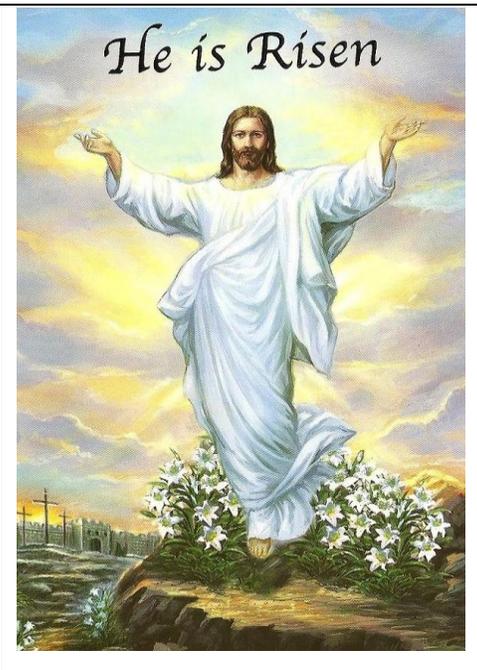


# Tramore & Carbally Parish Newslink



## MASS TIMES

*Holy Cross Tramore*

### Saturday

10am

& 7.30pm (Vigil)

### Sunday

8.30am, 10.30am and  
12 noon

**Monday – Friday**

7.30am & 10am

### **CONFESSIONS**

Saturday 10.30am & 7pm  
and upon Request

***NOVENA OUR LADY  
OF PERPETUAL HELP***  
Mondays after 10am Mass

***EXPOSITION OF THE  
BLESSED SACRAMENT***

Thursday after 10am Mass  
until 5pm

***CHURCH CLOSSES AT 5PM,  
SUNDAY TO FRIDAY INCL***

*Our Lady's Carbally*  
Sunday at 11.30am

**OTHER LOCAL  
CHURCHES MASS TIMES**

*Church of the  
Immaculate Conception  
Fenor*  
**Saturday Vigil at 6pm**

*Sacred Heart Dunhill*  
**Sunday at 9.30am**

*Sunday April 5th 2015*

*Easter Sunday*

### **Easter Glad-rags**

There are some proverbs about clothing one not very complimentary 'cuir sioda ar ghabhar agus is gabhar í gcónaí é - put silk on a goat and it is always a goat' only to be countered by a much nicer one: Déanann cleiteacha deasa éananacha deasa 'nice feathers make nice birds' Yes, the externals are important but all those external factors which define and often bind us are nothing compared with being clothed in Christ on this Easter day.

Today, Easter Sunday, is about you and I being given Easter clothes because Christ is risen and we are clothed anew in Christ. With joy we proclaim in unison with the greetings of the early Christians this day: 'Christ is risen, Alleluia' and to which we respond: 'He is risen indeed, alleluia.'

Today, we remember that on our Baptism day we were clothed in a white christening shawl and the words said to us were: 'See in this white garment the *outward sign* of your Christian dignity'. So, once more, the outer clothes but reflect our inner dignity in Christ. In the words of Peter to Cornelius and his household today: 'God does not have favourites and does not judge by appearances'. So Peter is telling us that if we believe in the risen Jesus we are already clothed as new people.

Twice the linen cloths which bound and defined Jesus in death are mentioned in the gospel. Both Peter and John saw the linen cloths lying on the ground ... and also the cloth that had been over his head; 'this was not with the linen cloths but rolled up in a place by itself' These linen cloths, the burial garments, the trappings of death are put aside in a place by themselves, separated from the body. In the business language of today they are now, 'surplus to requirement'

Jesus will not die again. So from this day we should not be bound by trappings of death and now we are invited to let go of those outward garments which define and sometimes bind us.

In John's gospel, Jesus is already glorified on Calvary. Today is the day of our glorification, of our bring re-clothed in Christ. While it is always good to look our best, how important it is on this Easter day that I should look beyond the externals and see a brother or a sister clothed anew in Christ.

