

Tramore & Carbally Parish Newslink

Sunday 2nd April 2023

Palm Sunday



Holy Week Ceremonies 2023

Holy Cross Church Tramore

Holy Thursday

Mass of the Lord's Supper 7.30pm
Holy Hour 8.30-9.30pm

Good Friday (Day of fast and abstinence)

Stations of the Cross 12 noon
Celebration of the Lord's Passion 3pm
Prayers around the Cross 7.30pm

Holy Saturday

Easter Vigil 9pm

Easter Sunday

Mass of the Lord's Resurrection 8.30am.

10.30am & 12.00

Our Lady's Church Carbally:

Good Friday

Celebration of the Lord's Passion 7pm

Easter Sunday

Mass of the Lord's Resurrection 11am

Sacred Heart Church Dunhill:

Good Friday

Celebration of the Lord's Passion 3pm

Easter Sunday

Mass of the Lord's Resurrection 10am

Church of the Immaculate Conception Fenor:

Holy Thursday

Mass of the Lord's Supper 7.30pm

Holy Saturday

Easter Vigil 9pm

COVID -19

It is recommended that parishioners continue to wear face coverings & sanitise their hands upon entry and leaving the church.

Priest on Duty 086-6004384

Reflection for Palm Sunday

He has endured the cross

Our gospel today is long; it is the first of two readings of the passion and death of Jesus; we hear many sayings and notice events that are familiar to us and to all Christians. Maybe during the week we could take time to reread the gospel account, and watch what happens, going a bit behind the externals.

We will see Jesus being mocked, tortured, hurt, ridiculed, beaten and killed. We notice his fear in the garden of his agony, and also his willingness to go to the end for what he believes in and sees as his mission in life. We see him being treated unjustly, and a notorious thief being chosen over him for release. We see him on the cross, when he seems to feel neglected by his Father.

We notice also the help he received - the silent sympathy and love of his mother, Simon's help carrying the cross, the sympathy of the 'daughters of Jerusalem', and even the faith of the Roman who said he was a good man, a 'son of God'. We wonder about how he felt with the mockery and with the help he received.

We can identify with much of his suffering, in our own lives and the lives of people close to us. He is the one who 'has endured the cross and despised its shame' (Hebrews).

We can often take comfort and consolation from the fact that he identifies with the suffering of the human race, and that his resurrection is the basis of our faith, hope and love.

Look at or imagine a crucifix, and pray as you feel drawn.

Lord, by your cross and resurrection, you have set us free; you are the Saviour of the world.

Donal Neary SJ

Lent - Holy Cross Church, Tramore

Holy Hour with Holy Face Lenten Devotion

Every Tuesday at 3pm for Lent...

The Holy Face Devotion will consist of 30 minutes vocal prayer at the start.

The remainder of the hour will consist of silent adoration of the Most Blessed Sacrament. Please come for some, or all of the Holy hour.

Divine Mercy Prayer Group Every Wednesday at 3pm

Collections:

<u>Trocaire Boxes</u> may be returned during Easter ceremonies or to the Sacristy or Parish Office from Monday April 3rd

For SECURITY REASONS please **DO NOT** leave boxes around the church or by any door.

If you wish to donate online go to www.tramoreparish.ie click Donate Now, click Other Collections where you will see the collections specified.

Good Friday: Collection for the Holy Places.

Easter: The Easter Collection is for the Support of the Priests of the Parish and Diocese,

Please remember in your

Prayers.....

Those who have died recently:

Philomena Hally neé Caulfield Margaret (Maggie) Farrell Tony (Wally) Wall Tommy Gammell Dominic Flynn Patrick Ridgard Snr

Those whose months mind Occur:

Niamh O'Connor Mary Lye née Kirby Anthony Behan

Those whose' Anniversaries

Occur:

Anne Murray Serhiy Biletskyi (1st Ann) Anna Treacy Alice Kelly Mattie & Áine Waters **Ned Cheasty** Dick Cowman Mary (Queenie) Halley

Weekly Collection:

26th Mar

Tramore: € 2950 Carbally: € 170

Next Week's Team 8/9 April Readers: Team A Rota for Readers, available in the Sacristy. Ministers of the Eucharist: Please contact

Olivia 086-3438467

Church Cleaning

The Church monthly cleaning takes place on Wednesday 5th April after 10am Mass. We thank all our volunteers who help keep our church clean and tidy.

