

Priests of the Parish:

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Weekday Masses:

Caherconlish 9.30am- Caherline 10am

Saturday Vigil Mass:

Caherconlish 6.30pm.

Sunday Masses:

Caherline 10am-Caherconlish 11am

Caherconlish Sacristan:

Mr. Pa O'Connell, High Street.

Caherline Sacristan:

Mr. Johnny O'Donnell: (087) 7582354

Marriage:

Contact Fr. Roy Donovan P.P.:

A minimum of 3 months notice is required.

Adoration: Caherline:

Tuesday after 10am Mass until 11.30am.

Caherconlish:

Adoration takes place each weekday after

9.30am Mass until 11am.

Parish Pastoral Website: www.ccpp.ie

Do This in Memory Communion Mass with our young Musicians,

Sunday 2nd April, 10am in Caherline Church. (note change of date)

Saturday 29th April at 6.30pm Vigil Mass in Caherconlish Church.

The Sacrament of First Holy Communion takes place:

Caherline Communion Day: Saturday 13th May at 11am.

Caherconlish Communion Day: Saturday 20th May at 11am.

Thank you to the parishioners who have committed themselves to praying for a First Communion Child every day until Communion Day.

Second National Collection for the World Meeting of Families 2018.

Pope Francis has personally chosen Dublin to be the host diocese for the World Meeting of Families from 21st-26th August 2018. Planning for this

great national and international celebration of faith is well underway. Hosting this important event requires an enormous amount of planning and funding.

In this regard a second national collection will be held the **weekend of 1st and 2nd April 2017.** Your support would be greatly appreciated. This collection will be taken up after communion.



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The Message of Easter.

Pope Francis has said "At Easter time the Church throughout the world echoes the angel's message to the women: ***"Do not be afraid! I know that you are looking for Jesus who was crucified. He is not here; for he has been raised..... Come, see the place where he lay"*** (Mt. 28:5-6).

This is the culmination of the Gospel, it is the Good News:

Jesus, who was crucified, is risen! This event is the basis of our faith and our hope. Christ is risen! It is the foundation of Christianity. If Christ had not risen, Christianity would lose its very meaning.

The message which Christians bring to the world is this: Jesus Love incarnate, died on the cross for our sins, but God the Father raised him and made him the Lord of life and death. In Jesus, love has triumphed over hatred, mercy over sinfulness, goodness over evil, truth over falsehood, life over death.

That is why we tell everyone: ***"Come and see"*** the Good News is no mere matter of words, but ***a testimony to unconditional and faithful love:*** It is about leaving ourselves behind and helping others, being close to those crushed by life's troubles, sharing with the needy, standing at the side of the sick, elderly and the outcast...

"Come and see!" Love is more powerful, love gives life, love makes hope blossom in the wilderness.

With this joyful certainty in our hearts, today we turn to you risen Lord, we pray for all the people on this earth; you who have conquered death, grant us your life, grant us your peace!

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Palm/Passion Sunday 9th April- Palms blessed at all Masses.

HOLY WEEK CEREMONIES.

Great Easter Triduum 13th/14th/15th April. (All three Ceremonies form one Event.)

HOLY THURSDAY 13th April - Feast of the Last Supper.

Caherconlish 7.30pm with Adult Choir - Caherline 7.30pm.

GOOD FRIDAY 14TH April. - **The Lord's Passion** 3pm in Caherconlish with Organ Music, - 3pm in Caherline.

GOOD FRIDAY STATIONS OF THE CROSS 7.30pm in Caherline and Caherconlish. **Collection for the Holy Places taken up at all today's ceremonies.**

HOLY SATURDAY GREAT EASTER VIGIL 15th APRIL.

7.30pm Caherconlish with Adult Choir. (No 6.30pm Mass)

This is the greatest and most important night of the Church's year.

EASTER SUNDAY/ FEAST OF THE RESURRECTION 16th APRIL.

Mass Caherline 10am - **Mass Caherconlish 11am.**

Easter gives us new hope and a renewed sense of life. Jesus is risen,-

I am alive and I have a future. Alleluia! May the Spirit of Easter renew us and keep us going. Happy Easter to everybody.

"The Light is still on for you"- Sacrament of Forgiveness/Confessions

will be held after ceremonies on Holy Thursday & Good Friday, Holy Saturday 12pm in Caherconlish & 1pm in Caherline.

Emigrants Collection to Support Vulnerable Irish Overseas.

This collection will be taken up on weekend of 29/30th April.

The Irish Episcopal Council for Emigrants (IECE) was founded in 1957 and is the response of the Irish Bishop's Conference to the needs of emigrants prior to and following departure. It is particularly committed to the needs of the vulnerable involuntary emigrant. It strives to be a significant voice on behalf of emigrants, creating awareness of their needs at home and abroad. This collection will be taken up after communion.

ANNIVERSARY MASSES FOR APRIL 2017

CAHERCONLISH:

Sunday 2nd

Pat Halvey, Doonvullen.

Saturday 8th

Michael and Mary O'Shaughnessy, Castle-erkin.

Saturday 15th

Mary Lyons and her son Gerard, Hillview Drive.

Saturday 22nd

Bertie, Mary, Austin, Pat and Donie Creamer, Newtown.

Sunday 23rd

Michael and Ellen Murnane, 100 Acres East, Tommy Deere, Tobermalug.

Saturday 29th

Michael Ryan, High Street, Marion O'Connell, Hillview Drive.

Sunday 30th

Henry O'Grady and Donor, Ballyhobin.

Friday 5th May

Eamonn Lunn, Pust, **Mass at 9.30am.**

CAHERLINE:

Sunday 2nd

Paddy and Nora Kelly, Rockfarm.

Friday 7th

Kay McCarthy, Ballyvourneen,

Mass at 8pm.

Sunday 9th

Michael Leonard, Clashbane.

Sunday 16th

John and Kathleen Hogan, Ballybrood.

Sunday 23rd

Tommy Hourigan, Caherline.

Sunday 30th

Johanna, (Josie) Tierney, Knockroe-Wilson, Newtown.

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE.

CAHERCONLISH-CAHERLINE PARISH ENVELOPES

Special Purple Envelope (1) for Diocesan Needs: Collection taken up on weekend of March 25th/26th. We thank all who have contributed. Contributions still welcome.

Trócaire Collection Lenten Box: Lent is coming to an end so gather up your Trocaire boxes and return them to the Church as soon as possible. Please wrap the boxes up well, or change the coin into notes if possible; it would be very much appreciated. Thank you.

