept:11.00am - Tuesday Morning Adult Book club.

Wednesday 4th Sept: 2.30pm – Young Adult Book club. 6.00pm – 7.30pm – Board Games Evening. Thursday 5th Sept: Sensory Room - booking required.

Friday 6th Sept: 10.30am – Parenting Programme Talk for Parents Transitioning from Pre-School to Primary School - booking required. 10.30am – Baby & Toddler Group - no booking required. 12 noon – Feeding Support Group (for parents both breast feeding and bottle feeding) 3.30pm – Crafty Friday – Craft for 6-12 yr olds – booking required.

Saturday 7th Sept: 10am - STEM Saturday (10am-12.30pm) - no booking required. 11 am – Storytime. Daingean Library

Tuesday 3rd Sept: 3pm Creative Writing Group. 3:00-4.30 – Board Games. 3.30 Children's Bookclub. **Thurs 5th Sept:** 3.30pm - Crafty Thursday – booking required. **Saturday 7th Sept:** 10.30am – Storytots.10.30am -12.30pm – Freeplay Lego.

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/

Carbury Community Fitness Group: Exercise classes (Circuit training, HIT, box exercises etc) will take place in Carbury GAA hall every Tuesday and Thursday @ 7 o'clock. New members are always welcome, just bring a mat and water. First class is free...

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.

Ashgrove Resident's Association: are holding a Coffee Morning on Thursday the 12th September from 10.30am to 1.30pm at the Cabin in Ashgrove, in Aid of Bumbleance the Children's Ambulance Service. All welcome please come and support.

Saint Vincent De Paul Hidden - But Still Among US: Prisoners are easy to forget. Locked in institutions, they seem to disappear from society's sight. But prisoners still belong to the society that incarcerates them. Most will eventually be released, and the experience they have in prison will greatly affect their ability to adjust to life 'outside' as law-abiding citizens. The Society of the St, Vincent de Paul have a panel of people that visit inmates in Midlands and Portlaoise Prison. If you wish to be involved, please text 086-0462405.

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 lets us know and we will try to facilitate 087-1716732.

Dates for your Diary:

- Clergy Retreat to Dromantine, Sunday 22nd Thursday 26th September 2024.
- Day for Sacristans, Solas Bhríde, Kildare, Saturday 5th October from 11 am- 3 pm.
- Clergy Gathering, Mt St Annes, Wednesday 9th October 2024, details to follow.

Catholic Marriage Encounter: Catholic Marriage Encounter in Ireland is a Weekend experience is for married couples who want something more in their marriage - more fun, spontaneity, excitement, communication, understanding, romance, intimacy, passion, joy. Our next Marriage Enrichment Weekend is Friday 8 - 10 November 2024. Venue: Focolare Centre, Prosperous, Co. Kildare. Online booking only: www.marriageencounter.ie

All-Ireland Pollinator Plan: Avoid using insecticides, fungicides and herbicides These potent chemical cocktails are designed to kill various organisms. One of the best things you can do for pollinators is avoid using them. Why: Insecticides have been found to kill, harm, and disorientate pollinators. Herbicides kill the 'weeds' that provide them with important food. www.pollinators.ie/top-ten-ways-to-help-pollinators/