

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass Times

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(1st & 3rd Sunday)

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Monday / Thursday /

Friday

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Tuesday / Wednesday

Dysart: Wednesday

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Tubber: Friday

First Friday Masses:

Tubber and Corofin at

9:30am

BLAME GAME

One of the first things any of us is tempted to do when we get into trouble is to blame someone else.

Blaming started as long ago as the Garden of Eden when God asked Adam why he sinned and he blamed Eve. Eve blamed the serpent. The serpent took the hit.

We can all be tempted, but, unless someone is pointing a gun at us, we don't have to act on the temptation. We cause many of our own troubles. As a wise person once put it, "We are all self-made people. Only the successful want to take credit for it."

No, we did not all get the same breaks as far as our family of origin or the economic status we were born into. We didn't pick out our bodies or choose our health. However, we can all choose to be the best that we can be. We cannot let what we don't have be an excuse for not becoming what we might be. Spending our lives blaming someone else is wasting our lives. We need to learn from the past, to let go of the past and to decide we will create our own future.

As someone said of the sin of our first parents, "It wasn't the apple in the tree, but the pair on the ground."

We are always responsible for our choices.

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Please submit items for newsletter
before 1pm on Wednesday

Mass of Anniversaries

July 12th

Rath 9.30am

July 18th

Boston 6.30 pm/ Ruan 8pm

July 19th

Crusheen 9.30am

Corofin 11am

Please contact Imeall Boirne Office
with names of your loved ones for
inclusion in Mass of Anniversaries.

Baptisms

Please contact Imeall Boirne Office
for details. Information available on
www.imeallboirne.ie

Thought for the Week

“Gratitude helps you fall in
love with the life you already
have”.

Kristen Hewitt.

Pope Leo—Angelus Message, St Peter's Square Sunday July 5th

Christ is the only one who can alleviate the burden of our difficulties
and suffering but his love can only be found through humility,

“In slavery, Christ is liberation. Amid the scourge of war, Christ is hope.

In the hour of sin, Christ is forgiveness,” the Pope emphasized.

“This is true wisdom and the path that we wish to walk together, united
as disciples in his name. Jesus teaches us this as the Son, by becoming
our brother. Through the power of the Holy Spirit, he reveals to the
Church the truth about God and about humanity.”

Croagh Patrick: Reek Sunday 26th July.

Mass and Confessions on the summit from 8am to 2pm on the day.

Lough Derg: Killaloe Diocesan Pilgrimage, led by Bishop Fintan, will
take place from Bank Holiday Monday 3rd August to Wednesday 5th
August. €135 covers the bus and Island fee. Booking and payment to the
Ennis Parish Office 065-6824043.

Youth 2000 Summer Festival | 13th–16th August

Calling all young people aged 16–35! Join us at the Youth 2000
Summer Festival in Newbridge College, Co. Kildare. This is a donation-
only event, with free buses available across the country and all meals
included. Expect inspiring talks and workshops, Youth Mass, music,
prayer, and plenty of opportunities to chill out and meet other young
Catholics. Whether you are new to the faith or looking to be refreshed,
all are welcome. To register or find out more, visit youth2000.ie or
follow @Youth2000Ireland."

Diamond Jubilee 75th Corofin Agricultural Show

Saturday July 25th 2026 Bringing together families, farmers, ,
businesses and the wider community in a spirit of tradition and
celebration. A feast of entertainment for all the family.

See <https://corofinnorthclareshow.org/> for more details.

'Sonny Murphy Commemoration 5km Road Race'

The late Michael 'Sonny' Murphy from Ballycashen, Kilnaboy
represented Ireland in the 1932 Olympic Games in Los Angeles. His
story is one of courage and athletic excellence, with a string of national
and international successes and a premature sad ending. The annual
road race in his honour was discontinued during Covid restrictions.
Kilnaboy AC are delighted to announce that the event resumes on
Thursday 23rd July at 7pm .

If you'd like to contribute to the event please contact Marcella Clancy
086-8390942 or Antoinette Meehan 087-7559055

IBAN : IE11 AIBK 9353 8730 1701 94 All contributions will be welcomed
and acknowledged.

Corofin / Kilnaboy / Rath

Sunday 12th July

Rath 9.30am Margaret Houlihan RIP

1st Anniversary

Mass of Anniversaries

Cathal O'Reilly (Knocknacart)

Corofin 11am Mass for the People

Weekday Masses

Corofin: Monday, Thursday & Friday at 9:30am

Adoration of the Eucharist

Corofin each Friday 10:00 am - 5 pm

Sunday 19th July

Kilnaboy 9.30am Mass for the People

Corofin 11am Mass of Anniversaries

Patrick Meere, Johnny & Mary Bane,

Anette, Nigel & Paschal Bane,

Kathleen Cahill (Ballyporty)

Jack Cahill (Ballyporty)

John Fitzpatrick (Grawn) Michael Beakey.

James, Kathleen & Mary Kelly,

Teresa Hayes née Kelly (Scoole)

Seisiún Music, Song & Dance in Teach Ceoil on
Thursday nights at 9pm. Cupán tae at the break.

