



# Kingscourt Parish Bulletin



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<p><b>18<sup>th</sup> / 19<sup>th</sup> February</b></p> <p><b>Saturday 6pm: Bernadette Boylan, First Anniversary.</b></p> <p><b>Muff Vigil 7.30pm: Patricia, James, Philip, Mary &amp; Phil Smith, Anniv.</b></p> <p><b>Corlea 9am: John &amp; Annie Lynch, Anniv.</b></p> <p><b>10.30am: May Corbally, Months Memory. Joseph O'Regan, Anniv.</b></p> <p><b>12 Noon: Peter, Mary &amp; Stan Smith, Anniv. Patsy Sherlock, Anniv. Paddy Smith, Months Memory. John Smith, Months Memory.</b></p>	<p><b>25<sup>th</sup> / 26<sup>th</sup> February</b></p> <p><b>Saturday 6pm: J.J. Gorman, Anniv. P.J. McCabe, Anniv.</b></p> <p><b>Muff Vigil 7.30pm: Thomas McCabe, Months Memory.</b></p> <p><b>Corlea 9am: Mass</b></p> <p><b>10.30am: Kit Finnegan, Months Memory. Mick &amp; Teasie Connolly, Anniv, James Byrne &amp; deceased family, Anniv &amp; Benny &amp; Peter Connolly, Anniv.</b></p> <p><b>12 Noon: Andy &amp; Bridie Gargan &amp; deceased family, Anniv.</b></p>
<p><b>Tuesday 10am: Prayer Service.</b></p> <p><b>Wednesday 7a.m. Ash Wednesday Mass in Colea</b></p> <p><b>Wednesday 10a.m Ash Wednesday Mass Kingscourt.</b></p>	<p><b>Wednesday 7.30p.m. Special Intention. Novena Mass.</b></p> <p><b>Thursday 10am: Margaret, Patrick &amp; Patrick Jnr Johnston.</b></p> <p><b>Friday 10am: Lenten Mass</b></p>

