

ST CANICE'S PARISH
Sunday 9th March 2025

Praying for those who have died

Recently Deceased

Monica Battle, Aylesbury, Freshford Rd

Anniversaries

Sat 7.30pm Margaret Wall, Thomas Clifford

Sun 11.30am George Joseph, Joe Lacey and his granddaughter Louise

Mon 9.30am Liturgy of the Word and Communion

We also remember Joe Butler, Paddy Dore, Emily Dunne, Anastatia Hahessy, James Lavin (1st Anniv)

Mona Moore, Gerardine Ryan

Next Weekend

Sat 7.30pm Regina O'Leary

Sun 10am Helen o'Mahony

Sun 11.30am Michael O'Brien (Months Mind) Marian Brennan

St. Patrick's Day 10am Paul Tynan,

Nora and Michael Mahony and their son in law Micheál O'Conghile

Please Note

Monday 17th March St Patrick's Day

Mass at 10am only

Sunday Collection

Sunday 2nd March the collection amounted to €1526

Thank you for your generosity. We also have the Donate button on the website for those of you who wish to contribute online and we now have a Tap to Donate machine in the Church.

“The Apostolate of Eucharistic Adoration National Pilgrimage to Knock will take place on Sunday, 6th April 2025. Bus will leave from Woodies Car Park in Kilkenny at 7.30 am. will collect in Ballyragget, Durrow and Abbeyleix. Please contact 086 1666547 to book.”

Ossory Adult Faith Development Lenten Programme

Synod – a real reason for hope.

St Mary's Cathedral Chapter House, Wed 12th March at 7pm

Taize Youth Night

St. Mary's Cathedral Chapter House Friday 14th March 7pm.

The work of Trócaire in our world today – reason for hope.

St. Kieran's College, Thurs 20th March at 7pm

Godly Play St. Patrick's Parish Centre, Loughboy Saturday 12th April at 11am

Lent Tweets Follow @OssoryDiocese for a simple thought each day during this

Lenten journey.

Online Resources for Lent are available on the Ossory Website www.ossory.ie

Lenten Envelopes

The Lenten envelopes are now available at the Parish Centre for collection by the distributors. Thank you for your continued help.

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)

Reflections for Lent

The Seven Last Words of Christ

Every Wednesday of Lent from 11.00 - 11.45 am *starting Ash Wednesday* in the Black Abbey led by Fr. Joe Kavanagh O.P.

Kilkenny Medjugorge Pilgrimage

Direct Flight to Mostar Medjugorge 4th – 11th June 2025

(Month of the Sacred Heart and includes Pentecost Sunday)

Hotel near the church cost €875 accompanied by spiritual Director

For bookings – contact Ann on 086 1991620 or 086 8825622

Bake Sale

The bake sale is on Sunday, March 9th, in the Neighbourhood Hall, starting at 11 a.m. and will be held in support of 4-year-old William who was diagnosed with Duchenne muscular dystrophy. All funds raised will go toward helping William get the treatment he needs in Boston. Your support is greatly appreciated.

Mejugorge Evening of Prayer

Rosary, Mass and Adoration. Prayer for healing at St. Fiacre's Church, Loughboy on Monday 10th March at 7.30pm. All are welcome

An tOllsheisiún- The Super Session

Fantastic opportunity for Leaving Cert students to practise for their upcoming Irish Oral Exam with experienced múinteoirí. Students will receive 3 Irish Oral Exams with comprehensive feedback from experienced múinteoirí. Each Session lasts one hour. Please contact: tobarnagaeilge@yahoo.com or 0876673302 (Maria)

Fresh Air

These days I am delighted to sing the praises of Eucalyptus and Juniper oils- all natural ingredients which bring relief of nasal congestion. What a difference getting a full breath of air makes. Our energy levels are boosted. While we are reflecting on the Scriptures in these days of Lent, take a little time to breathe peacefully, to slow down, to enjoy moments of calm, to savour the love of the Lord, who is very near. Thanks to the lovely lady Fran, who treated me to Olbas Oil and is helping me to breathe easily!

May the Spirit of the Lord, the breath of God, sustain us and bring us His Peace.

– Fr. Jim

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