

**ST CANICE'S PARISH**  
**Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2025**

**Praying for those who have died**

**Recently Deceased**

Margaret Dowling, Troyswood  
Mickey Comerford, Upper Newpark  
John Walsh, Kells Rd.  
Clinton Morris, O'Loughlin Court

**Anniversaries**

Sat 7.30pm Tom Smith (**Months Mind**)  
Michael and Winifred Manning and  
their grandsons Michael Murphy and David Mullins  
Sun 10am Teresa Atkins nee Wall (1<sup>st</sup> Anniv)  
Jimmie Cummins (10<sup>th</sup> Anniv)  
Sun 11.30am Alan Dooley (**Months Mind**)  
Kieran Crotty (Anniv)  
**Mon 9.30am Liturgy of the Word and Communion**  
Fri 9.30am Frank Campion

**We also remember:** Richard Coley Dunne, Mary and Thomas Fry

**Next Weekend**

Sat 7.30pm Billy Tobin  
Sun 10am Linda Reade (30<sup>th</sup> Anniv)  
Brid White (10<sup>th</sup> Anniv)  
Bridget Ryan and Deceased Members of the Ryan Family  
Sun 11.30am Mary and John Mullony, Jim and Mary Maher,  
Kathleen Moore and Myles Murphy

**Sunday Collection**

Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> July the collection amounted to €1,541

Thank you for your generosity. We also have the Donate button on the website for those of you who wish to contribute online and we now have a Tap to Donate machine in the Church.

**St. Vincent De Paul**

The St Vincent de Paul collection for the month of July will be taken up after all Masses this weekend. Thank you for your continued support. Reminder the option of giving cash or tapping with your bank card will both be available.

**Programmes in Theology and Pastoral Liturgy**

Applications are still open at St Patrick's Pontifical University, Maynooth for programmes in Theology and Pastoral Liturgy (Higher Diploma/Diploma options). Visit their website for more details at [www.sppu.ie/courses](http://www.sppu.ie/courses)

**Kilkenny Stroke Support Group** invite Stroke survivors to meet other survivors for coffee, chat & information at The Clubhouse Hotel, next Wednesday, July 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2.30-4pm. text/call Lynda 087-7814697.

**Mass Times**

**Mon-Fri 9.30am, Sat: Vigil Mass 7.30pm, Sun: 10am and 11.30am**  
**All Masses are livestreamed on the Parish Webcam**  
**[www.stcanicesparish.ie](http://www.stcanicesparish.ie) and broadcast on the Parish radio (108FM.). The 10am Mass on Sundays will also be broadcast live from St. Canice's on Community Radio Kilkenny City (88.7)**

**The Man Born to Be King**

Celebrating 800 years of the Black Abbey, Lake Productions in Association with the Black Abbey present The Man Born to be King on the 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> of September in the Black Abbey at 7.30pm. Adm: €15 open seating. Booking on Eventbrite

**Bishop Coll welcomes the Blessed Statue of the Sacred Heart to the Diocese of Ossory**

In this *Jubilee Year of Hope 2025*, the Pilgrim Statue of the Sacred Heart, blessed by Pope Francis on 8<sup>th</sup> January 2025, as it continues its pilgrimage throughout Ireland, will visit the Diocese of Ossory in July and August. Bishop Coll extends an invitation to all to join with him in the celebration of a Mass of Welcome, on Sunday, 20<sup>th</sup> July 2025 at 5.30 p.m. in St Mary's Cathedral, where the Statue will remain until Sunday, 27<sup>th</sup> July 2025.

Monday, 28<sup>th</sup> July – 3<sup>rd</sup> August 2025:

Church of the Sacred Heart, Ferrybank, Waterford.

Monday, 4<sup>th</sup> - 16<sup>th</sup> August 2025:

Church of the Sacred Heart, Moneenroe, Co. Kilkenny.

Saturday, 16<sup>th</sup> August 2025: Bishop Niall will celebrate Mass at 6.00 p.m. in the Church of the Sacred Heart, Moneenroe, Clogh, Co. Kilkenny, after which the Statue will leave the Diocese of Ossory.

**Eventful Days**

These summer days are wonderful. I am enjoying the rhythm of the stress-free programme – baptisms, weddings and funerals. In my spare time I am decluttering and am seeing photos and items I haven't seen in years. My only regret is that I haven't kept a diary and am mixing up the years. One photo of a Volkswagen beetle car crossing a river in flood in Brazil, reminds me of the adventures. The driver suggested that we use sticks to help us cross over on foot while he revved up and drove in against the current which brought him and the car to the other side. Let us be grateful for life's adventures and the people who have blessed us with their friendship. - **Fr Jim**

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**Safeguarding Reps: Caroline Cummins and Edmond Nolan c/o The Parish Centre**