



Tramore & Carbally Parish Newslink



*Sunday 22nd January 2017
3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time*

MASS TIMES

Holy Cross Tramore

Saturday

10am

& 7.30pm (Vigil)

Sunday

8.30am, 10.30am and

12 noon

Monday – Friday

10.00am only during the
month of January

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

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

Symbols used at Funerals in the Church

We are all familiar with and have attended funerals of family and friends in a church setting and we are aware that there are several symbols used in the liturgies. At the door of the church the coffin is sprinkled with Holy Water and repeated during the prayers before the coffin leaves the church. This sprinkling reminds us of our Baptism, when we became members of the Body of Christ. A Bible and Cross are placed on the coffin to remind us of the faith of those who were baptised and also of the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ which won our resurrection and our place in the Kingdom, if the Lord finds us to be worthy. Close to where the coffin lies before the altar stands the Paschal Candle which was blessed and lit for the first time at the Easter Vigil. This reminds us of the presence of Jesus Christ, the light who guides us through this world to the kingdom. During the final prayers before the coffin leaves the church, it is incensed by the priest to show the honour we have for the physical remains of the one who has died.

Another symbol, which is being introduced in our parish, is the Pall. This is a large white or cream cloth which is placed over our coffin as it lies before the altar. At our baptism, we were wrapped in a white garment or shawl to show that we had become a new creation in the waters of baptism. The pall reminds us of that baptism and that we are being renewed in the eyes of God as we embark on our last journey towards the Kingdom. Our pall has a cross and the Greek letters for Alpha (A) and Omega (W), reminding us that the Lord is the beginning and end of all things. The pall also demonstrates our equality in the eyes of God as the one pall is used for everyone. The white baptismal shawl and the funeral pall remind us that our lives begin and end in God. The pall is placed on the coffin when it arrives before the altar and, ideally, this is done by members of the family. Just before the final prayers begin, the family takes the pall from the coffin to prepare it for its final journey. This is one last and very personal gesture that the family does for their loved one at the funeral.

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Please remember in your

Prayers.....

Those who have died recently:

John Kelly
Barbara Lonergan

Those whose Months mind

Occurs:

Those whose anniversary occurs:

John O' Brien
James Walsh
Dick Murray
Matthew Lardner
Tom Daly
Peter O'Reilly
Nora McCormack
Eamonn Murphy
Tommy Curran
Leo Bourke
Mary & Morris Aulsberry & Family
William & Bridget Curran
Kitty & Tommy & Anne O'Rourke
Susan O'Keeffe
Mary & Catherine McGrath
Jimmy O' Neill

Collections Last Weekend:

Tramore € 3445

Carbally € 245

We thank you for your continued support for the upkeep of our churches.

Next Week's Team 22/23 Jan

Readers: Team A
Ministers: Team 3
Cleaners: Kathleen Keane and team
Altar Servers: St Declan

Ministers of the Eucharist

A meeting will be held for Ministers of the Eucharist on Monday January 30 at 7.30pm in Holy Cross Church.

The purpose of the meeting is to go through a few practicalities regarding the ministry.

Fr P.J. Breen

Saturday 21st Jan	10.00am	Peter O'Reilly
	7.30pm	McNally & Prenter Families
Sunday 22nd Jan	8.30am	Thomas & Eily O'Callaghan
	10.30am	Bernadette Hogan, Harry & Berni Hogan, Mary & Patrick Burke
	12.00noon	Paddy Dunphy
Monday 23rd Jan	10.00am	Johanna Power
Tuesday 24th Jan	10.00am	Margaret & John Veale
Weds 25th Jan	10.00am	John Tobin
Thursday 26th Jan	10.00am	Nellie Hedley nee Dowling, Mattie & Molly Lonergan
Friday 27th Jan	10.00am	HOLY SOULS
Saturday 28th Jan	10.00am	Frank & Frankie Bird
	7.30pm	John Carbery
Sunday 29th Jan	8.30am	Kathleen Barron
	10.30am	Michael Murphy
	12.00noon	Denis Walsh (1 st Ann), Walsh & Meighan Families
Carbally		
Sunday 22nd Jan	11.30am	Richard & Margaret Power, Richard & Anne Caulfield, Frank & Bridget Caulfield, Martin & Catherine Molloy, Mary Kearney, Michael & William Kavanagh.
Sunday 29th Jan	11.30am	Paul Kearney, Michael Murphy .

Enrolment Forms for September 2017
for Holy Cross N.S., Glór na Mara & Gael
Scoil Philib Barún

will be available from the school's offices
from 1st February onwards.

The closing date for receipt of
applications is Tuesday 28th February.

On behalf of the **Irish Heart Foundation** our sincere thanks to all those involved in the recent church gate collection in **Tramore** and also all those who contributed to it.

A total of €555.00 was raised.

Without your support and generosity of the Irish Heart Foundation would be unable to continue its fight against Heart Disease. I hope you will continue to support the foundation in the years to come.

Irish Conversation - Tramore's Ciorcal Comhrá

Tramore's Irish conversation group, An Ciorcal Comhrá sa dTrá Mhór, will meet in Tramore Library on Thursday January 26th 2017, from 7pm to 8pm. For more information, please call Tramore Library on (076) 110 2594.

GROW IN LOVE"

Our next gathering at Mass for the boys and girls making their First Holy Communion this year takes place this weekend 21/22 January

At the 7.30pm Mass on Saturday we welcome the children from Glór na Mara & Gaelscoil Philib Barún and on Sunday 12 noon Mass, the children from Holy Cross School will join us for our Masses. We welcome them & their parents, & we wish them every good wish and blessing on their journey to meet Jesus at their First Holy Communion

THERE WILL BE NO 7.30AM MASS IN HOLY CROSS CHURCH TRAMORE DURING THE MONTH OF JANUARY

A Prayer Service for Christian Unity will take place in Christ Church Cathedral Waterford on Sunday Jan 22nd at 7.30pm. All welcome.