# ST CANICE'S PARISH
## Sunday 8th November 2026

**Recently Deceased**
Paddy Kelly, Assumption Place and Lord Edward St
Lee Heffernan, Old Callan Rd and Newpark Close
Maurice Sarji, Damascus, (Father of Nabil Sarji, Cluain Glasán)

**Anniversaries**

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| Sat 7pm | Josie McPhillips (1st Aniv) PJ Taylor, |
| Sun 10am | Paddy, John, Jim and Babs Mullins |
| Sun 11.30am | First Communion Preparation Mass |
| Tues 9.30am | Tom Murphy |
| Wed 9.30am | K.E. Varkey |
| **Thurs 7.30pm** | **Annual Remembrance Mass (No Mass at 9.30am on Thurs)** |

**We also remember** Sean Barry, Peter Blanchfield, Mary Cummins, Margaret, Patrick and Nora Doran, Catherine, Paddy and Michael Delaney, Johanna Harold, Greg Moynihan, Mary Mulrooney, Eddie Nolan, Denis Philpott, Tess Turner

**Next weekend**

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| Sat 7pm | Billy, Geoffrey and MaryAnn Brennan, Teresa Clifford |
| Sun 10am | Michael and Robert Dwyer, Nora O'Connor |
| Sun 11.30am | Margaret Dowling (1st Anniv), Claire Treacy |

### Sunday Collection
Sunday 1st November the collection amounted to €1810
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 11th November from 2pm – 4pm. Our Special Prayer Intention is for the Souls in Purgatory. All welcome.

### St Vincent de Paul Collection
Thank you for your continued support. At the last collection in September, you donated €1755. This is much appreciated. The collection for the month of November will be taken up after all Masses next weekend 14th and 15th November.
All funds collected go directly to people in need in our parish

### Medjugorje Evening of Prayer
The Monthly Medjugorje Mass, with Rosary, Adoration and prayer for healing, will take place next Mon. the 9th Nov. at 7.30pm in the Oratory of St. Patrick's Parish Centre. All are welcome

### Best of Luck
Best of Luck to Dicksboro who are playing in the County Final on Sunday against John Lockes, in UPMC Nowlan Park

### Visit of The Relics of St Therese of Lisieux to Waterford
to Cathedral of the Most Holy Trinity, **Friday 13th November** - Arriving 2pm Welcome Liturgy - Veneration until 6pm **Saturday 14th November** - Mass at 12pm - Veneration until 4pm **Sunday 15th November** - Mass at 8.30am, 12 Noon (Bishop Cullinan) - Veneration after 8.30am Mass till 5pm Closing Liturgy at 5pm

### Mass Times
**Mon-Fri 9.30am, Sat: Vigil Mass 7pm, Sun: 10am and 11.30am**
**All Masses are livestreamed on the Parish Webcam www.stcanicesparish.ie 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)**

### November Remembrance Mass:
This year's November Mass for those who have died during the year will take place next **Thursday November 12th at 7.30 pm**. Families of those who have died during the year are invited to participate in our remembrance Mass. Give your name/s in the Parish Office.

### JoJo Dullard Remembrance
JoJo Dullard is missing 31 years this November. JoJo was 21 years of age at the time of her disappearance. At the time that she disappeared, she was making her way from Dublin back home to Callan in Co Kilkenny. To mark the anniversary a walk and prayer service to remember JoJo will take place on Sunday, November 8th at the courtyard of Kilkenny Castle at 2 pm walking to the missing persons monument. This is an opportunity for all of us to gather 31 years on to ensure that JoJo is not forgotten and the search for her will continue.

### November Reflection - Fr. Willie.
As the days shorten and the earth rests, November calls us into a quiet space of memory and hope. The crisp air and lengthening shadows invite us to pause from the restless pace of daily life and enter into the gentle rhythm of reflection. Nature itself seems to bow its head in surrender, teaching us the quiet beauty of letting go and trusting in the promise of renewal.
In the stillness of these November days, we carry those who have gone before us not as distant figures of the past, but as living presences held forever in the tender mercy of God. In that sacred hush, the veil between heaven and earth feels thin. We remember their smiles, their voices, their quiet sacrifices, and the love they so generously poured into our lives. Death has not severed our bond; rather, it has transformed it, anchoring our grief in the steadfast hope of eternal life.
As we look back with gratitude, we also look forward with faith, knowing that the God who holds our loved ones in His eternal embrace holds us in our present pilgrimage. In this season of remembrance, may our hearts find comfort in the quiet assurance that love never ends, and that we walk toward a shared light that no darkness can ever extinguish.

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