## **Kingscourt Parish Bulletin**



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25<sup>th</sup> /26<sup>th</sup> November:
Saturday 6pm: May Kieran,
First Anniversary.
Muff Vigil 7.30pm: Mass.
Corlea 9am: Tommy
McEnaney, Anniv.
10.30am: Patricia Finnegan,
Anniv. Paddy Carolan &
deceased family, Anniv,
Kathleen Meegan & dec
family, Anniv. Ann Pierce,
Anniv. Alice & Owen Smith,
Anniv.
12 Noon: Papal Awards Mass

Tuesday 10am: Martin O'Donnell, Remembrance.

Wednesday 10am: November List of the Dead.

2<sup>nd</sup> /3<sup>rd</sup> December:

Saturday 6pm: Anniversaries Occurring: Hugh, Al & Sheila Clifford, Peter & Mary Muldoon & dec family, Kevin McArdle, Liam Gaynor, Con McGlynn, Kevin & Patsy Tracey, Pat Hegarty, Brigid Lynch, Jack & Annie Hegarty, Patrick & Christina O'Reilly, Matthew, Kathleen & Peggy Reilly, Teresa & Paddy Callaghan & Darragh Smith, Elizabeth & Eugene Martin, deceased members of the Lynch & Martin families, David, Margaret & Kathleen Shields, PJ, Rachel & Charlie Lynch, Ted O'Reilly & dec family, Ricky Carolan, Tom Kieran, Kathleen Carolan, Tom & Monica Barrett & Sheila Lydon.

Muff Vigil 7.30pm: Catherine, Ted, Julia & James Reilly, Anniv. Corlea 9am: Deceased members of the Donohoe family, Anniv. 10.30am: Eamonn Carroll, Months Memory. Jim Carroll, Anniv. Michael, Josephine, Michael John & Berna Droney & Christine Gargan Boyle, Anniv.

12 Noon: Patrick & Kathleen Martin, Anniv.

Thursday 10am: November List of the Dead. Friday 10am: Altar List of the Dead.

Brigid Marshall, nee Rogers, Birragh.

ALL BAPTISMS TAKE PLACE IN Kingscourt.

**The Parish Office** 

of Thanksgiving.

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.

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

7<sup>TH</sup> December 2023 at 8p.m. in The Parish Centre, with Team C. Please note

Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord:

Reborn through Baptism

& The Holy Spirit:

One in the Sacrament of Marriage:

Marriage:

**Giving Sunday:** 

Congratulations to Paul McIntyre and Julianne Meade on their recent marriage. Couples intending marriage in the Diocese of Meath during 2023 must complete an ACCORD pre marriage workshop, <a href="www.accord.ie">www.accord.ie</a>. The final 2023 Dates for the Navan ACCORD Centre are December 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup>.

As is our custom <u>Giving Sunday</u> in support of Saint Vincent de Paul takes place in the parish on the weekend on December 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>. We ask every parishioner attending Mass on that particular weekend to consider bringing a non-perishable item of food along, which will be of concrete support of the Saint Vincent de Paul 2023 Hamper Appeal.

**Corlea School Open Day:** 

Corlea School are holding an Open Day for parents, children and families on this Sunday, and all are welcome.

Supporting the parish:

Plate €1382 Development Fund €2299 Many Thanks.

Supporting Christian Families of the Holy Land:

As mentioned on last weekend our Mass collection on this Sunday will be to support the minority Christian families of the Holy Land and all those hugely affected by the current awful situation there. Your support would be really appreciated. All funds will go in your name to Cardinal Pizzaballa, Latin Patriarch of Jerusalem.

Memorial Stone for Children:

In recent times our Parish Finance Committee and Parish Pastoral Planning team agreed on the erection of permanent <u>Stone of Remembrance</u> for all babies and children who have died and left a footprint in the lives of their parents and families. On this Sunday, following 10.30a.m. Mass we will unveil and bless this memorial stone for all the babies and children interred in our cemetery. We extend a welcome to parents who have lost a child at any time to attend at this simple ceremony.

Triduum of Prayer and Masses:

Our Church in Kingscourt is dedicated to the Immaculate Conception. As is our tradition, we will hold a special Triduum of Prayer and Masses to mark this important feast day as outlined below: Please join us!

All are welcome to attend.

Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> December: Fr. Tony Gonoude, PP, Ballynacargy and Vocations Director for the Diocese of Meath.

Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December: Fr. Fergal Cummins, CC, Tullamore. Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December: Fr. Sebi Tulbure CC, Navan

**Papal Awards:** 

In recent weeks it has been announced that P.J. Fleming, Derek Eakins and Ann Burns are to be conferred with Papal Awards from Pope Francis, marking their outstanding service to the wider church, this parish, and the diocese of Meath. We welcome all who join on this Sunday for this Special Mass on Thanksgiving at 12noon, celebrating this occasion as Ann, PJ and Derek are conferred with their awards.

Christmas Cards and Christmas Mass Cards:

A limited supply of Parish Christmas cards are available. Christmas Mass Bouquet Cards are available from The Parish Office and Parish Repository.

**Feast of Christ the King:** 

Today is the Feast of Christ the King. The bishop will lead Evening Prayer in the Cathedral at 4p.m. All are welcome to attend.

6pm: Aaron Smith, David O'Reilly, Emma Rooney, Lorraine Finnegan, Joan Carolan.

**Ministers for December:** 

10.30am: Lynda Boylan, Gilbert McCarthy, Deborah Morris, Caroline Louth, Peter Carroll.

12Noon: Anthony Farrelly, Barbara Gaynor, Gwynneth Byrne, Mary Owens.

## **Community Notices:**

Please join at the Kingscourt Christmas Craft and Trade Fair in the Community Centre this weekend and entrance is FREE! Youth Prayer gathering in Donore Church A92 FN36 on December 1<sup>st</sup> at 7.30 p.m. Young Adult Retreat in Dalgan Park, Navan on December 2<sup>nd</sup>, call 090 648166. The turning on of the Christmas lights in the town will take place on Friday at 6p.m. George Eogan Memorial Lecture in The Boyne Valley Hotel on December 3<sup>rd</sup> at 3p.m.