

## WE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY

Very Rev. Fr. Tom Carrigan, Clifden,  
William (Liam) Kavanagh, Kilfera,  
Regina O'Leary (nee Shine) St. Mauls,  
Paul Lanigan, Loughboy Park & formerly of Assumption Place,  
Kathleen O'Neill, Upper New Street,  
Therese Chown (nee McGrath) Kent & formerly of St. Fiace's  
Place,  
Sr. Joseph Conception (Cecilia) O'Donoghue RSC, Dublin &  
formerly Tipperary.

*May they rest in peace*

## MASS INTENTIONS

Sun	10.00am	Donor	Special Intentions
	11.00am	Donor	Special Intentions
	5.30pm	Kitty Egan	Anniversary

### Those whose anniversaries occur at this time

Fr. Godfrey Phillip Ryan, Ollie Walsh,  
Thomas & Maisie Feehan, Bridget Tallis,  
Elizabeth Kavanagh, May Murray.



### Upcoming Anniversaries

**2nd April, 2017**

**5.30pm - Joseph Brannigan- Anniversary**



*And when you stand praying, if you hold anything against anyone,  
forgive him, so that our Father in heaven may forgive you your sins.*

**Mark 11**



### Stations of the Cross

Last Tuesday evening we had a lovely celebration in the Cathedral as we carried candles, prayed, and reflected at each of our newly restored and lighted Stations. Please join us again on Tuesday evening at 7 pm.

## St. Mary's Cathedral Kilkenny

### Parish Office

Monday to Friday 9.30am to 1.30pm.

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### Masses

**Saturday:** 9.00am (Cathedral)

**Vigil** 5.40pm (Friary)

**Sunday:** 10.00am 11.00am 5.30pm

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5.40pm (Friary)

On the occasion of a Parish funeral celebrated by  
priests of the Parish 9.00am Mass will not be celebrated.

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

After 9.00am Mass on Saturday.

### Holy Day Masses

10.00am 11.00am (Cathedral)

Vigil 5.40pm (Friary)

### Care of the Sick and Elderly

Please contact the Parish office if you have a relative  
or neighbour sick at home or in hospital and would  
like to be visited or added to First Friday calls.

### Baptism

The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated on fourth  
Sunday of the month for the present. Please contact  
Rita Neary at 086 2031623.

### Marriage

At least three months notice must be given.

### Newsletter Item

Please submit anniversaries and items for the  
Newsletter to the Parish Office by Thursday  
morning. Notices failing the deadline will be  
included in the following week's newsletter.

### St. Mary's Cathedral Chapter Room

For bookings contact the Parish Office on 056-  
7721253. Monday to Friday 9.30am – 1.30pm.

## Notices 26<sup>th</sup> March, 2017

### Celebration of Confirmation

Congratulations to 6<sup>th</sup> class children in CBS & Presentation Primary School  
who received the Sacrament of Confirmation during a very joyful celebration  
in the Cathedral yesterday. We wish them, their families, and teachers every  
blessing & thank them for all their work in preparing for this special day.

### Cathedral Draw

The first draw for 2017/2018 will be held on Wednesday, 29<sup>th</sup> March. Tickets  
are available in the Parish Office or from any of our promoters. The annual  
prize fund is €60,000 and the subscription is €120 per annum or €10 per month.  
Your support is much appreciated.

### Change to Blessed Sacrament Adoration Rota

For Lent we will have adoration every morning (Monday to Friday inclusive)  
from **9.3 0am - 10.30 am**. There will also be adoration on **Monday &  
Wednesday 12.30 pm - 2.30 pm**

We hope this new Rota will make it easier for people to spend some time in  
adoration of the Lord in the Eucharist in our Blessed Sacrament Chapel. If you  
would like to be part of the new rota please call to the Parish Office. Volunteers  
for the various times are always welcome and greatly appreciated.

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Every Saturday during Lent 9.30 am - 10.30 am in the Cathedral.

An ideal opportunity to celebrate God's love and mercy, to have a chat, request  
a prayer or blessing.

### Mothers Day

We would like to wish all the Mothers in our Parish a very happy Mother's Day  
this Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> March. "May the blessing of the Divine, be an especially bright  
benediction on Mothers everywhere. On your blessed day – On Mother's Day".

### World Meeting of Families 2018

National Collection for World Meeting of Families will take place next  
weekend.

### Marian Movement of Priests

Meeting will take place this Monday at 7.30pm in Mill Hill, Waterford Road.  
Mass, Rosary, Holy Hour. All welcome.

### Mass in Westcourt

Mass will take place in Blessed Edmund Rice Chapel on Monday, 27<sup>th</sup> March  
at 7.30pm. 12 students and 3 teachers from Coláiste Eamann Ris will be  
missioned for their Immersion Trip to Kenya. All welcome.

### Cake and Bake Sale for the Homeless

A cake and bake sale will be held on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> April in St. John's Day Care  
Centre, Dublin Rd., from 10am to 1pm. All funds are being used to purchase  
Duffily Bags for the homeless.

### Vocations Day

Vocations Day at St. Benedict's Priory, Cobh, for women discerning a vocation  
to Religious Life, Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> April. Contact Mother Prioress on 021 4811354  
or e-mail: cobhtyburnconvent@gmail.com

### Kilkenny Branch Multiple Sclerosis Society

Sincere thanks to all in St. Mary's who supported our recent Church Gate  
Collection.

### Chapter House Book Shop

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday 9.30am – 5.00pm Thursday –  
9.30am to 1.30 pm. **Telephone:** 056 7703884