



KINGSCOURT PARISH BULLETIN



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THIS WEEKEND

Kingscourt
Vigil 6p.m. Mass
Muff
Vigil 7.30p.m. Frank & Margaret Cooney & dec family
Corlea
9a.m. Paddy Ward 1st Ann & sister Leon Byron 1st Ann
Kingscourt
10.30a.m. Hughie Farrelly, 1st Ann
12noon Exam Mass, Harry Irwin

4TH / 5TH JUNE

Kingscourt
Vigil 6p.m. Anniversaries Occurring
Muff
Vigil 7.30p.m. Mary & Tommy Feeney
Corlea
9a.m. Thomas & Elizabeth & James & Thomas Carolan & dec family
Kingscourt
10.30a.m. Kathleen Bell, MM
12noon Jim McKeown

THE WEEK AHEAD...

Monday: 10a.m. Service
Tuesday: 10a.m. Gerard Lynch
Wednesday: 10a.m. Mass
Thursday: 10a.m. Hughie & Kathleen Califf & son Hugh
Friday: 10 a.m. List of the Dead

FEAST DAYS...

Confessions after Mass Friday 10am and Saturday 6pm

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION: Thanks for your contribution for the May offering for our Clergy .



Requiescant In Pace: Gerry Malone, Ard Dun.
Mary Ellen Burns, Mullinclavin, Magheracloone.



Baptisms take place on the 2nd and 4th Saturday of the month at 4p.m. in Kingscourt Church. The next baptism preparation meeting is on Thurs 2nd June at 8p.m. in The Parish Centre.



Congratulations to Martin Gerard Smith and Jaclyn Pua who celebrated recently the Sacrament of Marriage in Manila and to Sarah and Michael Black who were married last Thursday.



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament takes place every Tuesday after Mass until 7.30pm in Kingscourt Church. Please consider giving an hour for quiet prayer and reflection before the Blessed Sacrament with special Diocesan intention to pray for Vocations.

QUEEN OF THE MAY: May Devotions will be held Monday evening at 7pm in Kingscourt Church.



SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION: Congratulations to the children who received the Sacrament of Confirmation on Sunday last. We thank their families for their constant support and assure them and their children of our prayers. Special word of thanks to all the teachers and staff who were involved in preparing the boys and girls for their Confirmation Day. It was a wonderful occasion in our parish with Bishop Michael and we pray to the Lord to continue to pour out His Holy Spirit in this Jubilee Year of Mercy. Have a look at our website www.info@kingscourtparish.ie for our First Holy Communion and Confirmation photographs.



WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES 2018: The First National Church collection in preparation for the support of the World Meeting of Families 2018 takes place this weekend 28/29 May. The collection will be taken up as a second collection after Communion time. Your generosity would be greatly appreciated. Last September Pope Francis chose Ireland to host the 9th World Meeting of Families on 22 - 26 August 2018 in Dublin. It was announced this past week that Pope Francis has chosen **'The Gospel of the Family: Joy for the World'** as the theme for this International Event. Please see the diocesan website for more details. www.dioceseofmeath.ie

NEW ALTAR SERVERS: Want to serve at Mass? Being an altar server is a great way to be part of the action at Mass. It is a most important job to help the priest and everyone celebrate the Mass, if you would like to become an altar server please talk about it at home with your parents/guardians. All parents/guardians and children interested in becoming an altar server are invited to a meeting with Fr Mark and our Parish Safeguarding Reps in the Parish Centre at 7.30pm on Wednesday 8th June. It is important for all current altar servers and their parents/guardians to also attend.



FIRST FRIDAY: Fr Mark will call to the sick and housebound on Wednesday next.

PARISH FINANCE COMMITTEE: meeting will take place at 8.00pm on Wednesday 1st June.

CEMETERY SUNDAY

Mass and Blessing of the graves will take place on July 31st at 12noon.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

BETHANY BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP: members will be in the Parish Centre after 10am Mass on Friday June 3rd. Confidentiality assured.

KINGSCOURT BRANCH OF ALZHEIMERS SOCIETY OF IRELAND: meeting will be held in the Matt Talbot Hall on Monday 30th May at 8.30pm. Please come along if interested.

KINGSCOURT CANCER FUND COMMITTEE: would like to express their thanks to Kingscourt Stars GAA and to all who took part in the Couch to 5k/5K run, which raised €1300. It is very much appreciated.

KINGSCOURT SOCIAL SERVICES: Outing to Clonakilty 13th-16th June, booking with deposit to Sadie.

JAZZERCISE: Do you want to improve your fitness? 60-minute dance-based total body workout for all ages and fitness levels - 2 classes per week in Kingscourt Community Centre - Mondays & Thursdays @ 8.15pm - for more info text/call Sandra (087) 6014865.

CRUCIETOWN CEMETERY CONSERVATION COMMITTEE: next meeting is in the Cemetery on Tues 14th June at 8pm. A Mass will be held in the Cemetery on Sunday 31st July at 5pm as part of the Blessing of the Graves ceremonies in Nobber. A lecture, as part of Heritage Week in Meath, will be held at the Cemetery on Tues 23rd August 2016 at 7.30pm. Cruicetown Cemetery Conservation Committee has received approval for a Meath County Council grant for maintenance 2016. <https://www.facebook.com/crucietowncemeteryconservationcommittee>

IRISH HORSE CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETY LIMITED: an Extraordinary General Meeting of the society will be held at The Hotel Bailie, Main Street, Bailieborough, Cavan on 8th June 2016 at 8.00pm. If you or anybody you know is or was a member, please attend or call for more details call 042-969-4716.

NAVAN THEATRE GROUP: presents THREE ONE ACT PLAYS in the Newgrange Hotel, Thurs 19th & Fri 20th May at 7.30pm. Admission €10 (payable at the door). All support appreciated.

BAILIEBOROUGH BUSINESS CENTRE: Computers for Beginners, call 042-969-4716. Safepass on Thursday 2nd June with call 042-969-4716. Cutenit Crafts Wet Felting Training and Needle Felting training on 18th May and 1st of June call 0429500111. Internet Safety for Parents. A 2 hour session through the various Apps and Social Media sites that children are accessing, call 042-969-4716.