# ST CANICE'S PARISH NEWSLETTER



16<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2018

# Praying for those who have died Recently Deceased:

Aaron Molloy, The Fairways & Maudlin Street.

Billy Brennan, Bonnettstown Lane. Prayers at Hehir's Funeral Home on Saturday evening at 6.00 p.m. and removal to St. Canice's Church. Funeral Mass on Sunday at 1.00 followed by burial at St. Kieran's Cemetery.

# **Anniversaries**

**Sat 7.30pm** Marian, Elizabeth and Michael Clifford

Catherine Oakes
Joe & Eva Adams

Sun 9.30am Tommy and Eileen Gunning

Sun10.30am Peggy Moore

Sun 11.30am First Communion Preparation Mass

Thomas & Kathleen Walsh, George & Elizabeth Greene, Patrick Green

Thurs 9.10am Larry Masterson

# We also remember:

Josie Byrne, Chrissie Comerford, Margaret & Patrick Doran, Nan Donovan, Christy Galvin, Rita Gaule, Margaret Jackman, Michael Parker, Billy Phelan, George 'Sonny' Pratt, Edward Walsh, Sarah 'Ciss' Walsh

#### **Next Weekend**

Sat 7.30pm John Ryan, Bridget Ryan and deceased members of the Ryan Family

Sun 9.30am Christopher Walsh

Sun 10.30am Ted Carroll Sun 11.30am Patrick Young

# Ministers 23rd December 2018 (follow your Rota)

### Readers

7.30pm Pat Shortall. Kathy Condren 9.30am Patricia McEvoy, Jo Scobie 10.30am Pat Moylan, Kieran Pryal 11.30am Brevin Benny, Shanley Sebastian

#### **Eucharistic Ministers**

7.30pm Sony Skaria, Irene Henebry, Sr. Noreen 9.30am Sr. Concepta, Anne Gunning

10.30amBenny George, Eleanor Carroll, Michael Hogan 11.30am Podge Keane, Pauline Tynan, Trevor Hayes

Sunday Collection amounted to €1,100 Inc Holy Day Thank You

Finance Committee Meeting will be held on Mon 17<sup>th</sup> Dec at 7.30pm

St. Vincent De Paul would like to thank everyone for their generous contribution to their Christmas Appeal last weekend. The amount raised was € 5,072

The Christmas Envelopes are available for collection from the Parish Centre by Distributors. Collection before Friday 21<sup>st</sup> the Centre will be closed for Christmas.

**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 15th and Sun Dec 16<sup>th</sup> from 12 noon to 6pm.

Alchemy Vocal Ensemble are holding a Christmas by Candlelight Carol Service in St Canice's Cathedral on Wednesday 19th December in support of local charity Taxi Watch. This charity aims to raise awareness & support for suicide prevention. Local performers Kevina Hayes, Sarah Brennan & Nicola Brennan will feature. Tickets available at <a href="https://www.eventbrite.ie">www.eventbrite.ie</a>

**Annual Carol Service** in St. Mary's Cathedral Sunday 23<sup>rd Dec</sup> at 7.30pm featuring Kilkenny Youth Orchestra St. Mary's Cathedral Choir, The Unity Singers and Tanya Sewell (Mezzo Soprano)

"Samaritans will be holding an information and selection session in Butler House, Patrick Street, Kilkenny on Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> December 2018 at 7.00p.m. If you have considered volunteering with us, now is the time to find out more" Nightfever, Kilkenny – Capuchin Friary Church.

Jnr Night Fever at 3.30pm, Mass at 5.40pm followed by annual night fever with Adoration, Reconciliation Music and prayer finishes at 9.30pm. all Welcome

**Blood Donation Clinic** at Newpark Hotel from 4.30pm to 8.00pm on 10th to 13<sup>th</sup> Dec. And 30<sup>th</sup> Dec from 11.30am to 3pm, 2018

CBS Christmas Celebration was a magnificent performance of talented musicians and singers who combined with the Choirs of Loreto Secondary School on Thursday night. The Master of Ceremonies was Kieran Cuddihy of Newstalk who kept things flowing harmoniously with his distinctive sense of humour. Thank you to Mandy Dowling the Music teacher at CBS, the teachers at Loreto,

Thank you to Mandy Dowling the Music teacher at CBS, the teachers at Loreto, and to all the teachers and staff members and Parents Council members who gave so generously of their time and expertise. It was certainly a night to remember.

**Christmas Masses** 

Mon 24<sup>th</sup> Christmas Eve Childrens Mass 5.30pm Vigil Mass 7.30pm

Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> Christmas Mass 9.30am, 10.30am & 11.30am Christmas Week Masses at 11.am

Please Note: From January 1st Daily Mass will be at 9.00am

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