Crusheen / Ballinruan

Friday 10th July

Crusheen 8pm Michael John O'Reilly RIP

Month's Mind Mass

Sunday 12th July

Crusheen 9.30am Mass for the People

Weekday Masses

Crusheen Tuesday & Wednesday 9.30am

Adoration of the Eucharist

Crusheen Thurs 10:00am to 8:00pm

Friday 17th July

Crusheen 8pm Pat Fogarty RIP

First Anniversary Mass

Sunday 19th July

Crusheen 9.30am Mass of Anniversaries

John Lyons, Michael Craven (Carrowkeal)

Jack & Ethel O'Dea (Ballyogan)

Bernie & Patrick Barry

& Deceased Family members (Caherphuca)

James Barry (Cloonen)

Mick O'Donnell (Gortaficka)

Crusheen Garda Station open hours:

14th July 12pm – 3pm 22nd July 3pm – 6pm 29th
July 12pm – 3pm

Outdoor Masses During the Summer

July 24th St Blathmhac's, Rath 7pm

August 15th Holy Well, Tubber (Evening)

September 5th St Brigid's Well, Crusheen 3pm



Tubber / Boston

Saturday 11th July

Boston 6.30pm Mass for the People

Weekday Mass

Tubber Friday 9.30am

Adoration of the Eucharist

Tubber Tuesday 7pm - 8pm

Saturday 18th July

Boston 6.30pm Mass of Anniversaries

Eugene Earley,

Matthew & Catherine Waters (Skahard)

Kieran Mullins

Ruan / Dysart

Saturday 11th July

Ruan 8pm Des Whelan RIP

Month's Mind Mass

Ann Whelan (Anniversary)

Morning Masses

Dysart Wednesday at 9.30am

Ruan Thursday 9.30am

Adoration of the Eucharist

Dysart - Wednesday from 10:00am to 1 pm

Ruan - Wednesday from 3:00 pm to 7:00 pm

Saturday 18th July

Ruan 8pm Mass of Anniversaries

Dolores Courtney, Joan Lynch, Mary Lynch,

Pat & Bridget O'Loughlin (Kells)

Paul Meaney, Maud Hynes, Michael Hynes.

Thank-you for your recent
donations and continued support.

Rest in Peace

Rita Burke (Corofin)

Tom Hehir (Fountain)



Gone no further than God and God is very near

Today's Scripture Readings

Entrance Antiphon

**As for me, in justice I shall behold your face;
I shall be filled with the vision of your glory.**

PENITENTIAL RITE

P. Have mercy on us, O Lord

C. **For we have sinned against you.**

P. Show us, O Lord, your mercy.

C. **And grant us your salvation.**

P. May almighty God have mercy on us,
forgive us our sins, and bring us to
everlasting life.

C. **Amen**

GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth
peace to people of good will. We praise you,
we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord
God, heavenly King, God, almighty Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us;

you take away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer;

you are seated at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One,

you alone are the Lord,

you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the
Father. **Amen.**

A reading from the book of the prophet Isaiah.

Is 55:10-11

Thus says the Lord:

"As the rain and the snow come down from the
heavens, and do not return without watering
the earth, making it yield and giving growth to
provide seed for the sower and bread for the
eating, so the word that goes from my mouth
does not return to me empty, without carrying
out my will and succeeding in what it was sent
to do."

The word of the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm

**Response: Some seed fell into rich soil;
And produced it's crop.**

You care for the earth, give it water,
you fill it with riches.

Your river in heaven brims over
to provide its grain. **R.**

And thus you provide for the earth;

You drench its furrows,

You level it, soften it with showers,

You bless its growth. **R.**

You crown the year with your goodness.

Abundance flows in your steps,

In the pastures of the wilderness its flows. **R**

The hill are girded with joy,

The meadows covered with flocks,

The valleys are decked with wheat.

They shout for joy, yes, they sing. **R.**

A reading from the letter of Paul to the Romans.

Rm 8:18-23

I think that what we suffer in this life can
never be compared to the glory, as yet
unrevealed, which is waiting for us.

The whole creation is eagerly waiting
for God to reveal his sons. It was not for
any fault on the part of creation that it was
made unable to attain its purpose, it was
made so by God; but creation still retains
the hope of being freed, like us, from its
slavery to decadence, to enjoy the same
freedom and glory as the children of God.
From the beginning till now the entire crea-
tion, as we know, has been groaning in
one great act of giving birth; and not only
creation, but all of us who possess the first
– fruits of the Spirit, we too groan inwardly
as we wait for our bodies to be set free.

The word of the Lord.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, Alleluia!

The seed is the word of God,

Christ is the sower;

Whoever finds this seed will remain
forever

Alleluia!

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew.

Mt 13:1-23

Jesus left the house and sat by the
lakeside, but such crowds gathered around
him that he got into a boat and sat there.
The people all stood on the beach, and he
told them many things in parables.

He said, "Imagine a sower going out to
sow. As he sowed, some seeds fell on the
edge of the path, and the birds came and
ate them up.

Other fell on patches of rock, where they
found little soil, and sprang up straight
away, since they had no depth of earth; but
as soon as the sun came up, they were
scorched and, not having any roots, they
withered away.

Others fell among thorns, and the thorns
grew up and choked them.

Others fell on rich soil and produced their
crop, some a hundredfold, some sixty,
some thirty.

Listen, anyone who has ears!"

The Gospel of the Lord

PROFESSION OF FAITH

I believe in one God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth, of all things
visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.

God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God, begotten, not
made, consubstantial with the Father;

through him all things were made.

For us men and for our salvation

he came down from heaven, and by the
Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin
Mary, and became man. For our sake he
was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suf-
fered death and was buried, and rose again
on the third day In accordance with the
Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and
is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the
living and the dead and his kingdom will
have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the
giver of life, who proceeds from the Father
and the Son, who with the Father and the
Son is adored and glorified, who has spo-
ken through the prophets.

I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic
Church. I confess one Baptism for the for-
giveness of sins and I look forward to the
resurrection of the dead and the life of the
world to come.

Amen.

Communion Antiphon

**The sparrow finds a home,
and the swallow a nest for her young:
by your altars, O Lord of hosts,
my King and my God.**

**Blessed are they who dwell in your
house, for ever singing your praise.**