<p><b>The Parish Office</b></p> <p><b>Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord:</b></p> <p><b>Reborn through Baptism &amp; The Holy Spirit:</b></p> <p><b>One in the Sacrament of Marriage:</b></p> <p><b>Ash Wednesday:</b></p> <p><b>Sacramental Classes:</b></p> <p><b>Safeguarding Training:</b></p>	<p><b>THE PARISH OFFICE IS OPEN ON <u>MONDAY, TUESDAY, THURSDAY &amp; FRIDAY FROM 10.30AM TO 12.30PM.</u> All bookings and enquiries can be made during these times. All notices to be included in the bulletin should be at The Parish Office <u>by 10.00a.m. on Thursday.</u></b></p> <p><b>Nancy Hanna, Nobber, Noel Farrell, Magheracluone, Peggy Tinnelly, Egan, Collops, &amp; London, Maire Fitzsimons, Drumbracken.</b></p> <p><b>Congratulations to Sophie Veronica McCullagh, Harper Jay Sheridan, Harry David McCahey, Teddy Lee Lewis Tierney, Harper Grace Clinch on their recent baptism. 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 Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2023 at 8p.m. in The Parish Centre, with Team C . Please note ALL BAPTISMS TAKE PLACE IN Kingscourt.</b></p> <p><b>Couples intending marriage in the Diocese of Meath during 2023 must complete an ACCORD pre marriage workshop, <a href="http://www.accord.ie">www.accord.ie</a>. The 2023 Dates for the Navan ACCORD Centre: March 4<sup>th</sup>, March 10<sup>th</sup> &amp; 11<sup>th</sup>, April 21<sup>st</sup>/22<sup>nd</sup></b></p> <p><b>Wednesday next is <u>Ash Wednesday</u> and the first Day of Lent. Ashes will be blessed and distributed at all Masses in our parish.</b></p> <p><b>Early Morning Mass in Corlea at 7.00a.m., Mass in Kingscourt at 10a.m.</b></p> <p><b>Additional Evening Mass with Novena in honour of Our Lady of Perpetual Help at 7.30p.m. Please leave petitions in Petition Box.</b></p> <p><b>We welcome the Sacramental classes and their families for a Ceremony of Light and Lenten reflection at Masses next weekend.</b></p> <p><b>The Diocese will hold a One Day Safeguarding Training in The Parish Centre on next Saturday, commencing at 9a.m. Copies of the latest safeguarding newsletter from the diocese have been available in Kingscourt Church. This training complies with diocesan training needs.</b></p>
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Supporting the parish:	<p>Plate €1800    Development Fund €2165    Many thanks</p>
Lent in our parish:	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Lent in Our Parish 2023</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ Morning Prayer and Rosary on each morning before Mass.</li> <li>❖ A Holy Hour of Music, Reflection, Rosary and quiet Prayer will take place on the Tuesdays of Lent at 7p.m. in Kingscourt.</li> <li>❖ A special Novena Mass will take place on the Wednesdays of Lent in honour of Our Lady of Perpetual Help at 7.30p.m.</li> <li>❖ Our parish will support the 2023 TROCAIRE Lenten Campaign. TROCAIRE packs are available from all our churches.</li> <li>❖ Adoration on each Tuesday from 10.30a.m. – 12noon with quiet prayer before the Blessed Sacrament, praying for Vocations.</li> <li>❖ Our Lenten Prayer Garden will once again help us to focus our attention on supporting the weak and vulnerable.</li> <li>❖ We encourage parishioners to take a little time to make The Stations of the Cross.</li> <li style="padding-left: 40px;">❖ Three Day Lenten Parish Retreat in March.</li> <li>❖ Please support The Lenten Lunches in The Red Hall on each Friday of Lent, excepting St. Patrick's Day.</li> </ul>
Bishop's levy on parishes:	<p>Each year the Bishop's House levies every parish with a <u>Diocesan Levy</u> This levy supports Child Safeguarding, the Regional Marriage Tribunal, the running of the Bishops Conference and the expenses at Bishops House. <u>The levy on our parish is €7200.</u> A special collection will take place on next weekend of February 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup>. Your support would be greatly appreciated.</p>
Cemetery Sunday 2023:	<p>Our annual <u>Cemetery Sunday Mass</u> with The Blessings of the Graves takes place on Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> August at 12noon.</p>
Offering Day:	<p>This Weekend is an <u>Offering Day</u> in support of your priests. Thank you for your continued, kind and generous support.</p>
Bethany Bereavement Support Five Week Healing programme.	<p>The Bethany Bereavement Support Team commence their <u>Five Week Healing Programme</u> in The Parish Centre on <u>February 27<sup>th</sup> at 8p.m.</u> Booking at 087 9591995. Confidentiality and Professionalism assured.</p>
Reaching out to those devastated by recent earthquakes.	<p>Our parish will reach out to the people devastated by the recent earthquakes in Turkey and Syria in a special collection on the weekend of March 4<sup>th</sup> &amp; 5<sup>th</sup>. Your support would be appreciated.</p>

Community Notices:

Cavan County Council are recruiting retained firefighters for Kingscourt. Visit [www.cavancoco/jobs](http://www.cavancoco/jobs)

Sincere thanks to Sonia and Little Buds Florists, Kingscourt who kindly sponsored the roses for our jubilee couples at the St. Valentine's Mass last weekend. Meath Hill GFC Table Quiz in The Barracks on Friday at 9p.m.

Wishing the u 16 girls from Colaiste Dun an Ri every success with their All Ireland Basketball Final in Dublin this week. World Youth Day takes places in Portugal from August 1<sup>st</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup>. Any young person from the parish interested in attending is invited to a meeting in Saint Anne's Resource Centre, Navan on Friday next at 7.30p.m LoughanLeagh & Muff Heritage Big Trivia Fundraiser in Gatlans on Friday at 8p.m. Pop Up Covid Clinic in Kingscourt Primary Care Centre on Friday from 10a.m. – 4.45p.m. Just walk in! Honouring Lives Lost to Addiction Service on Friday at 7p.m. in St. Joseph's Redemptorist Church, Dundalk.

