# Ballymurphy...BORRIS...Rathanna 10th April 2022 Year C Palm Sunday

# Holy Week 2022

Monday 11th Chrism Mass Carlow Cathedral 7.30pm

**Tuesday 12th** No Mass

Wednesday 13th Mass 10.00am

Penitential Service 7.30pm Borris

Holy Thursday 14th Mass of the Lords Supper

7.30pm Borris

**Good Friday 15th** Celebration of the Lord's Passion

3.00pm Borris

**Stations of the Cross Borris 7.30pm** 

Holy Saturday 16th Easter Vigil Borris 7.30pm

Easter Sunday17th Rathanna 9.30am

Borris 11.00am

Due to changes in my own health and the falling number of clergy mass for Easter Sunday cannot be celebrated in all three churches on the day itself. This year mass will be celebrated in Rathanna & Borris and alternate next year to be celebrated in Ballymurphy & Borris. Fr. Rory



Open Monday, Wednesday & Friday 9am to 2pm



Borris Parish Email: borrisparish@gmail.com Phone: 059 977 3128

# With Love We Remember ...

Saturday 9th & Sunday 10th April

Ballymurphy Anniversary Mass
Moira Murphy Tinnecarrig

Rathanna: Anniversary Mass
Patrick Doran Knockroe

Borris: First Anniversary Mass
Martin Lennon & Jo Lennon

We also pray for:

Charlie Kavanagh Knocksquire

#### Francis O'Brien Bog Lane 1st Anniversary

Bridie Doran Ballyphenan Tommy Burke Killedmond Mary Byrne Knockmore Mary Keating Ballyphenan

Anniversary Masses this Week

Wednesday 13th April: Pat Kehoe Kilcoltrim Thursday 14th April: Mary Byrne Knockmore Friday 15th April: GOOD FRIDAY

May they see God and live forever...

## Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You.

Amen.

#### Holy Week

Holy Week is most definitely a very sacred time of the year, for it is now that we will commemorate and remember the last week of Jesus' life on this earth. These are the days leading up to the great Easter Feast. The Lenten season of sacrifice and self-denial is about to come to an end, but this coming week is extremely important for all Christians. The greatest focus of the week is the Passion (suffering) and Resurrection of Jesus Christ and the events that led up to it.

May it be a truly holy and blessed for us all.

#### Palm Sunday

The story of Palm Sunday tells of how people removed their cloaks and spread them out in front of Jesus as he entered Jerusalem.

The cloak we wear every day to face the world is both the persona we wish to present, and our defence against the elements.

As we come to worship may we be willing to lay down our defences and disguises, at the feet of the One who sees us as we really are.

And then, set free for worship, may we offer our praises with open hearts and lives.

Ann Siddall

## Chrism Mass 2022

Bishop Denis will celebrate the Chrism Mass in the Cathedral of the Assumption, Carlow, on Monday, April 11 at 7:30 pm. During this Mass, the oils for use in the celebration of sacraments in the coming year will be blessed and consecrated, and the priests of the diocese will renew their priestly promises. People are welcome to come to the Cathedral for this Diocesan celebration.

# Safeguarding

If you are concerned about the welfare & safety of children or vulnerable adults contact the

Director of Safeguarding Ms. Kathleen Sherry Mob: 085-8021633,

email safeguarding@kandle.ie

# Prayer for Ukraine

God of peace and justice We pray for the people of Ukraine today.

We pray for peace and the laying down of weapons
We for all those who fear for tomorrow, that your spirit of comfort draw near to them.
We pray for those with power over war and peace,
For wisdom, discernment and compassion to guide their decisions.

Above all, we pray for all your precious children at risk that you would hold and protect them.

We pray in the name of Jesus, the Prince of Peace.



Archbishop Justin Welby Archbishop Stephen Cottrell

# The Matt Talbot Prayer Society

Prays daily for those with addictions. You can enrol somebody to be prayed for each day as well as at the monthly Mass which takes place in a number of Cathedrals in Ireland. The **monthly Mass** takes place on the **First Monday of each month** at 7:30pm In St Eugene's Cathedral Derry, SS Peter and Paul, Ennis, St Patricks Cathedral Armagh, **Carlow Cathedral (10am)** and Our Lady Of Lourdes, Sean Mc Dermot Street where Matt Talbots Body lays. The Next Mass is on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> April and we welcome everybody to join us at these Masses in person or online. For more information, please visit www.matttalbotprayersociety.com

# Support Helplines

**Alone:** Monday to Friday, 8 a.m. - 8 p.m., **081 822 2024**.

Third Age Ireland: Free Phone 1800 80 45 91 10am and 10pm on any day of the week.

Childline: Free Phone 1 800 66 66 66

#### Barnardos:

Monday to Friday 10.00am to 2pm Free Phone 1 800 91 01 23

www.mentalhealthireland.ie www.youth.ie www.hse.ie Women's Aid: 1800 341 900 Men's Aid: 01 554 3811

**Samaritans Helpline Free Phone 116 123** 

#### Mass Times

Ballymurphy-Borris-Rathanna

**Weekday Masses** 

Monday Tuesday No Mass No Mass

Wednesday 10am Thursday 10am Friday 7.30pm



#### **Sunday Masses**

7.30pm Ballymurphy (Saturday evening) 9.30am Rathanna 11.00am Borris

### Prayer to our Blessed Mother

Take my hand, O Blessed Mother, hold me firmly lest I fall. I am nervous when I'm walking and to thee I humbly call.

Guide me over every crossing, watch me when I'm on the stairs, let me know you are beside me, listen to my fervent prayers.

Bring me to my destination safely, every single day. Help me with each undertaking, as the hours go on their way.

And when evening falls upon me, and I fear to be alone, take my hand, O Blessed Mother, once again and lead me home.

Amen

# Contribution to Parish

I want to thank you most sincerely for your continued financial support of our churches and parish. Contributions can be made in 3 ways.

> Directly, by dropping your donation into the Parish Centre

By donating via the donation link on our website.

Bank transfer directly to:

Name of A/C: Borris Parish Current Account:

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AGAIN THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR YOUR SUPPORT Fr Rory

# SERENITY

Serenity Prayer

God grant me the serenity to accept the things I cannot change; courage to change the things I can; and wisdom to know the difference.