

WE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY

*May they rest in peace*

Patricia (Pat) Roberts, (nee Hogan), Ardmore, Kilkenny.

### MASS INTENTIONS

Sun	5.30pm	Joseph Brannigan	Anniversary
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*Those whose anniversaries occur at this time*

*Paddy Holohan, Annie & Dick Burke,  
Ann & Joe Walsh, Michael Slattery, Alan Kelly, Ellen Kelly  
and Maura Haygreen.*



**Upcoming Anniversaries  
9th April, 2017**

10.0am – Joan Lawlor – Months Mind  
11.00am – Peggy Egan – Anniversary



*Be kind to one another, tender hearted, forgiving one another, as God in  
Christ forgave you.  
Ephesians 4:32*

### Stations of the Cross Tuesday Evening 7 pm

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. welcome.  
An ideal opportunity to do something special for Lent

**Next Sunday is Palm Sunday beginning of Holy week.  
Masses with blessing of Palm at 10 am, 11 am and 5.30 pm**

### Family Mass

Next Sunday our 10 am Mass will be a family Mass with children having a special role. All are welcome as we begin our celebration of Holy Week



### Parish Station Mass

Our Parish Station Mass will take place on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> April at 9 am in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel. Mass will be offered for the intentions of all our parishioners.

## St. Mary's Cathedral Kilkenny

### Parish Office

Monday to Friday 9.30am to 1.30pm.

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### Sacristan

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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 - 2<sup>nd</sup> April, 2017

### World Meeting of Families 2018

On Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> April Knock Shrine will host a day for families to help them prepare for the World Meeting of Families taking place 21<sup>st</sup>-26<sup>th</sup> August next year. See poster in Church.

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

### Mother of Fair Love School

Ossory Diocesan special school is now enrolling for the 2017/2018 academic school year. Our small class size, one to one engagement and SNA care provides tailored curricula, school skills training, sports and crafts programmes, awards and much more. Further information (056) 7721352 or e-mail: [mother.ias@eircom.net](mailto:mother.ias@eircom.net)

### Church Gate Collection

Annual Diocesan Collection for Children with Special Education Needs will take place next weekend 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> April.

### Monthly Rosary – James's Green

Rosary at the Statue of Our Lady of Kilkenny takes place this Sunday, 2<sup>nd</sup> April at 3.00pm.

### Accord – Certificate in Marriage Education

Are you interested in becoming a Facilitator with ACCORD Catholic Marriage Service. Contact [www.accord.ie](http://www.accord.ie)

### Aware Support Group

Meeting every Wednesday at 7.30pm in St. Patrick's Court, Patrick Street (Behind Zuni Restaurant and next door to Kilkenny Leader).

### Kilkenny Carers' Support Group

Meeting Tuesday, 4<sup>th</sup> April, 3.00-4.30pm at The Village Day Centre. Information and support for past/present carers of people with Alzheimer's/Dementia. All welcome. Further information 056 7771230.

### Kilkenny Rotary Club

Table Quiz in aid of Alzheimer Society – Kilkenny Branch, Thursday, 6<sup>th</sup> April at 7.30pm in the Pembroke Hotel. Information 086-2545618

### Anam Cara

Anam Cara, the organization that supports bereaved parents is holding its next Parent Evening on Monday, 10<sup>th</sup> April from 19.30 – 21.00 in the Horse & Jockey Hotel.

### Widows Association

Next meeting takes place on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> April at 2.30pm in Club House Hotel.

### Kilkenny Lions Club

Kilkenny Lions Club with the Samaritans presents the Welsh Male Voice Choir, Brythoniaid in St. John's Church on Sunday, 9<sup>th</sup> April at 4.00pm.

### St. Canice's Women's ACTS Weekend May 4<sup>th</sup> – May 7<sup>th</sup>

Come and enjoy a Spirit filled weekend at the De La Salle Pastoral Care Centre, Castletown, Co. Laois while learning about Adoration, Community, Theology and Services (A.C.T.S.). Contact Lillie 086-7917277

### Kilkenny Flower Club

Easter Meeting in Butler House, 6<sup>th</sup> April at 8.00pm.

### Chapter House Book Shop

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