ST CANICE'S PARISH NEWSLETTER 10TH FEBRUARY 2019



Praying for those who have died

Recently Deceased:

Claire O'Neill, Connolly Street Joe Dowling, Troyswood.

Kitty Couronne, (Nee Wemyss) late of Sion Road who died in England

Anniversaries

Sat 7.30pm Elizabeth Fennelly (Months Mind)

Sun 10.30am Ann Kenny

Thurs 9.15am Emmanuel George

We also remember:

Joseph Barry, Thomas Cody, Mary Corbally, Seamus Connolly, John Delaney,

Next Weekend

Sat 7.50pm Celia Rafter

Sun 9.30am Daniel O'Connell (Months Mind)

Sun 10.30am John Prendergast

Sun 11.30am Catherine Murphy & her daughter Noeleen Dunphy

Ministers 17th February 2019 (follow your Rota)

Readers

7.30pm Breda Donohue, Sr. Teresa Byrne 9.30am Sile Moore, Catherine Wyse 10. 3am Tomas & Margaret Turley 11.30am Anne Phelan, Nina Rebi

Eucharistic Ministers

7.30pm Sr. Moria McMahon, Sr. Mgt Mary, Noreen Brennan 9.30am Michael and Aine O'Caoimb 10.30am Mary Morrissey, Noel and Mary Deevy 11.30am Sr. Nina Murphy, Ailish Brennan, Eilish Delehanty

Sunday Collection amounted to €1,041. Thank You for all your support.

Ossory Lourdes Pilgrimage

May 21st – May 26th incl. Price: €790 per person sharing incl. bus to/from airport Contact Glenmore Parish Office on 051-880414

Parish Co operation

From the beginning of March the priests of St. Canice's and St. Mary's will rotate celebrating the Masses on the first Sunday of every month. We welcome our colleague Father Richard Scriven to ministry in the City and we pledge to cooperate and help him out in every way we can.

St. Vincent de Paul Society February Collection will be taken up at all Masses next weekend 16/17th February. Thanking you for your continued support. **Kilkenny Flower Club's** meetings will be held in Springhill Court Hotel in future. Demonstration by Angela Beehan O'Carroll next Thursday 14th Feb. at 8 p.m.

The Annual Day of Prayer for Survivors and Victims of Abuse takes place on Friday 15 February 2019, just one week before the historic gathering in Rome hosted by Pope Francis on 21-24 February, to discuss the safeguarding of minors in the Church. We ask for your prayers for all those who have been hurt by abuse in the Church. We pray for Pope Francis and for the success of the meeting in Rome at which senior bishops and religious superiors from around the world will be attending.

We invite you to join us for a liturgy to bless and dedicate a new 'Candle of Atonement' in St. Canice's Church at 9.15 am on Fri 15th Feb. This Candle will be lit in our Parish as a reminder of the need for atonement and to symbolise repentance, light in the darkness and hope."

"Cathedral Chords" The first in a series of fundraising concerts in aid Saint Mary's Cathedral "Cathedral Chords" will be held in the Cathedral on Saturday 23rd of February at 8pm. Leading the Concert will be the Internationally renowned "Rathfarnham Dublin Concert Band" and Kilkenny's own Gospel Choir. Admission 10 euro Further information from Liam on 083 0672 666

The Asthma Society of Ireland Annual Church Gate Collection will take place on 16th/17th February.

Our Lady of Lourdes - World Day of the Sick

Next Monday we celebrate the feast of Our Lady of Lourdes and the Diocesan organisers of the Pilgrimage are at Lourdes this weekend to finalise arrangements for this year's pilgrimage. Places are available and the contact number is given above. We will celebrate the World Day of the Sick with the patients at Drakelands Nursing Home on Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 with Mass and Anointing of the Sick.

Next week's agenda has meetings about Data Protection and Training for Interviews. It is never too late to learn! Fr. Jim will be attending both sessions hoping to learn all about it. Then he is looking forward to the CBS Transition Years' trip to Bavaria. The weather is cold and there is a lot of snow so the scholars will enjoy the snowballs. No doubt, so will the School Chaplain!!!

We will be celebrating Ash Wednesday on 6th March and beginning the Season of Lent. So enjoy yourselves while you can! We will be going in to training – big time!

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Weekday Mass: Mon. - Fri. 9.15 am. Weekend Masses: Sat. 7.30 pm, Sun. 9.30 10.30, 11.30
Parish Secretary: Ms Mgt Logue - Sacristan: Ailish Brennan c/o Parish Centre
Safeguarding reps. Ms Caroline Cummins, Edmund Nolan, c/o Parish Centre.