

Easter Commemorations 2020



ANTRIM

Easter Sunday, wreath-laying ceremony, Republican Plot, Milltown Cemetery, Belfast, 12 noon.

ARMAGH

Holy Saturday, Lurgan, Holy Saturday, wreath-laying ceremony, St Colman's Cemetery, 1pm.
Armagh city, Details in April SAOIRSE.

CARLOW

Details in April SAOIRSE.

FERMANAGH/CAVAN

Easter Sunday, commemoration, Roslea Cemetery, Fermanagh, 2.30pm.
Other wreath-laying ceremonies throughout the counties organised locally.

CLARE

Easter Sunday, Wreaths will be laid at the Manchester Martyrs Monument and the famine Monument in Kilrush and at the grave of Connaught Ranger Joseph Hawes; in Kilmurry McMahon at the grave of Martin Calligan; in Doonbeg Cemetery in honour of Capt Michael McNamara, Comdt Willie Shanahan and Vol Patrick O'Dea and Kilmihill Cemetery at the grave of Seán Breen.

CORK

Easter Sunday, wreath-laying at Republican Plot, St Finbarr's Cemetery, Cork.

DERRY

Easter Sunday, wreath-laying ceremony, Cúchulainn Memorial, City Cemetery, Derry City, 12 noon.

Wreath-laying ceremonies at the following on Easter Sunday morning: The Loup Cemetery, 9am, at the grave of Brigadier Seán Larkin; and the grave of Tommy Toner in Dungiven, 10.15am at the

graves of Vols Kealy, O'Carolan and Kilmartin and hunger striker Kevin Lynch.

DONEGAL

Wreath-laying ceremonies at Doneyloup, Castlefin, Clady Bridge will take place over the Easter weekend.

Drumboe, Easter Sunday, assemble Old Fire Station, Stranorlar for march to the Drumboe Martyrs Memorial, 2.15pm.

DOWN

Easter Sunday 10.30am, Assemble St. Mary's Cemetery, Newry for wreath-laying ceremony.

DUBLIN

Easter Sunday, laying of wreath and the reading of the 1916 Proclamation at the Éamonn Ceannt Monument, Sundrive Park, Crumlin at 12 noon, followed by commemoration at Deansgrange Cemetery, 1pm.

Easter Monday, commemoration, assemble GPO, O'Connell Street, Dublin, 2pm.

GALWAY

Good Friday, wreath-laying ceremony at the Workhouse, Tuam, 5pm.

Holy Saturday, wreath-laying ceremony, Kilcummin Cemetery, Oughterard, 7pm.

Easter Sunday, commemoration Republican Plot, Donaghpatrick, Headford, assemble at cemetery, 3pm.

KERRY

Holy Saturday, wreath-laying ceremony, Republican Plot, Castleisland Cemetery.

Easter Sunday, Cahersiveen, assemble 2.30pm at the Monument, The Square.

Tralee, Easter Sunday, assemble at Denny Street at 2pm for parade to Republican Plot, Rath Cemetery.

Easter Sunday, Killarney, wreath-laying ceremony at Republican Monument.

Easter Monday, Republican Plot, Listowel, wreath-laying ceremony, assemble at graveyard gates, 2.30pm.

Wreaths will be laid at Republican graves throughout the country.

KILDARE

Details in April SAOIRSE.

KILKENNY

Holy Saturday, Wreath-laying ceremony, Rathciaran, Mooncoin.

LEITRIM

Holy Saturday, details in April SAOIRSE.

LIMERICK

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LONDON

Easter Monday, Hendon Cemetery, Holders Hill Road, Hendon at the grave of Paddy Hartigan.

Meet at main gate 1pm.

LONGFORD

Easter Sunday, commemoration at the grave of John Maughan, Newtownforbes, 3pm.

LOUTH

Wreath-laying ceremony at the Republican Plot, St Patrick's Cemetery, Dundalk.

MAYO

Kilkelly, Easter Monday, 12 noon, assemble at Church gate and parade to East Mayo Brigade Memorial on main Sligo-Galway Road.

MEATH

Easter Sunday. wreath-laying ceremony at grave of Vol George McDermott, Ardbracken, 2pm.

MONAGHAN

Easter Sunday, Urbleshanny Cemetery, Scotstown, at grave of Vol Seamus McElwaine, 2pm.

NEW YORK

The National Irish Freedom Committee will commence its 2020 Easter Commemoration on Sunday, April 26 at the grave of NIFC co-founder and unrepentant Fenian, Joe Stynes, in Woodlawn Cemetery, Webster Ave. and 233rd Street, Bronx, NY 10470, at 9.30 am (grave location: Rose Hill Plot, North Border Rd., corner of Elder Ave.). Family and friends are welcome.

This year's theme is The Government of Ireland Act of 1920 which resulted in the partition of Ireland and the imposition of separate parliaments for Dublin and Belfast.

An Irish brunch buffet will follow at 10:30 at Keane's Bar and Restaurant, 4340 Katonah Avenue, Bronx, NY 10470. Keane's is less than ½ mile from the cemetery. Tickets are \$25 and are available at the door. Children under 14 are free.

At Keane's we will present the 2020 Michael and Pearl Flannery Spirit of Freedom Award to Lynn Stynes for carrying on the ideals of her father, NIFC co-founder and Co. Kildare native, Joe Stynes.

All are welcome to join NIFC at the restaurant for good food and fellowship.

For more information, contact Jane at 718-683-6903/enrightnyc@gmail.com or Maggie at 845-492-7198/nymayo@earthlink.net.

OFFALY

Wreath-laying ceremonies throughout the county.

ROSCOMMON

Easter Sunday, the Co Roscommon IRA Commemoration Committee will hold their annual ceremony at the grave of Vol John Conroy in Ballinderry Cemetery, Fourmilehouse. John Conroy was shot by RIC/Black and Tan forces a hundred years ago in November 1920.

Parade will assemble on Cloonboney road and march to cemetery lead by Colour Party and Raheen Pipe Band. Wreath-laying will take place, Easter Proclamation will be read, Roscommon Roll of Honour will be called out; lament will be played as flags are dipped and Easter Statement from Republican Movement will be read. An oration will be delivered and ceremony will end with the National Anthem played by Raheen Pipe band.

SLIGO

Easter Sunday, wreath-laying ceremony at Republican Plot, Sligo Cemetery.

TIPPERARY

Easter Sunday, commemoration, Hunger Strike Memorial, Banba Square, Nenagh, 10am.
Easter Sunday, wreath-laying ceremonies at the graves of Joe Mangan and on the Old Barrack Wall to four Republicans who were shot in front of a Free State firing-squad on the January 15, 1923, Frederick Burke, Ileigh, Martin O'Shea, Borrisoleigh, Pat Russell, Thurles, and Patrick McNamara, Ballina.

TYRONE

Holy Saturday, 6pm, wreath-laying ceremony, Carrickmore.

WATERFORD

Details in April SAOIRSE.

WESTMEATH

Good Friday, Meedin cemetery, Tyrellspass, 7pm. Commemoration and wreath-laying ceremony at grave of Vol Patrick Seery, 100th anniversary year and Vol Paddy Geraghty, executed 1923.
Wreath-laying ceremonies will be held in other areas throughout the county.

WEXFORD

Easter Sunday, 11am, wreath-laying ceremony in Crosstown Cemetery at the Republican Plot, 10am.
3pm, assemble at Old Dunne's car Park, Crescent Quay, Wexford for march to the Republican Garden of Remembrance, Hill Street for commemoration.
Social in Mary's Bar afterwards.

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