

# Kingscourt Parish Bulletin



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<p>16<sup>th</sup>/17<sup>th</sup> July</p> <p>Saturday 6pm: Eugene Martin, Anniv.  <b>Muff Vigil: 8.00p.m.</b> Michael McKenna, 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary                  Corlea 9a.m. Patrick, Nancy and Michael Finlay, Anniv.                  10.30a.m. Fr. Michael Finnegan, Anniv.                  12noon Tommy and Maisie Caffrey, Anniv.</p>	<p>23<sup>rd</sup>/24<sup>th</sup> July</p> <p>Saturday 6pm: John Gargan, First Anniversary                  Muff Vigil: 7.30p.m. Colman Burns, Anniv.                  Corlea 9a.m. Margaret Carolan, Anniv.                  10.30a.m. Pat McKenna MM, Philomena Rooney, Anniv.                  12noon Brendan McCabe, Anniv.</p>
<p>Tuesday: 10a.m. Terence &amp; Sarah O'Reilly &amp; May McBride, Anniv                  Wednesday: 10 a.m. Private Intention                  Thursday: 10a.m. Bridget &amp; James Rafferty &amp; Mike Flanagan Anniv.</p>	<p>Thursday: 1. 30p.m. Wedding in Kingscourt                  Friday: 10a.m. Mass                  Friday: 1p.m. Wedding in Corlea</p>

**Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord:** Richie Power, Mt St Joseph, Olive Cassidy, Nobber, Maura Carolan, Birmingham, Elizabeth Melady, Curkish. Sr. Frances Mennis, Trim.

**Reborn through Baptism & The Holy Spirit:** Baptisms take place on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of the month at 4p.m. in Kingscourt Church. The next baptism preparation meeting is on Thurs 4th August at 8p.m. in The Parish Centre. We welcome with joy the recently baptised: Patrick Francis McCabe.

**Marriage:** Congratulations to Fiona Lynch and Julian Meunier, Deirdre McCabe and Robert Byrnes, Gemma Doonan and Edward McKeever, Sinéad Murdock and Ciarán Smith, on their recent marriages.

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

**Lourdes Invalid Fund:** Thank You to all who supported the Lourdes Invalid Fund for the forthcoming Diocesan pilgrimage to Lourdes. It realised €1800.

**Anointing of the Sick:** The Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick and Prayers for Healing takes place at all weekend Masses.

**Our Lady Of Mount Carmel:** Our beautiful Church in Muff is dedicated to Our Lady of Mount Carmel. We mark the feast on this Saturday night with our gathering at the Mass Rock at 7p.m. and the traditional pilgrimage walk in this Year of Mercy to the Church for Mass at 8p.m.

**Catholic Grandparents Sunday:** Next weekend at the 12noon Mass we celebrate Catholic Grandparents Sunday with special prayers of Blessing for all Grandparents. We welcome Grandparents with their grandchildren and great grandchildren to this ceremony. We celebrate the gift of grandparents who give such unconditional love, kindness, wisdom, patience and comfort to their grandchildren, which becomes the bedrock of a child's life and character.

**Offering Day:** THIS weekend is an Offering Day in support of your Priests. Thank you for your continued kind and generous support.

**Parish Bulletin:** Please note that the parish bulletin is not printed from July 30<sup>th</sup> for the traditional summer holiday period. Notices for inclusion in the bulletin during August need to be forwarded to the Parish Office by July 21<sup>st</sup> at 10a.m. The bulletin will resume again on August 27<sup>th</sup>/28<sup>th</sup>.

**This week's collection:** Plate: €1,211 Many thanks. Development Target €2,000 Received: €2,020

**Concert in The Church of the Immaculate Conception, Kingscourt with Dermot Kierans, Chloe Agnew and guests on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> August with proceeds going to Beaumont Hospital and Church Restoration Fund. Tickets are €15. All are welcome**

**Cemetery Sunday:** Our annual Cemetery Mass and Blessing of the Graves takes place on Sunday, July 31<sup>st</sup> at 12noon. Parking will be available for those who are elderly or have a disability nearer the cemetery entrance. Additional parking is available at Paddy McCabe's garage on the Kells Road and at Shekeltons on the Rock's Road. You are asked to respect the directions of the stewards and the Gardai. The stewards are asked to be in place by 10.30a.m. **Please note that The Cemetery Entrance closes at 9p.m. sharp.**

**Annual One Day Parish Pilgrimage to Lough Derg:** Our annual One Day Parish Pilgrimage to Lough Derg to mark the Year of Mercy will take place on Tuesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> August. Call Ann at 087 2807982 . A €20 deposit will secure your place. All are welcome.

**Ministers of the Word:** We are currently seeking additional people to augment our team of Readers at Mass in Kingscourt Church. Please contact Fr. Gerry or leave your contact details at the Parish Office.

#### **Community Notices:**

Butterfly Ballet School summer camp takes place in Dunaire Crèche and Gym An Ri 25th to 29th July. Contact Caroline 086 8070691 [www.butterflyballetschool.ie](http://www.butterflyballetschool.ie).

Annual Lough an Leagh Moonwalk on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> July at 9p.m. Proceeds to local Cancer Charities.

Annual Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine Sunday the 17th July 2016. Pick up in Kingscourt at 8.35.a.m.

Two Job bridge internship positions at Saint Joseph's School. Details on job bridge INTE 1069284.

Foroige Summer Camp for 12 – 15 year olds from August 8<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup>. Registration in Kingscourt Community Centre on July 19<sup>th</sup> at 7p.m.

Meath Archaeological and Historical Society lecture on The Life and Death of Patrick McDonnell by Frank Cogan at Oldcastle Library on July 17<sup>th</sup> at 3p.m. All welcome.

The Priory Institute Tallaght invite parishioners to consider studying theology. Application deadline is 26<sup>th</sup> September and further information from [www.prioryinstitute.com](http://www.prioryinstitute.com) or at 01 - 4048124

Workshop on returning to College from July 25<sup>th</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup> in Navan. Call 1800 991898 to book a free place.

Bootcamp at 6.30a.m. on Tuesday's and Thursday's at Dun a Ri – Shercock road entrance. Cost €7 per class or €12 for two. Contact Declan at 087 2347882.

Foroige Summer camp for 11 – 14 year olds , Aug 8 -10<sup>th</sup> in The Community Centre. Registration on July 19<sup>th</sup> at 7p.m. in Kingscourt. Cost €10. Call 086 0481761

Final copies of Declan Doyle's book, "The Green Platform" are available in The Parish Repository at the special reduced price of €10.

QQI level 4 course starting on August 22<sup>nd</sup>. Call 086 8273857.

Reunion of 1<sup>st</sup> Years of 1981 of Inver College on September 24<sup>th</sup>. Contact [renunion1981cmx@gmail.com](mailto:renunion1981cmx@gmail.com)

#### **Parish Pilgrimage 2016.**

A small number of additional places have been made available on our forthcoming parish pilgrimage to Vienna and Salzburg in September to mark the Year of Mercy. Contact Fr. Gerry or Patricia at **MAP Travel**, 36 Upper O'Connell Street, Dublin 1, email: [patricia@maptravel.ie](mailto:patricia@maptravel.ie) or phone 01 8783111 without delay! A gathering of all who are travelling on the pilgrimage will take place on Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> July at the Parish House at 7.30p.m.