

Kingscourt Parish Bulletin



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2nd /3rd December

Saturday 6pm: Altar List of the Dead & 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, Mary & Eddie Fleming.

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.

Tuesday 10am: Brigid, Thomas & Noeleen O'Reilly, Anniv.
Wednesday 10am: Mass

9th /10th December

Saturday 6pm: Tomás McCabe First Anniversary & Sean McCabe, Anniv.
Muff Vigil 7.30pm: Patrick & Elizabeth Tinnelly & deceased family, Anniv.
Corlea 9am: Mass
10.30am: Denise Lennon Hosie, First Anniversary.
12 Noon: Johnny McCullagh, Anniv. John O'Reilly, Anniv. James & Annie McCaul & deceased family, Anniv. Tom Leahy, Anniv. Peadar Kieran, Anniv.

Thursday 10am: Mass.
Friday 10am: Mass.

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.

Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord:

Sr. Marian Finnegan, RSM, Derby, Cathy Gavin, Navan, Sean Sellors, Derby, John Fallon, Loughrea.

Reborn through Baptism & The Holy Spirit:

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 this Thursday 7th December at 8p.m. in The Parish Centre, with Team D. Please note ALL BAPTISMS TAKE PLACE IN Kingscourt.

One in the Sacrament of Marriage:

Congratulations to Michelle McNally and Mark Cahill 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 sick and housebound:

Fr. Gerry will attend the sick and housebound of the parish on Tuesday.

Parish Pastoral Planning:

The Parish Pastoral Planning Team will hold their meeting on Tuesday at 7.30p.m. at The Parish House.

Supporting the parish:

Plate €9253 For the Holy Land. Development Fund €2257 Many thanks.

Christmas Cards, Calendars, and Christmas Mass Bouquet Cards:

Copies of the Parish Calendar 2024 are now available from our churches this weekend. Please take one home or send them to family abroad. A *limited supply of Parish Christmas Cards* are also available. Christmas Mass Bouquet Cards are also available from The Parish Office and The Parish Repository.

Supporting Kingscourt:

Let us Stay local, Support local, and Shop local at Christmas.

<p>Feast of the Immaculate Conception:</p> <p>Home Visitation:</p> <p>New Boards of Management</p> <p>Giving Sunday in our parish:</p> <p>The Parish Repository:</p> <p>Dates for the Diary in December:</p>	<p>Our Church in Kingscourt is dedicated to the Immaculate Conception. As is our custom, the Parish Pastoral Planning team has arranged a special Triduum of Masses at 10am to mark this important feast day this week and all are welcome.</p> <p><u>Wednesday:</u> Fr. Tony Gonoude, PP, Ballynacargy and Vocations Director for the Diocese of Meath.</p> <p><u>Thursday:</u> Fr. Fergal Cummins, CC, Tullamore.</p> <p><u>Friday:</u> Fr. Sebi Telbure, CC, Navan</p> <p><u>Friday is the Feast Day of the Immaculate Conception</u> and a Holy Day. We extend a warm welcome to all parishioners to join with us for this feast day Mass.</p> <p>Fr. Gerry concludes visitation to the homes of Thorndale Park this week.</p> <p>Good wishes to the new boards of management in our four Catholic schools who commence a four-year term this weekend. Thank you for giving of your valuable time and expertise in a totally voluntary capacity for the good of our schools.</p> <p>Next Sunday is <u>Giving Sunday</u> in our parish in support of Saint Vincent de Paul and their National Collection. We are asking all parishioners attending Mass to also bring some nonperishable item of food to assist with families in need this Christmas. Your generosity is appreciated.</p> <p>Our Parish Repository is open after all weekend Masses with a seasonal selection of religious gifts, cards, and candles, all at COST PRICE.</p> <p><u>Dates for the Diary in December:</u></p> <p>4th December: Bethany Bereavement Team Healing evening concludes.</p> <p>5th December: Fr. Gerry will attend the sick and housebound.</p> <p>The Parish Pastoral Planning Team will meet at The Parish House.</p> <p>6th December: Triduum Mass in honour of the feast of the Immaculate Conception at 10a.m.</p> <p>7th December: Triduum Mass in honour of the feast of the Immaculate Conception at 10a.m.</p> <p>Final Baptismal meeting for 2023 in The Parish Centre at 8p.m.</p> <p>8th December: Feast Day Mass of the Immaculate Conception at 10a.m.</p> <p>Bethany Bereavement Team are available in Parish Centre after Mass.</p> <p>9th/10th December: Giving Sunday in support of Saint Vincent de Paul.</p> <p>13th December: Garden Club Meeting in The Parish Centre.</p> <p>16th December: Wedding in Kingscourt.</p> <p>17th December: Babinelli Sunday; Please bring the figure of the child Jesus to the churches for blessing. Brass and Reed Band Cake Sale in The Parish Centre.</p> <p>18th December: Wedding in Kingscourt.</p> <p>20th December: Fr. Gerry will attend the sick and housebound for Christmas.</p> <p>Parish Penitential Service for Christmas in the cluster parish of Drumconrath.</p> <p>24th December: LFM will broadcast Sunday Mass from Kingscourt.</p> <p>24th/25th December: Christmas Mass schedule to be announced.</p> <p>27th December: Wedding in Kingscourt.</p> <p>31st December: Blessing of all children baptised in the parish during 2023 are invited with their parents and families to the 12noon Mass of Thanksgiving for the safe arrival and gift of your child.</p>
<p><u>Community Notices:</u></p>	<p>Congratulations to John and Margaret Carolan, Carrickleck, on their recent Golden Jubilee of marriage. Good wishes to the new officers of Kingscourt Stars with thanks to Colin Higgins for his dedicated five-year tenure as Chairman.</p> <p>Anam Cara meeting for parents in Mullingar Park Hotel on December 13th.</p> <p>Congratulations to Kathleen McKeown on her recent 92nd birthday! Colaiste Dun an Ri hold the Christmas Lights Run on Sunday, December 13th at 4.30p.m. from Kingscourt Community Centre.</p>