ST CANICE'S PARISH

7TH NOV 2021

Praying for those who have died **Recently Deceased**

Sheila Butler Parnell St Maura McArdle (nee Haide) Mass on Tues at 9.15am Anniversaries

Sat 7.30pm Paddy, Babs, Jim and John Mullins Harry Cousins and his brother Jim Sun 10am Sun 11.30am Tom Donohoe (1st Anniv) Mon 9.15am James Leahy and Richard (Dick) Phelan Wed 9.15am Nicholas and Winfred Mary Corcoran Thurs 9.15am Michael Dunne, Michael and Nora Mahony K.E. Varkey (1st Anniv) and Mariamma Antony (2nd Anniv) Fri 9.15am

We also remember

Betty Brennan, Mary Cummins, P.J. Marrinan, Greg Moynihan, Mary Russell nee Maher, Denis Philpott, Tess Turner

Next Weekend

Sat 7.30pm Billy, Geoffrrey and Maryann Brennan, Teresa Clifford Sun 10am Nora O'Connor Sun 11.30am Claire Treacy

Sunday Collection

As we cannot currently pass around the collection bags, there is a box in the porch where you may put your offerings. We also have the **Donate** button on the website for those of you who wish to contribute online. Last Sunday's collection amounted to €635 Thank you for your generosity.

Govt. Guidelines for Church Ceremonies

Religious Ceremonies can now proceed without capacity limits but with all other protective measures in place, i.e. Physical distancing, mask wearing, sanitizing and ventilation. .Unfortunately this means every second pew will remain roped off and we ask people from different households to continue to observe social distancing in the available pews. The stewards will endeavor to seat as many people as possible in the Church and we ask you to please follow their guidance. As case numbers are increasing, Please remember that we still need to observe the government guidelines and protocols to protect ourselves and each other.

Facemasks must be worn at all Masses and ceremonies.

Please use hand sanitizer before entering the Church.

Please observe social distancing both inside and outside the Church.

Communion will be given in the hand only.

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. The people in the centre aisle should remain seated until the stewards reach you.

Please allow for social distancing and follow the directions of the Stewards.

Please take your copy of the newsletter and Mass leaflet home with you. We appreciate your understanding and cooperation as we work to keep our Church a safe place for all.

Mass Leaflets

We now have a limited number of Mass leaflets for each Mass. Please take these home with you. Do not leave them in the seat or return them to the back of Church

A Meeting of First Communion Parents of St Canice's School will take place on Thurs 11th Nov in St. Canice's Church at 7.30pm

A Meeting of Confirmation Parents of St. Canice's School will take place on Monday 15th Nov in St Canice's Church at 7.30pm

Troy's Court Day Care Centre has an immediate vacancy for a part time Registered Nurse, 2 days per week 10.30pm - 3.30pm. Please send CV to stcanicesparishhomes@gmail.com or contact Frances on 0567763117.

Retired Nurses Association of Ireland

Mass for retired & deceased nurses will be celebrated in St. Fiacre's Church, Loughboy on Thursday 18th November 2021 at 10.30am. A collection for Carlow Kilkenny Homecare Team will take place outside the Church after Mass. **Remembrance Gathering for Jo Dullard.**

The Annual Remembrance gathering for Jo Jo Dullard will take place on Sunday, November 7th at 12 noon at the Missing Persons Monument in Kilkenny Castle Park. All Welcome.

Trocaire Collection

The Bishops of Ireland have asked for a special collection this weekend to support Trócaire's work to alleviate the humanitarian crisis in East Africa where up to 30 million people in Somalia, Ethiopia, Sudan, South Sudan, Kenya, Uganda and the Democratic Republic of the Congo are currently face life-threatening food shortages. Your support is greatly appreciated.

Team Hope Christmas Shoebox Appeal 2021: This year we are asking everyone to get their Christmas shoeboxes into our designated drop off points (listed on our website at www.teamhope.ie) by the 8th of November. You can also help by volunteering at our check in centre or by donating items such as pens, pencils, paper, colouring books, sharpeners, erasers, copy books, tooth brushes, wrapped soap (not liquid), toothpaste, hairbrushes, face cloths, hats socks, gloves, underwear, scarves, flipflops, sunglasses, small cuddly toys, stickers, skipping ropes, yoyos, small musical instruments, toy cars, dolls and sweets (no chocolate). For more information contact Ann (087) 6859951 or Rita (087) 9970655 November - A Time to Remember

During the Month of November the priests of the Parish will offer up Masses for your deceased relatives and friends. There are Remembrance Slips in the November envelopes and at the back of the Church. You are invited to write the names of your deceased relatives and friends on the slip and to place it in the basket at the front of the altar.

Archbishop Dermot Farrell

The priests and people of the Diocese would like to mark Archbishop Dermot's time in Ossory by means of an Evening of Prayer on Tues next 9th Nov at 7.30pm in St Patrick's Church, followed by a reception in St. Kieran's College

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