



Carbury  
Parish

# Carbury Parish Newsletter

## Sunday 10th November 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 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](http://www.carburyparish.ie).

Local Safeguarding Representatives: Fr. John Fitzpatrick P.P. Catherine McNamara, Patricia Brady, Sharon O'Brien, Kathleen McGowan, Lucia O'Brien. DLP for Kildare: Ailish Higgins.

*Next Week's Gospel: Mk 13:24-32*

**Carbury Senior Citizens Christmas Party:** The Annual Senior Citizens Christmas Party will be taking place in Carbury G.A.A. on Sunday the 1st of December from 1.30pm to 6pm and Santa will be making an appearance on the day. Anyone that would like to attend, can phone the Parish Office at 046-95-53355, the last date for taking names is Tuesday 26th November, anyone that would like to donate spot prizes for the raffle on the day, can leave them into Bidy or the Parish Office.

#### Christmas Station Masses

**Sat 16th Nov @ 7.30pm (Ksr)** Kilshanroe area.

**Sun 17th Nov @ 11am (Dtn)** Derrinturn, Coonough, Dreenane, Dreenane Park, Kilkeaskin, Lough Na Cush, Parsonstown, Ballyshannon, Windmill Grove, Grattan Park, Drehid.

**Sun 24th Nov @ 11am (Dtn)** Old Court, Kishavanna, Boherbree, Kilmore, Ballyhegan, Clonkeen, Coolavacoose.

**Sun 1st Dec @ 11am (Dtn)** Killina, Ballybrack, Kilpatrick, Ballinakill, Drummon.

**Sun 8th Dec @ 11am (Dtn)** Carbury, Newbury, Longridge, Teelough, Haggard, Ardkill, Coolcor.

**Sun 15th Dec @ 11am (Dtn)** Rathmore, Ticknevin, Ashgrove, Ashbrook, Trinity Crescent, Trinity Drive, Ashmount.

Thank you for supporting our Priests

**Kilshanroe National school:** The school opening hours will change to the correct hours beginning on 2nd December 2024. Please note the changes and inform any child minders or family members who may collect your children. School will open at 8.50am. Infant Collection Time: 1.30pm. 1st to 6th Class Collection Time: 2.30pm

**CLG Chairbre:** will be hosting a Christmas Bingo Special on Sunday, 29th December at 3pm in the clubhouse. Jackpot of €1500 guaranteed on the day. Books can be secured now in advance (single book €15, Double book €20) - an ideal Christmas gift for a family member or friend. See our social media pages for details or contact 086 8567254.

**Admissions 25/26:** The Admissions process has started in St. Brigid's National School, Ticknevin. Application forms are available to download on the website [www.ticknevinns.ie](http://www.ticknevinns.ie) or by contacting the school on (046) 9553521 or email [office@ticknevinns.ie](mailto:office@ticknevinns.ie). The closing date is Friday, 15th November.

**Scoil San Treasa, Kilshanroe:** Due to continuous dog fouling in the school field and grounds, the Kilshanroe School Board of Management has decided that the school premises can no longer be used for dog walking. This has been a difficult decision but unfortunately it had to be made as fouling poses a significant health and safety risk to the pupils and staff. Anyone walking dogs at any time will be asked to leave the premises.

