

Kingscourt Parish Bulletin



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<p>15th /16th March Vigil 6p.m: Marie Clarke Anniv. Muff Vigil: Eugene & Kathleen Lambe Anniv Corlea 9a.m. Teresa Carolan John, Ellie & James Carolan Anniv 10.30a.m. Tony & Patricia Kieran Anniv 12noon John Martin & Bridie Bell Anniv</p>	<p>22/23rd March Vigil 6p.m Joe McCaul, 1st Anniv Muff Vigil: Mary, Patrick & Joseph Reilly Corlea 9a.m: deceased members of the Muldoon family 10.30a.m. Pappy Corscadden, Anniversary 12noon : Philomena Hand, Month's Memory</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">St Patrick's Day</p> <p>9.a.m. Roseanne & Michael Lynch, & dec, family 10.30a.m. Gene Murtagh, Anniv 12 noon: Philip McDaniel, Anniv</p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>	<p>Tuesday 10a.m. James & Bridie Carolan & dec family Tuesday 7.30 p.m. Mass to mark the Feast of St Joseph, Corlea Wednesday Lenten Novena: Della Maguire, Anniv Thursday: 10a.m. Benny & Monica McKeown & NatalieTully, Anniv Thursday: 7.30p.m. Lenten Evening Mass in Muff. Special intention Friday: 10a.m. Maura & Michael Kilgallen, Edward & John Kelly & dec. family Saturday: Wedding 1.p.m.</p>

Saint Patrick's Day: Mass at 9a.m. in Corlea, and at 10.30a.m. & 12noon in Kingscourt with the traditional Blessing of the Shamrock at all Masses. There are NO Vigil Masses on Sunday Evening.

Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord: John English, Dundalk.

Saint Joseph's Day: You are cordially invited to join with the community in Corlea for a special Mass on Tuesday evening at 7.30p.m. to mark the Feast of Saint Joseph, Patron of the Church. Refreshments will be served afterwards and all are welcome.

Reborn through Baptism & The Holy Spirit: The next baptism preparation meeting is on Thursday 3rd April 2014 at 8p.m. in The Parish Centre. All baptisms take place on the 2nd and 4th Saturday of each month at 4p.m. in Kingscourt Church.

One in the Sacrament of Marriage: Congratulations to Barry McMahon and Lynn Doyle on their recent marriage. Couples intending marriage in the diocese of Meath must complete an ACCORD pre marriage workshop, visit www.accord.ie

Adoration: Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament continues each Tuesday from after Mass in the Parish Centre. We are asking parishioners to consider giving even half an hour for quiet prayer and reflection before the Blessed Sacrament.

Vocations: We currently have only 7 students studying for the Diocese of Meath. Please pray for vocations to the Diocesan Priesthood. Our need is great!

Welcome Home: A Warm welcome to Fr. Emmett Carolan who is spending Saint Patrick's Day with his family in Kingscourt.

Parish Pilgrimage 2014: Our Parish Pilgrimage 2014 from September 1st – 8th in the footsteps of Blessed Pope John XXIII. Cost €995 plus taxes. Bookings with MAP Travel at 01 8783111.

Holy Land 2014: Follow Pope Francis in joining in the pilgrimage to the Holy Land takes place from October 27th during the midterm break. It is the pilgrimage of a lifetime! Cost €1190 plus taxes. Bookings with MAP Travel, 36 Upper O'Connell Street, Dublin 1, at 01 8783111 or patricia@maptravel.ie

Parish Repository: The Parish Repository now stocks a large range of religious goods. It has recently received First Holy Communion and Confirmation Missals, Beads and other religious goods and all at COST PRICE. It is open after all weekend Masses.

Revenue Forms: Thanks to all who have returned their completed forms which allows the parish reclaim a tax rebate from Revenue. Completed forms can be returned to the Parish Office at your earliest convenience.

This week's collection: **Plate: €1658** Many thanks. **Development Target €1850** Received €1950

Community Notices: Saint Patrick's Day Parade on Monday at 1p.m. in Kingscourt. Please support. Live streaming on www.themarketsquare.ie. Kingscourt Road Race in aid of Saint Joseph's School on March 23rd at 9.30a.m. 20/20/6KM. Register at the school on March 21st or at www.precisiontiming.ie Scrap and Bagged Clothes Collection in aid of Kingscourt School on 29th March from 11a.m. – 1p.m. at The Enterprise Centre. Summer Gaeltach Course. Call 087 7376981. Toga Classes at the Workhouse from March 18th at 7p.m. Call 086 8917901. The Irish Blood Transfusion Service will attend the Phoenix Centre, Carrickmacross on March 19th (5p.m. – 8.30p.m.), March 20th (5p.m. – 8.30p.m.) and March 23rd (11.30a.m. – 3p.m.), VISIT www.ibts.ie Social Services meeting in The Matt Talbot on Wednesday at 8p.m.

Best of Luck to Brendan McCahey, brother of Mary Shields who is taking part the Voice of Ireland tonight on RTE 1. Vote! Vote! Vote!!

Lent in our Parish 2014

Trocaire Lenten Campaign 2014 boxes are now available from the Churches. The focus of this year's Lenten campaign is on Water. Many in our world struggle for water on a daily basis. Without water we cannot flourish. Trocaire operates to the highest standards in terms of corporate governance and accountability. Visit www.trocaire.org

Lenten Eucharistic Adoration on each Tuesday from 10.30a.m. – 7p.m.

The Lenten Garden Prayer Space assists with our Lenten Prayer and Refection.

The Bethany Bereavement Healing programme continues on Tuesday at 8p.m.

Additional Evening Mass each Tuesday at 7.30p.m. in **Corlea**.

Annual Lenten Novena in honour of Our Lady of Perpetual Help on Wednesday night at 8p.m. in **Kingscourt** with Guest Speaker, Fr. Janusz, Polish Chaplain for the Diocese of Meath with the Polish Community to honour Pope John Paul 11 who is to be canonised by Pope Francis in April.

Additional Evening Mass each Thursday at 7.30p.m. in **Muff**

Morning Prayer of the Church and Rosary each morning in Kingscourt before Mass

Lenten Lunch on each Friday in Saint Ernan's Hall from 12noon. in aid of Saint Vincent de Paul and Bishops Appeal

Annual Lenten Penance Service will take place on Monday, April 14th at 8p.m. in Kingscourt