

Be still and Know That I am God

Christian Meditation will resume in Peace in Christ Retreat House on Wednesday 10th at 4pm. All are welcome.

Alliance Francaise

Alliance Francaise French classes enrolment takes place on Tuesday 9th & Wednesday 10th September 7-9 Club House Hotel. All levels welcome.

Annual Grandparents' Pilgrimage

A coach from St. Patrick's Parish will bring people to the Annual Grandparents' Pilgrimage at Knock on Sunday, 14th September. Chief celebrant will be Archbishop Charles Brown, Papal Nuncio. Fr. Liam Lawton will lead the music and singing. The reflection will be given by Catherine Wiley, of the Catholic Grandparents' Association.

Contact St. Patrick's Parish Centre (056 776 4400) for further details and to book your seat. Return tickets €10.00.

Evening of Prayer

Rosary, Mass, Adoration and prayer for healing, will take place at Mill Hill Waterford road Monday 8th at 8pm.

Suicide Awareness Day

Coffee Morning will be held St Canice's community action hall, butts green 10am-1pm in aid of Suicide Awareness Day September 10th

Kilkenny Bereavement Support

Recovering from Loss and Grief, A talk by Dr Tim Tunne will take place in the Ormonde Hotel on September 10th @ 8.00pm. Admission is €10, further information on 056 7756538.

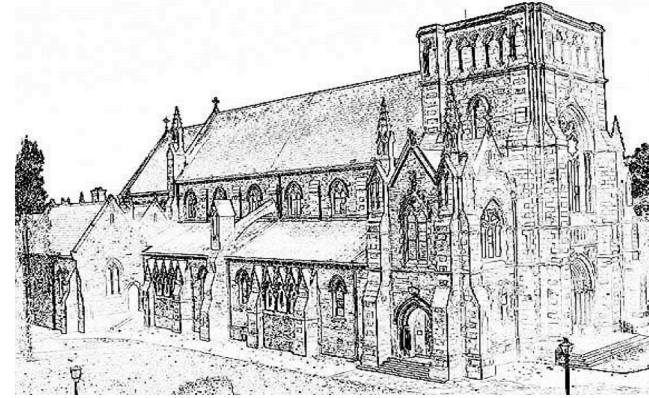
Kilkenny Flower Club

Kilkenny Flower Club will resume in Butler House on Thurs. 11th Sept. at 8 p.m. Demonstration by Beatrice Hartog. Non-members welcome, cost €6

Parents of Adults with Autism/ASD

Are you a parent, sibling or a supporter of a teenager or adult with an Autism Spectrum Disorder? If so please come to our meeting at Bagenalstown Family Resource Centre at 11am Thursday 11th September. For further information please contact Mary Mulrooney, at 7712883 e: mary.mulrooney@hse.ie

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Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time 7th September 2014

ALL-IRELAND HURLING FINALS

All Ireland fever is all around this week and it is also a special occasion when we have players involved from the parish in both the minor and senior matches on the big day.

From all the parishioners in St John's Parish we wish **Brian Hogan and Mark Kelly** in the Senior and **Daniel O' Connor and Ross Butler** in the minor finals, the very best for this weekend. Best wishes also to Brian Cody and all involved in Kilkenny team as they prepare to renew acquaintances with our age old neighbours Tipperary. To all who are travelling to match we hope you have a safe journey and enjoyable day.

Deaths – Month's Minds – Anniversaries

Deaths: Michael O'Neill (Jnr), Fr Albert Place.
Biddy Furniss (5 Troycourt, Funeral Mass Monday 11am St Patricks).

Anniv: Seamus Murphy (6.30pm); Patrick White (10.30am);
Michael Coffey (12.00 noon); Luke O'Dwyer (10.30am);
Paddy Ryan; George Dowling; Vincent & Paddy Nolan; Bernard Doyle;
Patrick & Mary Halley; Michael & Bridget Slattery; Jack Allen;
Bob, Margie & Glenn Brady; Evelyn Costello; Joey Downey;
John Annie Redmond;

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8.00am	Ann O'Grady
10.30am	Peggy Wall
12.00noon	Tony Dalton
7.30pm	Marie Fogarty
Johnswell 10.00am	Paul McKiernan
Dunmore 11.00am	Martina Brennan & Tom Keating

O'Loughlin Gaels Lotto

Numbers.1, 8, 17, 26. Bonus 5. No Jackpot winner 10 x €40 winners.

St. John's Eucharistic Adoration

Due to a decline in numbers new adorers are required for this ministry. If you wish to become an adorer i.e. commit to a regular hour Tuesday to Friday for 8am – 7pm per week, or helper i.e. to help if necessary. Please enter your name and number in the book provided outside the adoration Chapel Door.

Ossory Vocations Promotion #41

Do you know the power of prayer within a group? Join with others to pray for an increase of vocations to ordained ministry and the consecrated life. (Matthew 18:15-20).

If you think God is calling you to be a priest, visit our website at www.ossory.ie/vocations or contact Fr. Willie Purcell at ossoryvocdir@gmail.com. Facebook: ossoryvocdir Tel: 056 7770261

Johnswell Active Retirement

A meeting will be held in Johnswell Hall on Wednesday 10th at 8:00pm. New members will be very welcome.

Monthly Rosary

The monthly Rosary in James Green this Sunday at 3pm.

Kilkenny Active Retirement Association

September meeting will be held at Club House Hotel next Monday 8th at 2.30pm.

Side By Side Club

The Side by Side club has re-opened after the summer break in the Day Care Centre. New members welcome. Contact Helen Goode on 087 688 4072.

World Suicide Prevention Day

To mark World Suicide Prevention Day on Wednesday September 10th a service of light will be held in St. Mary's Cathedral at 7.30 pm. Please bring a candle to join communities throughout the world who will light a candle at 8 pm to remember all whose lives have been touched by suicide. Service led by Fr. Willie Purcell with music by Kilkenny Gospel Choir.

Art Classes

Morning art classes for adults will resume in September. The classes are suitable for beginners and more advanced. Classes are small, friendly and materials are supplied for the first class, individual work with each participant. The classes run in Bishop Birch Institute, Waterford Road, Kilkenny from 10:30 am to 12:30 on Thursdays and Fridays. For more information and to sign up call Sonja at 083 3941220 or email artwithsonja@gmail.com