<b>2024</b>	<b>Derrinturn Church</b>	<b>Kilshanroe Church</b>
<b>Sat 9<sup>th</sup> November</b> <i>The Church of St John on the Lateran</i>		<b>7.30pm</b> Martin Ayres, 5 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary. Andy Brennan, Ticknevin, 8 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary.
<b>Sun 10<sup>th</sup> November</b> <i>Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	<b>11am</b> Martin Murray, Clonkeen, Birthday Remembrance. Michael & Mary Cronly, Patrick & Kathleen Carr, also remembering the Deceased Members of both Families. Henry, Catherine & Mary Ellen Pender, Patrick, Mary Ellen & John Pender, also John, Elizabeth & Martin Kearney, Remembrance Mass. <b>Anniversary Masses:</b> James Gill, Killina. Thomas Duffy, Clonkeen. Helen Browne (nee Reilly), Killina, also Anthony O'Reilly, Rathangan.	
<b>Mon 11<sup>th</sup> November</b> <i>St Martin of Tours</i>	<i>Adoration until 10pm</i> <b>9.30am No Mass.</b>	
<b>Tues 12<sup>th</sup> November</b> <i>St Josaphat</i>	<b>9.30am No Mass.</b>	
<b>Wed 13<sup>th</sup> November</b> <i>St Frances Xavier Cabrini</i>		<b>9.00am No Mass.</b> Adoration will still take place.
<b>Thurs 14<sup>th</sup> November</b> <i>St Laurence O'Toole</i>	<b>9.30am</b> Novena for the Deceased.	
<b>Fri 15<sup>th</sup> November</b> <i>St Albert the Great</i>	<b>9.30am</b> Novena for the Deceased.	
<b>Sat 16<sup>th</sup> November</b> <i>St Margaret</i>		<b>7.30pm</b> Marie Langan, Coolree, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Anniversary. May Kane, Coonough, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Anniversary. Jim & Elizabeth Mangan, Anniversary. Pat & Vera Kane, also Dolores Farrell (nee Kane) and Yvonne Molloy, Drehid.
<b>Sun 17<sup>th</sup> November</b> <i>Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	<b>11am</b> Jerry Hurst, Months Mind. Patrick Cummins, Ticknevin, 6 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary. Eddie, Kathleen, Charles & Edward (Jnr) Adams, Anniversaries, also Catriona McNamee and Baby Jason McNamee. Charlie Owen, 9 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary. <b>Anniversary Masses:</b> Betty & Patrick McGrath, Kishavanna. Jimmy Tyrrell, Clonkeen. James Smullen, Clonkeen.	

**St. Oliver Plunkett NS - Enrolments 2025/2026:** St. Oliver Plunkett NS will commence accepting applications for admissions 2025/2026 on Friday 25th October 2024. Application for Admission to Junior Infants 2025/2026 forms will be available from the above date on our website ([www.killinans.com](http://www.killinans.com)) or from the office in the school. The school shall cease accepting applications for admission on Friday 15th November 2024.

**Church Gate Collection:** For St Vincent de Paul, will take place on Saturday 7th December at 7.30pm at Kilshanroe Church and Sunday 8th December at 11am at Derrinturn Church, your generosity would be greatly appreciated. SVP are also open to new members, please contact [carburysvp@gmail.com](mailto:carburysvp@gmail.com) or +353 85 273 6546 for more information.

**Table Quiz:** Will take place in Carbury G.A.A Parsonstown, Carbury on Friday 15th November 2024 from 9.30pm sharp. Table of four €30. Proceeds going to the senior Citizens Christmas party fund. Raffle on the night, All welcome.

**Special Blessings:** During Mass on the 9th and 10th of November, Fr. John will be blessing Benedict Medals, the 16th and 17th of November blessing of Incense and lastly the 23rd and 24th of November blessing of Scapulars. Please bring Salt and Oil on the days if you want them to be blessed.

**Kilshanroe Eucharistic Ministers & Readers for Saturday 16th of November**

<b>Mass Time</b>	<b>Readers</b>	<b>Eucharistic Minister</b>
Saturday 7.30pm	Owen Smith	Owen Smith

**Derrinturn Eucharistic Ministers & Readers for Sunday the 17th of November**

<b>Mass Time</b>	<b>Readers</b>	<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>
Sunday 11am	Stephen Lott	Goretti Malone & Kate Crowe

**Mass Bouquets:** are 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 2nd & Sunday 3rd November**

<b>Collections</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>Collections</b>	<b>Amount</b>
Derrinturn Basket	€670.00	Development	€2,474.60
Kilshanroe Basket	€270.00	Autumn Collection	€40.00
Mass Cards	€130.00	Clergy	€20.00
Mission Sunday	€20.00	November List of the Dead	€520.00
Trinity Sunday	€35.00	Christmas Day	€5.00
Christmas Stations	€10.00	Lenten Stations	€15.00
Easter Collections	€10.00	Retired Priests	€10.00
Peters Pence	€5.00		

**Carbury GAA Lotto** took place on Monday the 4th of November, the Lotto numbers drawn were, 2, 9, 12, 21, and the bonus ball was 15. There were 4 winners of the match 3, who each won €50. Next week's draw takes place Monday the 11th of November. Next week's Jackpot is €6,800.

