ST CANICE'S PARISH

11TH JULY 2021

Praying for those who have died Recently Deceased

Marguerite Buggy, Banim Tce

Anniversaries

Sat 7.30pm Joe Walsh

Sun 10am Thomas Michael Griffin, Roseamma Thomas, George Edayal

Sun 11.30am Ninja Hayes (2nd Anniv)

Mon 9.15am Michael Boyle Thurs 9.15am Mary Mulloney

Fri 9.15am Jaquillin Biju (remembrance)

We also remember John and Peggy Dollard, Richard (Coly) Dunne, Mary Fry

Next Weekend

Sun 10am Maura Crickley (1st Anniv) Sun 11.30am Eamonn Molloy (Months Mind)

Please Note for the Months of June and July, The 9.15am Mass will be on Mondays, Thursdays and Fridays. On Tuesdays and Wednesdays, we will have Liturgy of the Word with Distribution of the Eucharist.

Sunday Collection

People have been asking why we aren't taking up collections at Mass. As we cannot currently pass around the collection bags, there is a box in the porch where you can 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 €490. Thank you for your generosity.

A Gentle Reminder

This is just a gentle reminder to people 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 home with you.

We appreciate your understanding and cooperation as we work to keep our Church a safe place for all.

Society of St. Vincent De Paul

A collection will be taken up after all Masses next weekend, 17th and 18th July. Your kind donations will be greatly appreciated.

Mass Schedule from Mon 3rd June

Mon, Thurs Fri 9.15am, Sat Vigil Mass 7.30pm, Sun 10am and 11.30am Tues, Wed 9.15am – Liturgy of the Word and Distribution of the Eucharist. The numbers attending Mass will be restricted to 50 for the moment so we ask those of you who are vulnerable or who don't feel ready to return just yet, to continue joining us via webcam or radio. You can watch the Masses on the Parish Webcam www.stcanicesparish.ie or hear them on the Parish radio (108FM.). The 10am Mass on Sundays will also be broadcast live from St. Canice's on Community Radio Kilkenny City (88.7fm).

St Canice's Parish Homes for the Elderly, Troys Court, wish to advertise for a suitable resident for a recently vacated house. For more information or application form, please contact Frances 056 7763117.

Registered Nurse wanted for the re-opening of Troy's Court Day Care Centre. Experience working with the elderly is essential. Permanent part- time hours. For more information please contact Frances on 0867927408 or email CV to stcanicesparishhomes@gmail.com

Seeing your Life through the Lens of the Gospel

- 1. Jesus gave the disciples a share in his mission by sending them out ahead of him. It was a gesture of trust and confidence on his part, even though they did not fully understand his mission. Have you ever been surprised by the trust shown in you by others to speak or act on their behalf?
- 2. Jesus sent the disciples out two by two. Perhaps your experience gives you examples of the value of having another with you when engaged in an important task.
- 3. The apparently strange instructions given by Jesus were intended to counteract practices by bogus preachers who used preaching as a mask for money making. True disciples of Jesus focus on the mission and not on their own comforts. Is it your experience that vested interests can impede a task, whereas having the right motives makes your mission more effective?

Congratulations to our Eucharistic Minister, Nick Doheny and his 'Boro team mates, Timmy Clifford (Captain), Harry Shine, Charlie Nolan, Brian Minogue and Niall Rowe who were part of the Kilkenny Minor team who won the Leinster Final last weekend. We wish the team luck in the 2020 Minor All Ireland Final this Sat. (TG4 5PM)

Happy Birthday!

We send Belated Happy Birthday greetings to Fr. Jim. Celebrations are on hold as he is following doctor's orders to rest! He is improving every day and sends his best wishes to all. Please continue to remember him in your prayers.