

St Mary's Cathedral Kilkenny
27th January

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Recently Deceased:

Henry (Eddie) Ryan, Cedarwood Ave.,
Cian Buckley, Outrath

Sunday Mass Intentions

10.00am: Peggy Moore, Kickham Street,
11.00am: Arthur Connick, Fatima Place,
5.30pm: Nancy Delaney.

Anniversaries

Kathleen Gibbons, Tom Piert,
Maura Gaffney, James Saunders,
Annie Moynihan, Noel Meighan,
Kathleen Doran, Margaret Doran,
Taylor Murphy.

Sunday, 3rd February

10.00am – Kathleen Gibbons, Fatima Place,
11.00am – Marie and Angela Davis,
St. Teresa's Terrace,
5.30pm – Danny and Breege Nolan.

Thanks

Thanks to all who have returned the Christmas envelopes. This money contributes to the salary of Fr Scriven and Bishop Farrell. Many thanks.

February First Friday/Home Visit

Fr Scriven will visit the housebound next Friday, Feb 1st. If you know of a family member or a neighbour who would like Fr. Scriven to call please contact the Parish Office with details.

Parish Envelopes

The Parish envelopes for 2019 are ready for distribution and can be collected at the Parish Office. Thanks to all who help with distribution of the boxes.

Confirmation 2019

An introductory meeting with parents and candidates for Confirmation will take place on Wednesday evening in the Chapter House. Please remember all who will receive the sacrament of Confirmation in your prayers.

Rota for Readers

The new Reader's Rota is available in the Parish Office. Please collect.

Diocese of Ossory Lourdes Pilgrimage

Bookings are now being taken for the Ossory Lourdes Pilgrimage from May 21st to May 26th. Contact Eleanor on 051-880414 from 9.30-1.30pm (except Wednesday) or email glenmore@ossory.ie

St. Brigid's Day Service.

The 19th St. Brigid's Day Service will take place in St. Fiacre's Church, Loughboy, on Friday February 1st at 7.30pm. Holy Water from the Well of St. Brigid in Kildare and the traditional Red Flannel will be available on the night. Music Ministry by The Kilkenny Gospel Choir. All Welcome.

Age Action – Computer Classes

Beginner courses for over 55's in Computer, I-Pads and Tablets, free of charge. Courses run once a week Wednesday or Thursday evening for 5 to 6 weeks starting in January. Classes are run in CBS Secondary School, BOI Kilkenny and Kilkenny City Library. If you wish to enrol or even volunteer as a tutor Phone 01 4756989.

Enable Ireland

The Church Gate Collection will be held next weekend 2nd and 3rd February. Thank you for your support.

“Give up yer aul Bikes for Africa”

The Rotary Club of Kilkenny at Dunmore Recycling Centre are collecting unwanted bikes and forwarding them to people in Africa. Bikes will be first transported to Loughan House Open Prison in Cavan, refurbishment by prisoners and transported to Africa. Please “Re-Cycle” and help transform the daily lives of other less fortunate.

GROW is here to help you

Are you struggling with Anxiety/Depression? Finding Life Difficult, Feeling isolated? Our Mental Health Support groups are free and confidential and open to all, no referral or booking needed. Tues 10.00am Wed 8.00pm; Fri 10.30am at the Grow Office, Barrack Street.

Alone – Supporting Older People at Home

Are you a good listener and would like a chance to make a difference to someone's day, we'd love to hear from you! Befriending is about offering companionship for one hour a week to an Older Person in your area who may be isolated or lonely. Alone are looking for volunteers in Kilkenny City and County. Contact Alone: 056/7772151 or 086/8530994

Teac Tom Oscars

Would you like to take part in a fun community event and raise much needed funds for Teach Tom-Counselling and Support Services. Auditions on Monday, 28th from 7-10pm at the Workbench, Bank of Ireland, Parliament Street. If you would like to take part contact Angela 087-6566377 /www.thethomashayestrust.com No experience necessary as training will be provided.

Marian Movement of Priests

Meeting will take place this Monday at 7.30pm at Villa Maria, Talbot's Inch. Mass, Rosary, Holy Hour. All welcome.

Pro Life Campaign

Rosary will be recited on Thursday, 31st January at 7.30pm in the Town Hall. The amount raised between all four city parishes in the recent Church gate collection was €2,598.78. Thank you for your support.

Pulsewave Heart Screening

Pulsewave Ireland Heart & Artery screening takes place on Thursday 31st January in Hotel Kilkenny.

Safeguarding Children

If you have a safeguarding concern contact the Diocesan Designated Liaison Person Mr. Cathal Cullen 087 100 0232 The Parish Safeguarding Representative is Eileen Keating

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Fr. Richard Scriven, Adm. 087 242 0033

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Parish Office

The Parish office, situated at the Parish House, is open each day, Mon to Fri, 9.30am to 1.30pm
Email: stmaryscathedral@ossory.ie
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Cathedral Staff

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Masses

Saturday: 9.00am (Cathedral)

Vigil 5.40pm (Friary)
6.10pm (Black Abbey)

Sunday: 10.00am 11.00am 5.30pm

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5.40pm (Friary)

On the occasion of a Funeral, Mass will be celebrated in the Cathedral not in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

After 9.00 am Mass on Saturday.

Holy Day Masses

10.00am 5.30pm (Cathedral)
6.00pm (Black Abbey)
Vigil 5.40pm (Friary)

Baptism

The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated on the last Sunday of the month for the present. Please contact Rita Neary at 056 7721253.

Marriage

At least three months notice must be given.

Newsletter Items

Please submit anniversaries and items for the Newsletter to the Parish Office by Thursday morning.

St. Mary's Cathedral Chapter Room

For bookings contact the Parish Office on 056-772 1253. Mon to Fri 9.30am – 1.30pm

Indifference is dangerous, whether innocent or not.
Pope Francis