# ST CANICE'S PARISH

# 4<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2022

# Praying for those who have died Recently Deceased

Kevin Ryan, Greenfields

Sr. Agnes O'Dwyer, St John of God Sisters

Sr. de Lourdes Walshe, Convent of Mercy, Callan

#### Anniversaries

Sat 7.30pm Dixie Leahy

Sun 10am Paddy and Bridget Dwyer

Sun 11.30am Paddy Murray

Mon 5<sup>th</sup> Sept Timothy Maher, John and Betty Byrne

Tues 9.15am Jim Russell and Deceased members of the Russell Family
Wed 7<sup>th</sup> Sept Patrick and Molly Duffy, Peter and Catherine Graham
Thurs 8<sup>th</sup> Sept Deceased Members of the Poykathanical Family

#### We also remember

William (Billy) Burke, Cassin Family, Michael Delaney, Kathleen Doran, Michael and Ann Dowling, James Foxe, Martha Harris, Mary Shaughnessy

### **Next Weekend**

Sat 7.30pm Margaret Dowling,

Denis and Kathleen Molloy

Sun 10am Pascal Coyne

Sun 11.30am John (Sean) Curran, Mary O'Donnell

# **Sunday Collection**

In order to protect everybody the collection bags have a long pole attached to enable the collectors to reach into the pew without the need to pass the bags from one person to another. We also have the **Donate** button on the website for those of you who wish to contribute online.

The collection last Sunday amounted to €1237. Thank you for your generosity.

## **To Protect Ourselves and Others**

We encourage members of the congregation to continue wearing masks in church. With the spread of the virus it is important that we do everything we can to protect ourselves and our vulnerable neighbours and friends. Pease use the hand sanitizer at the door and observe the one way system at Communion.

Communion will be given in the hand only. Thank you for your cooperation

**A Women's Group will be starting weekly** in St. Canice's Neighbourhood Hall on Monday the 5th of September from 10:00am to 12:30pm So why not come along for a cuppa and a chat and meet up with other women from your local area For info please contact Deirdre on 085 - 8185111 or Jenny on 087-9546368

# Kilkenny Age Friendly Older People's Council

Invites you to a Gathering of Older People at Orchard House, New Orchard Rd, Kilkenny on Wed 7<sup>th</sup> Sept. Commencing with Registration tea/coffee at 9.15am concluding with lunch at 1pm. To book a place or for more Infor, Contact the office at 087 6218589, Mary at 085 1942174 or Betty at 086 3715757 Please book by Mon 5<sup>th</sup> Sept

#### **Mass Times**

Mon-Fri 9.15am Sat Vigil Mass 7.30pm- Sun 10am and 11.30am
All Masses are livestreamed on the Parish Webcam <u>www.stcanicesparish.ie</u> 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 (88.7fm

**The Priory Institute** provides online Theology courses to degree level. Attend Saturday lectures in Tallaght or from the comfort of your own home. Register before September 13<sup>th</sup>. Find out more on our website, <u>prioryinstitute.com</u>

**A Memorial Mass for Deceased members of Kilkenny Theatre Community** will be held at St. Mary's Cathedral on Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> Sept at 5.30pm. All welcome.

# Kilkenny Medjugorje Pilgrimage 2022

An 8 night group pilgrimage with the Kilkenny Medjugorje Group. 28th September - 6 th October 2022. Return flights from Dublin. Full religious programme operated by Marian Pilgrimages Medjugorje Team. For more information on joining the group please contact Anne Fitzpatrick on 086 199 1620 or 086 882 5622. Marian Pilgrimages, 01 878 8159, www.marian.ie

Congratulations and Best Wishes to all our young people who have received their Leaving Cert results especially our stewards Nina and Kevin and our Eucharistic Minister Nick.

## Aoibhinn Beatha an Scoláire!

Wonderful is the life of a student! Wednesday of this week was the first day in school for our Primary School scholars. I went to greet them and the new Principal and discovered they had a half day! It is a lovely way to begin — easing into the new school year. The best of luck to all of the pupils and teachers. It takes very little time to get back into the routine. Thankfully the weather has been beautiful and everyone is in good form as a result.

There ae lovely seats along Parliament Street and I am thinking of taking up a position on one of them to meet the passers-by. Today I sat down beside "Doc" Hennessy for a chat and enjoyed watching the world go by. If you see me in my new location on the side of the street, be sure to come and sit down for a chat. Having the chairs and tables outside the bars and restaurants is such a brilliant idea. It gives a homely atmosphere to the city and makes more space for people to congregate. Life would not be the same without our friends and conversations, sharing experiences on the colourful road of life. Jesus did a lot of this. He was always on the road, meeting people and sharing his love

Our good wishes and prayers to Fr. Tom and Sr. Concepta, who have been ill recently. They are now convalescing and making steady progress. We look forward to seeing them back in action in the Parish soon. - **Fr Jim**