**Does your parish have a liturgy group:** The DCLF serves the liturgical needs of parishes in the diocese as best we can. We are conscious that parishes are still feeling the effects of Covid and that many liturgy groups struggled and/or ceased to exist during that time. It would be of help to us to know how many parishes have liturgy groups at this time or are in the process of establishing groups. We would really appreciate it if a person in the parish could be nominated to let us know the following by emailing Julie.kavanagh@kandle.ie : 1. Do you have a liturgy group or are trying to establish one? 2. What does/will it do? 3. What one thing could the DCLF do to help liturgy groups or parishes in general in the area of liturgy in the coming year?

**Carbury Community Employment Scheme:** has vacancies for Grounds Persons in Kilshanroe Cemetery, 2 for Trinity Crescent, and grounds person for the New Lawn Graveyard, Derrinturn. Ref: #CES-2354060. Carbury, Co. Kildare, W91 F141. No of positions 3. Community Employment Programme 19.5 hours per week. Community Employment Programme Rates. Published On: 6th Sep 2024 - Closing On: 18th Oct 2024. Contact Louise or Paula on 0858759242 or email carburyce@gmail.com

**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

**Progressive Cards:** has resumed again the Clocha Rince National School on Tuesday evenings @ 8pm, all welcome, please come along and join us for an evening of enjoyment, if you cannot play someone will be on hand to teach you, refreshments provided!!! Looking forward to seeing ye there. Thank you.'

**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](http://www.marriageencounter.ie)

**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.

**Pioneer Pledge for the month of the Holy Souls:** A short-term pledge gives spiritual support and encouragement to people and their families who are living under a shadow of addiction. Contact the Pioneers on 01 805 4226 or via [www.pioneers.ie/pray](http://www.pioneers.ie/pray). "Dilexit nos - He loved us" - Encyclical of Pope Francis. Prayers and Reflections based on "the Human and the Divine Love of the Heart of Jesus Christ" are available on [www.pioneers.ie](http://www.pioneers.ie)

**Enrolments:** The Admissions process has started in Scoil San Treasa, Kilshanroe. Application for admissions is available to download on the website [sstkilshanroe.ie](http://sstkilshanroe.ie) or by contacting the school on 0469541612 or email [principal@sstkilshanroe.ie](mailto:principal@sstkilshanroe.ie) from 25th October. Closing date is 15th November.

**CLG Chairbre - Carbury GAA:** An bhfuil Gaeilge agat? An bhfuil suim agat i nGaeilge? Tá an chlub ar turas chun Gaeilge a chur chun cinn sa phobal agus caithimid do chabhair. Carbury GAA are seeking to promote the Irish language within the club and the wider community. If you are interested in helping us, contact Gareth on 0879406033

**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](mailto:jamestreacyphotography@gmail.com). Payment can be made by instalments.

**Job Vacancy at Mount St Anne's Retreat Centre, Killenard, Portarlinton:** Mount St Anne's is looking for dynamic and experienced Operations Assistant to join our team at this busy Centre. For detailed job description, please email [ceo@mountstannes.com](mailto:ceo@mountstannes.com) or phone 057 8626153 for further details. For information about the Centre visit our website: [www.mountstannes.com](http://www.mountstannes.com). Mount St Anne's is an equal opportunities employer. Closing date for applications is November 25th 2024.

**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](http://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](http://kandle.ie), as well as our Facebook and X account to stay in touch locally!

**Veritas:** Veritas have a very good sale on the small edition of the Missal, €25. Can be used at the chair and might also be useful for use in schools and other venues. Here is the link: <https://www.veritasbooksonline.com/roman-missal-small-edition-9781847302977-18033/>

**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.

**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.

**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/)