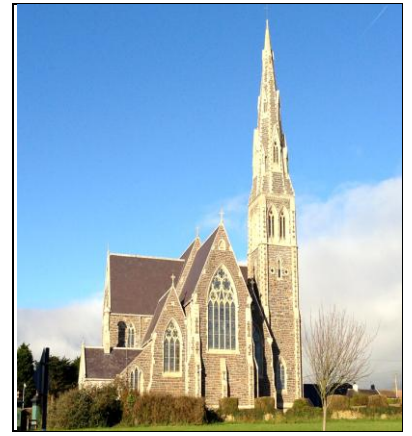




# Tramore & Carbally Parish Newslink

Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2017

22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time



## MASS TIMES

*Holy Cross Tramore*

**Saturday**

10am

& 7.30pm (Vigil)

**Sunday**

8.30am, 10.30am and  
12 noon

**Monday – Friday**

7.30am & 10.00am

**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

**LOCAL CHURCHES**

**MASS TIMES**

*Church of the  
Immaculate Conception  
Fenor*

Saturday Vigil at 6pm

*Sacred Heart Dunhill*

Sunday at 9.30am.

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The Parish Radio Frequency can be  
found on your radio 105.4FM  
'All services broadcast from Holy Cross  
Church. It can only be tuned in when a  
service is on.'



### Selfless love

It can be difficult to understand why anyone would willingly place a burden on themselves. We are bombarded daily with promises of a better, easier life. Magazines and lifestyle gurus offer us a better work-life balance. New gadgets pledge to remove obstacles or irritations and make our lives less stressful. It's all a bit of a contrast to the message of today's gospel, where Jesus says that his followers must take up their cross.

Why would we deliberately suffer, or take on a burden? Surely we should aim to make our lives as easy as possible!

Yet, we see self-sacrifice all the time. Parents make sacrifices for their children, and many people tend lovingly to elderly parents or relatives. Friends give up their time to listen and support each other. Teachers go the extra mile for a vulnerable child, and nurses, doctors, and care workers often go beyond the call of duty. Countless people give up their time and resources to help those in need, whether it's raising funds for charities or offering practical support to those who are sick, homeless, or struggling. And it's all done out of love.

When Jesus tells his disciples that he is going to suffer grievously and be put to death, they naturally react with shock, as it seems like a strange path to choose. But he is not doing it simply to make life difficult for himself. His sacrifice stems from his passionate love for us, just as we would sacrifice everything for someone we love dearly. Being a follower of Jesus means being prepared to sometimes put others' needs before our own.

Triona Doherty

**The 7.30am Mass (Monday –Friday) at the Holy Cross Church  
Tramore resumes from Monday September 4th**

### **Upcoming Training Evenings**

Training evenings for those who minister in Holy Cross Church on both Sundays and Weekdays will take place in the church. As there will be some changing of current practice, all those who minister are asked to attend.

Readers of the Word:

Monday, September 11, at 7.30pm.

Ministers of the Eucharist:

Thursday, September 14, at 7.30pm.

*Please remember in your Prayers.....*

*Those who have died recently:*

Joyce O'Regan  
 Agnes Heery  
 Mattie Coffey (Cappoquin)  
 Paddy Clarkin Dublin/Tramore

*Those whose Months mind occurs:*

Thomas R Walsh

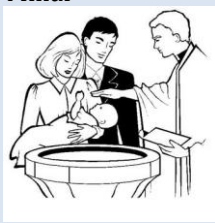
*Those whose anniversary occurs:*

Mai Lodge  
 Frank Power  
 Margaret & John O' Keeffe & John Jnr  
 Paul Sweeney 1<sup>st</sup> Ann

