

ST CANICE'S PARISH
Sunday 1st March 2026

Praying for those who have died

Breda Monahan, Aylesbury, and formerly of Dean St (Funeral Mass Sunday at 11.30am)
Robert (Bob) McGarry Snr, Troyswood . (Funeral Mass Monday at 10.30am)
James McDermott, O'Loughlin Court
Mary Dooley, Ossory Park
Gretta Malone, Newpark Lower

Anniversaries

Sun 10am Pauline Butler (Months Mind) Tom Skelly (50th Anniv)

On Wednesdays during Lent the Mass will be at 7.30pm and not at 9.30am

In the event of a Parish funeral there will be no 9.30am Mass, to facilitate prayers in the funeral home or in the home of the deceased.

Any Intentions for that day will be rebooked on the next available date.

We also remember Liam Bergin, John Delaney, Jack Fitzpatrick, John and Annie Free, Rita Kennedy, Maisie Mullins, Maura Tyrrell, Sarah (Ciss) Walsh

Next Weekend

Sat 7pm Liam and Eilish Moore and their son Sean and daughter Ann, Margaret Wall, Thomas Clifford
Sun 11.30am Monica Battle (1st anniv) and Michael Battle (17th Anniv)
. Sr. Margaret Mary (Months Mind), Joe Lacey and his grand-daughter Louise

Sunday Collections

Sunday 22nd February the collection amounted to €1656
Thank you for your generosity. We also have the Donate button on the website for those of you who wish to contribute online and we now have a Tap to Donate machine in the Church.

Eucharistic Adoration in St. Canice's

There will be Eucharistic Adoration in St. Canice's Church on Wed. 3rd March. from 2pm – 4pm Our Special Prayer Intention will be for our youth. All are welcome.

“Praying with the Gospel”

Every Monday during Lent, Eoin Madigan will lead a guided Prayer and Meditation on the Gospels for the Sundays of Lent at St. Canice's Parish Centre at 7.30pm. It is expected that each gathering will last for approximately 40 mins.

All are welcome to come along and join in a cuppa and chat afterwards.

Ossory Adult Faith Development Lenten Programme

Lent Tweets Follow @OssoryDiocese for a simple thought each day during this **Lenten journey**. Online Resources for Lent are available on the Ossory Website www.ossory.ie
Mon 2nd March, St. Kieran's College 7pm: Reflecting on the search for a Synodal Church.

World Day of Prayer

World Day of Prayer will be celebrated on Fri March 6th at t St. Fiacre's Church, Loughboy at 7.30pm Theme “I Will Give You Rest: Come”

The service is prepared by the Nigerian WDP Committee

Lenten Stations

The Lenten Stations envelopes are now available in the Parish Centre for collection by the distributors. Thank you for your continued help and support.

St. Canice's Parish Lenten Programme 2026

A Journey of Healing, Mercy, and Renewal

Lent is a sacred season — a time to return, to reflect, and to rediscover the depth of God's love and mercy.

We warmly invite you to join us each Monday during Lent at 7.30 pm in St. Canice's Parish Centre for our reflection on the Gospels of Lent, along with our special Lenten Masses of Healing and Reconciliation each Wednesday at 7:30 pm.

Come and experience grace, renewal, and the healing presence of Christ.

Lenten Mass of Healing and Reconciliation
Wednesdays at 7:30 pm, St. Canice's Catholic Church.

Wednesday, March 4

“Create in Me a Clean Heart.” Relic of St. John of the Cross
Healing from Guilt, Shame, and Past Sin. John 8:1–11 – The Woman Caught in Adultery
Theme Message: *God does not condemn but restores and renews.*

Wednesday, March 11

“By His Wounds We Are Healed”. First Class Relic of the True Cross.
Healing through Christ's Suffering. John 19 Scourging of Jesus
Theme Message: *Jesus enters into our pain to transform it.*

Wednesday, March 18

“From Darkness into Light”. Relic of St. Bernadette of Lourdes.
Moving from Sin to Grace. John 9 – The Man Born Blind
Theme Message: *Lent opens our eyes to see with faith again.*

Wednesday, March 25, Relic of the Children of Fatima.

“Coming Home” Healing the Family
Luke 15 – The Lost Sheep, the Lost Coin, and the Lost Son
Theme Message: *The Father runs to meet us.*

A Season of Grace

Each evening will include:

- Celebration of the Eucharist
- A reflection on the Scripture theme
- Prayer for healing and reconciliation
- A quiet space to encounter God's mercy

May this Lent be a time of deep spiritual renewal for you and your family.
All are welcome.

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