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*Please remember in your prayers.....*

*Those who have died recently:*

Breeda Harty (nee Shine) Cork  
Mathew (Mattie) Waters

*Those whose Months mind occurs:*

Bridget Flynn

*Those whose anniversary occurs:*

Eileen Walsh  
Helen Leblanc  
John Cantwell  
Kathleen & Martin Keoghan  
Mary O'Brien  
Hannah Power  
John Giles

*Those who were baptised recently:*

Libby Kavanagh  
Cian Bourke



*Congratulations to their parents and family*

**Collections Last Weekend:**

Tramore €3359  
Carbally €255

Thank you for your continued support for the upkeep of our churches

**The Easter Collection is for the support of the priests of the parish and diocese, and we are grateful to everyone who supports us in this way.**

**SANCTA MARIA RIVERSTOWN**

**ONGOING MORNING PRAYER AND LECTIO DIVINA EACH TUESDAY AT 11.15 AM**

**GUIDED PRAYER EACH THURSDAY AT 7.30PM**

**ALL WELCOME**

Active Retirement Association monthly meeting will be held in the Community Centre, Pond Road on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> April at 11.00am.  
New members welcome

Saturday 4th April	<b>9.00pm</b>	Easter Vigil
Sunday 5th April	<b>8.30am</b>	Jimmy & Kathleen Kennedy
	<b>10.30am</b>	Lena O'Brien
	<b>12 noon</b>	Joan Dorgan (Westbrook)
Monday 6th April	<b>10.00am</b>	Anne Murray
Tuesday 7th April	<b>10.00am</b>	The Tully & Walsh Family
Weds 8th April	<b>10.00am</b>	Mary Fitzpatrick
Thursday 9th April	<b>10.00am</b>	Eileen & Paddy Walsh, Anne & Denis Mehigan
Friday 10th April	<b>10.00 am</b>	<b>HOLY SOULS</b>
Saturday 11th April	<b>10.00am</b>	Mary & William Power
	<b>7.30pm</b>	Bill & Billy McDonnell
Sunday 12th April	<b>8.30am</b>	Tommie Browne
	<b>10.30am</b>	Tadgh O'Donoghue
	<b>12.00noon</b>	Billy & Peggy Butler & Family
<b>CARBALLY</b> Sunday 5th April	<b>11.30am</b>	Francis Power, Paddy Power Kilmaquague, Shin Young Sheehan
Sunday 12th April	<b>11.30am</b>	Shane Fitzgerald

The committee of Tramore Community Care (Meals on Wheels) are undertaking an awareness drive of our services to Tramore Community. I attach a brief description of what we provide at and from the centre. I would be obliged if you could include it in the weekly newsletter. Also if you know of anybody who requires a hot meal delivered to their door please put them in touch with us here at the centre. The cost of a dinner and desert is €6 per day or €35 for six days a week. We provide the meal on as many days a week as required and we provide for all dietary requirements.

The Irish Hospice Foundation is expanding its fundraising team and it is now seeking to appoint experienced, energetic people to raise funds in the local area through a variety of fundraising activities canvassing for donors who are willing to support its work through regular monthly payments. These positions are self-employed long term. Excellent communication skills are essential for this role which will involve a variety of fundraising activities. Full training will be provided. For further information contact Mary Tupper 01 6793188



**At the Parish Office**

Lovely selection of Prayer books, Rosaries, cards & gifts for First Holy Communion are now available.

*Please feel free to drop in and have a look!*

**Next Week's Teams: 11/12 April**

**Readers:** Team A  
**Ministers:** Team 2  
**Altar Servers:** St Declan  
**Cleaners:** Alice McGrath and her team

Annual Devine Mercy Sunday 3pm  
Mass will not take place at Holy Cross Church this year due to the Ordination of Our New Bishop