The Parish Office

The Parish office is now open to the public with entry restricted.

Please knock on the door and we will be happy to help you.

Next week's opening Times:

Mon - Wed 9.30am - 4pm. Thurs & Friday - Closed for Easter The office will re-open on Wednesday 12th April Contact: 051-386477

Mass Book for July will open at the Parish Office on Monday 3rd April.

Bookings will be taken by phone from 9.30am 051 - 386477



Lovely selection of cards & gifts for Confirmation and First Holy Communion, available at the Parish Office.

Masses booked for the coming week:

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Saturday	1 st April	10.00am	Pádraig Cuddihy
		7.30pm	Maureen O'Reilly
Sunday	2 nd April	8.30am	Kathleen Condon
		10.30am	Iackie Richardson
		12.00 noon	Timothy & Margaret O'Mahony, Amy & Denis O'Mahony
Monday	3 rd April	10.00am	James & Mary Mackey
Tuesday	4 th April	10.00am	Bridget & Tom Leonard
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Wednesday	5 th April	10.00am	Mary Lye née Kirby (Months Mind)
Thursday	6 th April	7.30pm	MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER
	'	8.30-9.30pm	Holy Hour
Friday	7 th April	12.00noon	STATIONS OF THE CROSS
	-	3.00pm	CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S PASSION
		7.30pm	SERVICE OF READINGS AROUND THE CROSS
Saturday	8 th April	9.00pm	EASTER VIGIL
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Sunday	9 th April	8.30am	John Gordon, daughter Róisín & husband Jim Reddie
		10.30am	Joyce Robinson
		12.00 noon	Jack, May, Ted & Kitty Kennedy
Carbally			
Sunday	2 nd April	11.00am	Shinyoung Sheehan, Tom Aylward, Hannah Aylward, Tom Caulfield, Alice Caulfield
Sunday	9 th April	11.00am	Paddy Power, Margaret Phelan, Coolum



Arise Catholic Family Festival 2023

Calling families to come and join us in Holy Cross School, Tramore, Co.Waterford as we celebrate Easter together in the Sunny southeast. Make new friends with other families; share in wonderful celebrations of Holy Mass, and experience great teaching and seminars. Age-appropriate content is offered across the age groups. Dates: April 10-13th

This is an initiative of the Diocese of Waterford and Lismore and the Tine Network. For more details go to www.arisefamilyfestival.ie

"Check it Out!" events bulletin for the Diocese of Waterford & Lismore, containing a whole range of events you may be interested in over the coming days, weeks and months, including events for children, teens, young adults and families.

https://waterfordlismore.ie/check-out-thisweeks-newsletters/

Táize Vigil for Peace

Táize Vigil for Peace on Good Friday at 8pm -9pm with The Peace Choir joined by friends from Ukraine at Edmund Rice Chapel, Barrack St Waterford.

All are very welcome.

The Letter - Screening in St. John's Pastoral Centre, April 18th

Save the date! St. John's Pastoral Centre will screen the film 'The Letter' on Tuesday 18th April @ 7.30pm. This is something you won't want to miss. More information will follow closer to the time on our social media platforms and in your parishes. In the meantime, please save the date! Bookings can be made by calling 051-874199 or emailing marvdee@waterfordlismore.ie

Statement of Parish Accounts for 20/21 now available in the porches and accounts for 21/22 are been prepared for the diocesan accountants at the moment and will be available in due course.



ACCORD CATHOLIC MARRIAGE ACCORD CARE SERVICE CLG is currently recruiting people to facilitate on our Marriage Preparation Programmes. We would be delighted to hear from you if you are interested in training as a Facilitator with Accord in 2023

ACCORD WATERFORD is open for face-to-face counselling for couples and individuals to explore, reflect upon and work to resolve difficulties that arise in their marriage and relationships.

accordwaterford@gmail.com Phone 051 878333 TÜSLA

The Tramore Active Retirement Association monthly General Meeting will be held on Tuesday, April 4th 2023 at the Community Care Centre on the Pond Road at 11:00 a.m. All are welcome

Chrism Mass 111

You are invited to join Bishop Cullinan and Priests of the Diocese

Chrism Mass will be celebrated in Cathedral of the Most Holy Trinity, Waterford on 11am Holy Thursday 6th April

All are welcome