

ST CANICE'S PARISH
Sunday 6/10/2024

Praying for those who have died

Recently Deceased

Sean McGree, Cahir, brother of Jinny McGree, Riverside Drive
Michael Byrne, St. Fiacre's Gardens, Loughboy

Anniversaries

Sat 7.30pm Liam Donegan
Sun 10am
Sun 11.30am John O'Donnell (Months Mind)
Mon 9.30am Liturgy of the Word and Communion
Tues 9.30am Tom and Julia Gibbons
Wed 9.30am Mary Griffith and Nancy Heneghan
Fri 9.30am Jimmy Wyley

We also remember

Elizabeth Connick, Séamus Connick, Edward Costigan, Patrick Cuddihy Snr,
Ian Jackman, Caroline O'Reilly

Next Weekend

Sat 7.30pm Rory Brady
Sun 10am Ned and Anna Brennan, their daughters Anna and Mary and their son Eamon.
Sandra Keane
Sun 11.30am Felix Nolan (Months Mind) Andy Phelan, Bridget and Jim Hogan, Donal Walsh

Sunday Collection

Sunday 29th Sept the collection amounted to €1350

Thank you for your generosity. We also have the Donate button on the website for those of you who wish to contribute online.

October Stations

The October envelopes are ready for collection at the Parish Centre by the distributors. The ladies and gentlemen who deliver these envelopes do an amazing job, We appreciate your help and commitment to our Parish and your support of the priest.

First Saturdays Conference

There will be a special First Saturdays Conference on Saturday, October 12th (10am to 4pm) in the Firgrove Hotel in Mitchelstown. Sr Lucia of Fatima explained the importance of this devotion by saying that whether there is peace or war in the world depends on the practise of this devotion. We sure live in very turbulent and troubled times. There will be Mass and four speakers: Dr Katrina Layden, Fr Jaimie Twohig, Christine O'Hara and Fr Marius O'Reilly. We will also pray the Rosary, and do the 15 minute meditation together. Bring your own lunch or eat in the hotel carvery. For more details see firstsaturdays.ie

A Meeting to launch the campaign and manifesto for Tom Healy an independent prolife candidate in the forthcoming general election will take place **at 8pm on Wednesday 9th October** in St Canice's Neighbourhood Hall at Butts Green

Mass Times

Mon-Fri 9.30am Sat Vigil Mass 7.30pm- Sun 10am and 11.30am

All Masses are livestreamed on the Parish Webcam www.stcanicesparish.ie and broadcast on the Parish radio (108FM.). The 10am Mass on Sundays will also be broadcast live from St. Canice's on Community Radio Kilkenny City (88.7FM)

ABIDE in His Love Women's Conference, 15th-17th November 2024

The Great Northern Hotel, Bundoran, Co. Donegal. Join us for an inspiring weekend with guest speakers including Lisa Cotter (Denver, Colorado), the Nashville Dominican Sisters, Fr. Barry Braum (London), Kathleen Nichols & Celine Kelly (Magdala, Israel), Bishop Kevin Doran (Elphin), Catherine DiNuzzo (Kansas), and Fr. Joseph Mary Deane, CFR, among others. This conference will celebrate the *beauty and dignity of women in the Church and the world today*. It offers a wonderful opportunity to come together, form new friendships, be uplifted by powerful talks, and experience the transformative presence of Christ in the Eucharist. We encourage you to invite a family member or friend to join you. To register, visit Eventbrite.ie and search for "Abide in His Love." Further information, including accommodation details, will be sent via email upon registration.

St. Mary's Cathedral Café is now open every Saturday and Sunday from 10am to 4pm, offering a welcoming space for the community and visitors alike. Whether you're in Kilkenny for a stroll or a visit, we invite you to stop by and enjoy a relaxing time at our café. All profits from the café support the vital work of Teac Tom, providing suicide prevention and mental health services. Your visit not only nourishes the soul but also helps make a difference in the lives of those in need. www.facebook.com/stmaryscathedralcafe

Pope calls for Monday October 7th to be day of Prayer and Fasting for Peace

Pope Francis has called for a day of prayer and fasting for peace on October 7th the one-year anniversary of the outbreak of the Israel-Hamas war.

"In this dramatic hour of our history," the Pope said, "while the winds of war and the fires of violence continue to devastate entire peoples and nations," the Christian community is reminded of its call to "put itself at the service of humanity."

Pope Francis will visit the Basilica of Saint Mary Major on October 6, the day before the anniversary, where, he said, he will "address a heartfelt petition to the Virgin" for peace.

"Let us walk together," the Pope urged. "Let us listen to the Lord. And let us be led by the breeze of the Spirit."

There will be a Rosary for Peace after the Liturgy of the Word on Monday morning in St. Canice's Church and we ask as many people as possible to attend or to visit the Church and spend some time in quiet prayer for peace throughout the day.

The Rosary will be recited in St. John's Church at noon and 3.00pm and there will be a special Mass for Peace at 6.00pm.