

Kingscourt Parish Bulletin



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7th/8th January

Saturday 6pm: Altar List of the Dead and Anniversaries Occurring: Norah Fleming, Peter Hegarty & deceased family, PJ Gorman, Thomas & Noreen Wakely, Julie Ann Heary, Daniel & Patrick O'Regan, John McCormack, James & Mary Muldoon & deceased family, Arthur McGinley, Matt & Mary Muldoon, Paul Carolan & deceased family.

Muff Vigil 7.30pm: Mass.

Corlea 9am: Mass.

10.30am: Tomás McCabe, Months Memory & Seán McCabe,

10th Anniversary.

12 Noon: Bridie Kennedy, Anniv. May McEntee, Anniv. Frank & Bridget Doyle, Anniv. Kathleen Meegan & deceased family,

Anniv.

14th/15th January

Saturday 6pm: Peter Corrigan, Anniv. Muff Vigil 7.30pm: Richard & Rose Murray & deceased family, Anniv. Corlea 9am: Patrick & Susan Owens,

Anniv.
10.30am: Daniel Mahon, Months

Memory.

12 Noon: Paul McKenna & Seamus Watters, Anniv. Ann Farrell, Anniv. Julia

Monaghan, Anniv.

Tuesday 10am: Prayer Service. Wednesday 10am: Prayer Service.

Thursday 10am: Prayer Service. Friday 10am: Prayer Service.

The Parish Office

THE PARISH OFFICE IS OPEN ON MONDAY, TUESDAY, THURSDAY & FRIDAY FROM 10.30AM TO 12.30PM. All bookings and enquiries can be made during these times. All notices to be included in the bulletin should be at The Parish Office by 10.00a.m. on Thursday.

Francis Hubble, Ardee, Paddy O'Reilly, Drogheda, Fr.Jim Byrne, Kimmage, Patsy Lynch, Galway.

Congratulations to Eleah Holly Ward on her recent baptism. Baptisms take

Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord:

Reborn through
Baptism & The Holy
Spirit:

place on the 2nd and 4th Saturday of the month at 4p.m. in Kingscourt Church. The next baptism preparation meeting is on Thursday 2nd February 2023 at 8p.m. in The Parish Centre, with Team B. Please note ALL BAPTISMS TAKE PLACE IN Kingscourt.

One in the Sacrament of Marriage:

Congratulations to Donna Lee and Conor O'Hare on their recent marriage. Couples intending marriage in the Diocese of Meath during 2023 must complete an ACCORD pre marriage workshop, www.accord.ie. The 2023 Dates for the Navan ACCORD Centre. March 4th, March 10th& 11th, April 21st/22nd Early booking essential.

electricity and home heating for everyone. Keeping the parish energy costs in check is a priority, while also ensuring that our churches are welcoming and warm, particularly for Masses, funerals, weddings,

and other ceremonies. Thanks to all for your continued support.

We are all very conscious of the huge increase in the cost of

Visits to the Sick and those in hospital and care settings:

Visitation to the sick in hospital, in their homes or nursing care settings is a very important part of the ministry of the priest. If your family member and parishioner is sick and would like Fr. Gerry to make a pastoral visit, please call him and he will be happy make the necessary arrangements.

Parish Statistics 2022:

Pastoral visits to homes of parish: 664
Pastoral visits to the schools: 136

Pastoral visits to hospital and care settings: 55

Baptisms :61 Marriages: 40 Deaths: 28

Return the Photos:

Thanks to all who kindly provided photos for our display during the jubilee of last year. Thesephotos are available for collection from at The Parish Office. Many thanks to all who engaged and participated

in the project.

Enrolment in our schools 2023:

Parents and Guardians wishing to enrol their children for the academic year 2023 / 2024 are invited to contact the parish schools of Carrickleck, Corlea, Laragh Muff and Saint Joseph's Kingscourt during the forthcoming enrolment weeks from January $9^{th} - 23^{rd}$.

Supporting the parish:

Plate €1447

Development Fund €3500 Many Thanks

Parish Diary for 2023

25th January: Annual Service of Prayer to mark the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity at St. Ernan's Church at 7.30p.m.

29th January Catholic Schools Week in our parish.

11th February: Annual Mass at 6p.m. to mark Saint Valentine's Day

22nd February: Ash Wednesday.

25th February: Parish Safeguarding Training Day.

1st/2nd March: Confirmation Retreat.

17th March: Saint Patrick's Day.

26th March: Celebration of Confirmation

9th April: Annual Easter Sunday Dawn Mass at The Mass Rock on The Lough an Leagh.

15th / 16th April: Annual Ceremony of Anointing of the Sick at all Masses.

6th May: First Holy Communion in Kingscourt.

7th May: First Holy Communion for Carrickleck.

14th May:First Holy Communion for Corlea.

20th May: First Holy Communion for Muff.

24th May: Gathering for all parish volunteers.

28th May: Annual Exam Mass.

15th July: Mass at Mass Rock to mark the feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel.

23rd July: World Grandparents Sunday in our parish.

6th August: Cemetery Sunday Mass and Blessing of Graves.

24th September: Annual Parish Pilgrimage.

15th October: Annual Harvest Mass of Thanksgiving.

4th November: Annual Mass of Remembrance.

22nd November: 21st Pilgrimage to the Holy Land.

8th December: Feast of the Immaculate Conception.

24th / 25th December Christmas Masses.

31st December: Blessing of Families for babies baptised in the parish during 2023.

Irish Blood Transfusion Service in Kingscourt Community Centre on January 9th and 10th from 2.30p.m. – 8p.m.