ST CANICE'S PARISH NEWSLETTER

25TH NOVEMBER 2018

Praying for those who have died Recently Deceased:

Jacinta Kelly Kilkenny Mildred Weekes, Bennettsbridge

Anniversaries

Jim Kerwick Sat 7.30pm Pat and Betty Murphy Sun 9.30am Sun 10.30am Ivor McGoff Jim Hogan, (First Communion Preparation Mass) Sun 11.30am Laurence Fitzpatrick Mon 9.10am John Sherwin Tues 9.10am Special Intention Wed 9.10am Thurs 7.30pm Glanbia Mass for Deceased Members. We also remember: Eileen Barry, Michael Beale, Donie and Pearse Butler, P.J.Crotty, Jimmy Delaney, Julia Kennedy, Peg McAndrew, Philip O'Dwyer, Tom and Jerry O'Reilly, Mary Ryan, Sadie Taylor, Billy Skehan, Sean Walsh

Next Weekend

Sat 7.30pm Pierce and Ellen Dunne, Tom and Barbara Gunn Sun 9.30am Jimmy, Tommy and Eileen Brennan Sun 10.30am Nicholas Healy Sun 11.30am Maureen Cleere Ministers 2nd December 2018 (follow your Rota)

Readers

Eucharistic Ministers

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7.30pm Catherine Brady, Anne O'Neill	7.30pm Sony Skaria, Irene Henebry, Sr. Noreen
9.30am Breda Lacey, Shaun Bray	9,30am Sr. Concepta, Anne Gunning
10.30am Teresa and Catherine O'Dwyer	10.30am Benny George, Eleanor Carroll, Michael Hogan
11.30am Nobin Rebi, Niamh Moore	11.30am Podge Keane, Pauline Tynan, Trevor Hayes

Sunday Collection amounted to 772.00 Thank You

40 + 2 HOURS OF ADORATION FOR VOCATIONS

St Joseph's Young Priest Society together with the Director of Vocations would like to invite the forty two parishes (40+2) of the Diocese to participate by hosting one hour of Adoration in each Parish on Sun 25th Nov.. In this way the whole Diocese will be praying in unity for vocations to priesthood in our diocese .Our Parish will host an hour of adoration from 12.30pm to 1.30pm. All are welcome.

Troy's Court Senior Citizens Mass will be held on Tuesday 4th Dec at 3pm

The Diocese of Ossory celebrates **Child Safeguarding Awareness Day** this week-end 24th/25thNovember 2018. Child Safeguarding Awareness Day is a reminder to each one of us of our role in the safeguarding of children so that the abuse that happened in the past should not be allowed to happen again. The Safeguarding Reps in this parish are: **Caroline Cummins and Edmond Nolan** If you, or anyone you know, have a Safeguarding concern please contact: **TUSLA**: Kilkenny area 059 913 6570; *An Garda Siochána: 1800 555 222* If you wish to report an allegation directly to the Church Authorities please contact the **Diocesan Designated Liaison Person:** 087 100 0232.

Dicksboro News – Christmas Trees

We ask all members who buy Christmas trees to purchase them from Dicksboro this year and thereby help the club. We will be selling non shedding trees in Palmerstown on Sat. Dec 1st Sun Dec 2nd Sat Dec 8th Sun, Dec 9th Sat. Dec 15th and Sun Dec.16th from 12 noon to 6pm.

Dicksboro AGM.

The Club AGM will be held in Palmerstown on Tues 11th Dec. at 8pm. The AGM of the Sycamores Aylesbury Residents Association will take place next Thurs night 29th Nov at 8pm in The Kilkenny Inn Hotel, Vicar St. Readers in our Parish

Reflect on the importance of Scripture in our faith and at our liturgies. Two evenings, led by Prof Seamus O'Connell and Ms Olivia Maher, will offer a chance for our Ministers of the Word, to come together to reflect on their ministry, and their important service, as part of an Advent journey. <u>Thurs6th Dec</u> and <u>Thurs 13th Dec</u>, 7.30pm at St Kieran's College

The Future of our Parish - An Evening Exploring the Changing Nature of Parishes Today chaired by Bishop Dermot Farrell. Fr Albert McDonnell and Ms Gemma Mulligan will reflect on the shape of parishes today and into the future on Monday 3rd December 7.30pm at St Kieran's College.

Advent Text of the Day

A short daily text message, free to your phone, from the Diocesan Faith Development group, each day, to help us to reflect for a moment. If you would like to receive this please text your number to $\underline{085\ 8313100}$ **Or** Follow @ossorydiocese on twitter .

Blessing for a Crib & A Christmas and Daily Grace:

Next weekend, the first weekend of Advent, we will have simple prayer cards of a blessing for a crib and another for a simple Christmas and daily grace before meals - why not take one home to place beside your crib or on your table –

Remembrance Services were held in St. Canice's during the week with the 5th and 6th Year Students of Kilkenny CBS accompanied by their Religion Teachers and Fr. Jim, School Chaplain.

