

# ST CANICE'S PARISH

2<sup>nd</sup> August 2020



## Recently Deceased

Patricia Barrett, Waterford Rd  
Mick Cantwell, Beech Park

## Anniversaries

Sat 7.30pm  
Sun 10am Kitty Phelan (Months Mind)  
Sun 11.30am Brendan Kenny (Anniv) Jack Fennelly (Months Mind)  
Mon 9.15am Justin Purcell (Anniv)  
Wed 9.15am Stephanie Meagher (Recently Deceased)

## We also remember

Ann Ahearn, Stephen Cummins, David, Jim and Peggy Gaffney,  
Elizabeth Hickman, William and Mary Kerwick, Tommy Ruth

## Next Weekend

Sat 7.30pm Phil Doyle  
Sun 10am Margaret and Jerry Rowe

**Mass Intentions and Anniversaries** may be emailed to [jimmurphy@ossory.ie](mailto:jimmurphy@ossory.ie) or by phone/text to Fr. Jim on 087 2609545

## Anniversary Masses

Due to increased demand for Anniversary Masses and since we are one Mass less at the weekends, may we suggest sharing the weekend Masses.  
The Masses during the week will be **Single Intentions** only

**Monday –Fri. 9.15am Mass for single intentions only**  
**Saturday 7.30pm, Sunday 10am and 11.30am - Shared Masses**

## Funerals

With the easing of restrictions, 50 people are now allowed to attend funeral ceremonies. We ask people to strictly adhere to this number and to continue with social distancing to safeguard ourselves and one another

## Things to remember to help protect you and others.

Please use hand sanitizer before entering the Church.  
For Communion, we have a one way system- (up the centre aisle and down the side). The people in the side aisles should come up first, followed by the people in the centre aisle. Please allow for social distancing and follow the directions of the Stewards. Communion will be given in the hand only.  
Please take your copy of the newsletter with you, do not return it to the porch or leave it in your seat.  
Thank you for your co-operation.

## Mass Schedule from Mon 29<sup>th</sup> June

Mon-Fri 9.15am

Sat Vigil Mass 7.30pm- Sun 10am and 11.30am

The numbers attending Mass will be restricted for the moment so we ask those of you who are vulnerable or who don't feel ready to return just yet, to continue joining us via webcam or radio.

You can watch the Masses on the Parish Webcam [www.stcanicesparish.ie](http://www.stcanicesparish.ie) or hear them on the Parish radio (108FM.)

The 10am Mass on Sundays will also be broadcast live from St. Canices on Community Radio Kilkenny City (88.7fm)

## Thank you for supporting Pope Francis' COVID-19 Emergency Fund

On behalf of our Holy Father and the poorest and most vulnerable communities in our wider Church family, thank you for donating towards Pope Francis' COVID-19 Emergency Fund. Already, his life-giving Fund is making an impact in Africa, Asia and Latin America. In dioceses in Pakistan, the majority of people live below the poverty line. The virus has forced many to isolate. Now lack of food is becoming the most urgent and fundamental need. The Fund is being used to help feed these hungry men, women, and children. Your support and prayers for our overseas missionaries and the people they serve are always appreciated and greatly needed. To donate go to [www.wmi.ie/covid-fund](http://www.wmi.ie/covid-fund), call Fiona on 01 497 2035, or lodge money directly: IBAN - IE12 BOFI 9007 5456 9616 36 BIC - BOFIE2D Account Name - Society for the Propagation of the Faith

**“Be prepared - Be ready”** is a motto used by the Scouts and Girl Guides. It is a great motto for the Readers in Church too. Always try to be prepared before you read in public. One of the readers asked me during the week “Where will I get the Sunday readings, I want to practise?”

I was delighted to reply **“catholicireland.net”**  
May I request the Readers to look at the computer, find this site and to read the readings many times in preparation for your ministry in Church. We are now being watched by parishioners in various parts of the world and it is most heartening when they send in complimentary comments on the quality of the reading. It is a vital service you are providing. We appreciate your faithfulness to reading the Word of God. This site has great resources, helping us to understand the Scriptures and also to help us in our prayer and reflection. I hope you will use it and I am delighted to recommend the site for your benefit. The daily readings are available there too with a wonderful reflection each day prepared by Fr. Martin Hogan.  
Fr. Martin is a Dublin priest who has taught Scripture for many years. He now works in a parish in Clontarf. May our appreciation of the Scriptures help us in our prayer and our Christian living. We now have splendid resources available on computer. Use them and enjoy them- Fr. Jim

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