

ST CANICE'S PARISH NEWSLETTER

13TH MAY 2018



Praying for those who have died

Recently Deceased

Margaret (Minnie) Tyrrell, Wolfe Tone St

Anniversaries

Sat 7.30pm Patrick Brennan (Anniv)
Marie Delaney (Months Mind)
Sun 9.30am Michael Morris
Sun 10.30am Paddy Treacy
Sun 11.30am First Holy Communion (Miss Hickey's Class)
Thurs 9.10am May Feehan (Months Mind)
Fri 9.10am Con Murphy

We also remember Thomas Crotty, Michael Cummins, Jack De Loughrey, John Doherty
Margaret and Patrick Doran, Pauline Delaney, Mary Doran, Michael Dowling,
Tom Harold, Jackie and Nancy Moylan, Denis Moylan, Paddy O'Brien

Next Weekend

Sat 7.30 pm Kathleen Molloy
Sun 9.30am Elizabeth Somers
Sun 10.30am Timmy Clifford (1st Anniv)
Sun 11.30am First Holy Communion (Ms Murphy's Class)

Sunday Collection €1143 Thank You

Ministers 20th May- (follow your Rota)

Readers

7.30pm Catherine Brady, Anne O'Neill
9.30am Breda Lacey, Shaun Bray
10.30am Teresa and Catherine O'Dwyer
11.30am First Communion

Eucharistic Ministers

7.30pm Catherine Moylan, Peggy Slattery, Anne Kerwick
9.30am Tony Joyce, Ann Bray
10.30am Jim Ryan, Brevin Benny, Rena Kennedy
11.30 am Michael and Geraldine De Buitlear, Rose Ann Brennan

During the month of May you are invited to join in the Rosary after 9.10am mass

Conference: A Spirituality of Creation in Laudato Si & Patrick Kavanagh.

This day will take place on **May 26th 2018** in **St. Patrick's Parish Centre,**

Loughboy, Kilkenny. Speaker: Una Agnew SSL Times: 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Cost: €10 (includes tea & coffee, please bring packed lunch), pay on the door.

Booking essential. To book your place, call Sara/Catherina at 056 7722870

The Sycamores Aylesbury Residents Association are hosting a summer planting demo / information talk by KCLR & Kilkenny People gardening expert Shirley Lanigan on Saturday 19th May at 12 noon on the main green in the Sycamores-Aylesbury estate. Come along for a fun social event followed by refreshments

Dear Families,

Pope Francis, when talking to children and young people always encourages them to be brave, to go into the world aware of their gifts and talents and then use these to make a positive impact on the world.

Over the following 16 weeks, culminating in the Pope's visit, our parish is encouraging families to discuss and implement an act of kindness action presented to us by Pope Francis which he had based on five main themes. Each member of the family may reflect on a statement (highlighted in bold each week on the newsletter) and aim to carry out an action, based on the statement, throughout their week. This coming week the theme is "showing gratitude and joy."

Pope Francis reminds us of the importance of three things said in families: "please, thank you and I'm sorry." He also tells us that "the family is the first school of human values, where we learn the wise use of freedom." We need to be careful not to take for granted what we receive. We should say 'please' when it is right to do so. It is a sign of respect for the giver and what they are giving. **"I said 'please' when...."**

CBS American Tea Party Re-Scheduled to Wednesday 23 May 2018!

Please support this important fundraising event which is on in CBS Secondary School on Wed.23rd May at 7.30pm. All funds raised go towards the new CBS School Campus. Why not get a group of friends together and co-host a table? We also welcome parents of past pupils to attend. Tickets are €20 per person. Contact Claire at 086-8203534 for details.

SOS Kilkenny are holding a fundraising table quiz in the Village Club on Fri 18th May at 8pm for participants attending this summer's special Olympic Ireland games. Table of four 20 Euros great door prize and raffle on the night

The Rosary will be recited every Sunday during May at 3pm at The Grotto on the Callan road. All are welcome.

The Good Shepherd Centre will hold their Annual Church Gate Collection next weekend, 18th/19th May. Please Support.

CAKE SALE - CBS BOYS GOING TO LOURDES – Please come to the Parish Centre to support the Cake Sale after all masses this weekend.

The boys are raising funds for their trip.

PRAYER FOR THE PROTECTION OF LIFE.

Time of Adoration at St. Canice's Thursday, 17th May from 7.00 p.m. to 10 p.m.
"It is necessary to reaffirm our solid opposition to any direct offence against life, especially when innocent and defenceless, and the unborn in its mother's womb the quintessence of innocence. " - Pope Francis.

COMPASSION demands that we look after both mother and child, not choosing one above the other. The unborn defenceless child must be protected. That is what compassion demands. Each unborn child has life, and to act deliberately to kill it, to terminate its life, is profoundly wrong. "Nuala O' Loan.