Kitty Hogan  
 Tom Corcoran  
 Dinah, Frank & James Shortall

*Those who were baptised recently:*

Faye Alison Walsh  
 Kevin Luke Byrne  
 Alex Ray Millar



*Congratulations to their parents and godparents.*

**Collections Last Weekend:**

**Tramore: €3710**

**Carbally: €270**

*We thank you for your continued support .*

The Parish Office Hours

**Mon & Tues .....9.30am-4pm**

**Wed ..... 9.30am-1pm**  
 (Closed Wednesday afternoon until further notice).

**Thurs..... 9.30am-4pm.**  
**Friday..... 9.30am-3.30pm.**

**Next Week's Team 9/10 Sept**

**Readers:** Team A  
**Ministers:** Team 2  
**Cleaners** Marie Kenneally & her team  
**Altar Servers:** St Patrick

**Active Retirement**

The Active Retirement monthly meeting will take place at the Community Centre Pond Road on Tuesday next September 5<sup>th</sup> at 11.00am. New members welcome

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Saturday	2nd Sept	<b>10.00am</b>	Ned & Annie Power & Murphy Family
		<b>7.30pm</b>	Billy Murphy
Sunday	3rd Sept	<b>8.30am</b>	Stasia & Thomas Dunne
		<b>10.30am</b>	Jenny Corcoran
		<b>12.00noon</b>	Mai Lodge
Monday	4th Sept	<b>7.30am</b>	Mary Wilson
		<b>10.00am</b>	Eileen & James Reidy
Tuesday	5th Sept	<b>7.30am</b>	James & Eileen Reidy
		<b>10.00am</b>	Risteárd & Bríd O Murchú, John & Frances Kearns
Weds	6th Sept	<b>7.30am</b>	Liam Hayes
		<b>10.00am</b>	Jim O' Hanlon
Thursday	7th Sept	<b>7.30am</b>	Jack & Annie Hogan
		<b>10.00am</b>	Margaret & John O'Keeffe & John Junior
Friday	8th Sept	<b>7.30am</b>	<b>HOLY SOULS</b>
		<b>10.00am</b>	Thomas Keogh (Tivoli Tce)
Saturday	9th Sept	<b>10.00am</b>	Gerry Collins
		<b>7.30pm</b>	Charles & Anastasia White
Sunday	10th Sept	<b>8.30am</b>	Nellie & Aidan White
		<b>10.30am</b>	Baby Clodagh Floud & Bridget Leonard
		<b>12.00noon</b>	John & Margaret O' Connell
<b>Carbally</b>			
Sunday	3rd Sept	<b>11.30am</b>	May de Courcey, Mai Murphy, James Kearney.
Sunday	10th Sept	<b>11.30am</b>	Michael Brown, Chrissie O'Grady, Helen Power, Paddy Farrell & Farrell Family

**Solas Cancer Support Centre & Anam Cara**

the organisation that supports bereaved parents is holding a Bereavement Information Evening on Tuesday 5th Sept at 7:00pm in Solas Cancer Care Centre, Williamstown, Waterford. This is a free event and is open to all bereaved parents. As Anam Cara will need to confirm numbers for teas, coffees, etc, please RSVP on 085 2888 888 or to [info@anamcara.ie](mailto:info@anamcara.ie) before Sept 4th.



*Best wishes to The Waterford Team in the All Ireland Hurling Final, in Croke Park, this weekend.*

**Back to School**



*We wish the very best of luck to all the children returning to school in the next few weeks.*

Many of our young people are embarking on a new phase of life at this time of year. Some perhaps leaving home for the first time. We wish them well and offer them the following words of wisdom.

**Blessing Of Solitude**

*May you recognize in your life the presence, power and light of your soul  
 May you realize that you are never alone, that your soul in its brightness and belonging, connects you immediately with the rhythm of the universe.  
 May you have respect for your own individuality and difference  
 may you realize that the shape of your soul is unique, that you have a special destiny here, that behind the facade of your life there is something beautiful, good and eternal happening.  
 May you learn to see yourself with the same delight, pride and expectation with which God sees you in every moment*