

ST CANICE'S PARISH
Sunday 30th June 2024

Praying for those who have died

Recently Deceased

Bridget Coyne Palmerstown
Gabriel Teehan, Aylesbury
Marie Dowling, Fr. Murphy Square
Mary Sheedy, Parcnagowan
Maud Nolan, Newpark
Dennis Clowry, Ossory Park

Anniversaries

Sat 7.30pm Kitty Phelan (Anniv), Pat Dalton (Months Mind)

Sun 10am Margaret Geraghty (1st Anniv) Peggy Murphy

Sun 11.30am Ann Coyne (1st Anniv)

Mon 9.30am Liturgy of the Word and Communion

Tues 9.30am Peter MacEaney Snr and Peter MacEaney Jnr.

We also remember John Fitzgerald, Bridget Marrinan, Eileen Murtagh, Josephine Phelan, Josephine and Paul Ryan.

Next Weekend

Sat 7.30pm Eileen Murtagh (1st Anniv), Brendan Lawless

Sun 10am George Edayal

Sun 11.30am Larry Campbell (Months Mind)

Sunday Collection

Sunday 23rd June the collection amounted to €1082

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

Tea Dance

St Canice's Neighbourhood Hall invites you to our Summer Afternoon Tea Dance on Wednesday 10th July from 2 pm – 5pm. . Music by Sean Shortis

RSVP please to Jenny on 087 954 6368 jenny.cooke@frmgrathcentre.ie

Afternoon Tea dances in the Neighbourhood Hall for the senior members of the community. A Raffle will be held at each event

Members of the South Kilkenny Historical Society will join locals and others, on Sun July 14th, for the annual climb of Tory Hill on Fraochan Sunday.

This ancient tradition pre-dates Christianity and is associated with the ancient festival of Lughanasa. John Dwyer, who has written extensively on Pilgrim Paths of Ireland, will give a talk, on the summit, on the traditions associated with Fraochan Sunday . Mass will be celebrated, by the Bishop of Ossory Dr. Niall Coll, at 3.30pm

Cemetery Mass

Thornback Cemetery Mass is next Friday 5th July at 7.30pm

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 (88.7)

Providing compassionate care at the end of life

To address the sensitive issue of compassionate care at the end of life, and in response to the need to inform the faithful of Catholic teaching on this important life issue that affects so many families, the Bishops of Ireland have published the pastoral letter: Freedom to Live Fully, Until Death Comes. You are invited to read this letter and view the accompanying video Through the Valley, which offers personal testimonies by carers and people with terminal illness. The key message of both letter and video asserts that every person possesses inherent, infinite dignity that remains intact regardless of their circumstances. In this context, bishops strongly oppose the Oireachtas Committee's proposal to Government to legislate for assisted suicide, and call on support for healthcare workers who uphold the sanctity of life. To read Freedom to Live Fully, Until Death Comes and to watch Through the Valley, visit the following link:

<https://www.catholicbishops.ie/2024/06/24/bishops-statement-on-end-of-life-care-freedom-to-live-fully-until-death-comes/>

Mayfair Library Events

Dawn of the Devil; Author Talk with Maeve Callan-Tues July 2nd @ 6.30pm

Family Fun Game Show-Thurs July 4th @ 6pm

Creative Characters with Storyteller Helena Byrne (age 4+) -Thurs July 18th @ 6pm

All events are free, but booking is required

Tel 056 7794174 Email: mayfair@kilkennylibrary.ie

Please come and support the March for Life which will take place in Dublin on Saturday, July 6th, leaving Parnell Square at 1.30pm and walking down O'Connell Street and the Quays. We need to show the world how much we care

Our Lady of Fatima

First Saturday Devotions at the Black Abbey Sat 6th July at 10am (including) Anointing of the Sick during Mass.

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Secretary: Ms Mgt Logue – Sacristan: Ailish Brennan c/o Parish Centre

Safeguarding Reps: Caroline Cummins and Edmond Nolan c/o The Parish Centre

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