Kingscourt Parish Bulletin







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29th/30th December

Saturday 6pm: Ann Monaghan & Caroline Carry, Anniv. Pat Rogan, Anniv.

Muff Vigil: 7.30pm: Jean Smith, Anniv.

Corlea 9am: Anna Traynor R.I.P. 10.30am: Paul Carroll & Glen Curtis and dec family members, Anniv. Hanna Clarke, Anniv. 12noon: Michael Tevlin, Anniv,

5th /6th January 2019

Saturday 6pm: Anniversaries Occurring: Peter Hegarty & dec family, P.J. Gorman, Joseph Reilly, Peter Corrigan, Norah Fleming, Thomas & Noreen Wakely, James Muldoon & dec family, George & Mary Monaghan, Patrick & Christina O'Reilly, Julieanne Heary, Paul Carolan & dec family, John Lee, Tommy, Pat, John & Maggie O'Reilly & dec family, James & Kathleen O'Hagan & dec.

family.Noreen Cuddy.

Muff Vigil: 7.30pm: Rosie & Richard Murray & dec family,

Corlea 9am: Mass

10.30am: Maurice Holland, Anniv. Arthur McGinley, Anniv.

12noon: Johnny McCullagh, Months Memory.

Tuesday: 10a.m First Mass of New Year. Wednesday: 10a.m. Michael Buckley, R.I.P. Thursday: 10a.m Special Intention. Friday 10a.m. Altar List off the Dead.

The Parish Office

Thank You:

Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord:

Oliver Nesbitt, Anniv.

Reborn through **Baptism & The Holy**

Spirit:

Concert CD

One in the Sacrament of Marriage:

Ministers of Holy Communion:

Happy New Year:

THE PARISH OFFICE re-opens on Thursday.

Thank You to Sonia and Little Buds, Kingscourt for our Christmas Church flowers and all who prepared our Churches.

Dylan Ward, Cluain Dara, Fr. Paddy Smyth SSC, Dalgan & Nobber, Lena Farrelly Murtha, Leiter & Ontario.

Congratulations to Flynn James O'Reilly and and Lucy Marie Reilly on their recent baptisms. 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 Thursday 3rd January 2019 at 8p.m. in The Parish Centre, with Team A Please note ALL BAPTISMS TAKE PLACE IN Kingscourt.

Limited copies of our wonderful Christmas Concert DVD in aid of Brother Kevin are available in the sacristy.

Congratulations to Heather Shevlin and James Gregory on their recent marriage. Couples intending marriage in the Diocese of Meath during 2019 must complete an ACCORD pre marriage workshop, www.accord.ie . The 2019 Dates for the Navan ACCORD Centre are as follows: Jan 4th & 5th ,25th & 26th - Feb 22nd & 23rd - March 1st & 2nd, - April 5th & 6th - May 10th & 11th,17th & 18th - June 7th & 8th, ,28th & 29th - Sept 13th & 14th - Oct 4th & 5th - Nov 8th & 9th - Dec 6th & 7th. For the civil registration of marriages, please visit

www.crsappointments.ie

We are currently requesting parishioners to consider serving as Ministers. Wishing all our parishioners and their families a Happy and Healthy New

Year with every Grace and Blessing.

The First Mass of the New Year takes place on <u>Tuesday at 10.00a.m.</u> in **New Year's Day Mass:**

Kingscourt and all are welcome as we ask God's blessing on our families and

community in the year ahead.

Pastoral Planning 2019 The Parish Pastoral Planning Team will meet on Thursday at 7.30p.m

This week's collection: Plate: €1598 Many thanks. Parish Development Target €2000 Received €4740

Community Notices:

Walk with Millie on New Years Day at 11a.m. Men's Shed resuming in the Community Centre after Christmas. Weight watchers in Matt Talbot on Wednesday at 6p.m. Social Services Christmas Dinner in Cabra Castle next Sunday with Bookings at Liz Farm Fresh.

January Diary

1st January: First Mass of New Year in Kingscourt at 10.00a.m.

3rd January: The Parish Office reopens at 10.30a.m. Parish Pastoral Planning Team meeting at 7.30p.m. Parish Baptismal meeting in Parish Centre at 8.00p.m.

4th January: Kingscourt Bethany Bereavement Team members are available after Mass in The Parish Centre.

6th January: Feast of the Epiphany. Social Services Christmas Dinner in Cabra Castle at 2p.m. Booking at Liz's Vegetable Shop by January 2nd.

8TH January: Adoration resumes in The Parish Centre from 10.30a.m. – 7.30p.m. 14th January: Schools Enrolment Week in all Parish Schools.

22nd January: Gathering of all volunteers who kindly distribute the planned giving boxes in the parish at 7.30a.m. in The Parish House.

23rd January: Annual Ecumenical Service for the Octave of Prayer for Christian Unity in Saint Ernan's Church at 7.30p.m. with guest preacher Bishop Ferran Glenfield, Kilmore.

27th January: Catholic Schools Week Mass in Kingscourt at 12noon.

THANK YOU!

A very sincere and heartfelt thanks to all who are involved in so many aspects of parish life and ministry in this wonderful parish. Thanks to our countless volunteer members on our Parish Finance Committee, our Parish Pastoral Planning Team, our Baptismal teams, Bethany Bereavement team, Parish Safeguarding team, all involved in Eucharistic Adoration, Saint Vincent de Paul Society, our co-ordinators and Ministers of Word and Holy Communion, Youth readers, all our choirs, musicians, organists, cantors, stewards, counters, funeral stewards, those who arrange the flowers, prepare and clean the churches and linens to such an exceptional high standard. Thanks to our wonderful Sacristans and dedicated serving teams. A very special word of thanks to those who have prepared and decorated the Churches for Christmas and all who do so much work quietly behind the scenes throughout the year. Such truly wonderful volunteerism is making a difference! Thanks to all involved with our two Christmas concerts. Thanks to the Chairpersons and the volunteer board members of our four Catholic schools in the parish who give so generously of their valuable time, talent and expertise in the development and support of primary education in this community. Thanks to all involved in maintaining our parish website, webcam facilities and social media through facebook and twitter linking us with a wider world!

Thanks to all who are so involved in the many sporting, cultural, community and voluntary bodies in our parish. Your leadership is second to none.

Many who visit our great parish remark on the truly evident community spirit which is apparent to all. Kingscourt is a parish filled with people of great heart. It is a vibrant and living place and we can all have a righteous pride. Let us all strive to continue building and nurturing this great spirit unique to Kingscourt in 2019.

Wishing all our families at home and across the seas the blessings of a New Year.

Gerry