



Tramore & Carbally Parish Newslink

Sunday 1st June 2025
The Ascension of the Lord



MASS TIMES

Holy Cross Tramore

Saturday: 10am & 7.30pm (Vigil)

Sunday: 8.30am & 11am

Monday - Friday 10.00am

CONFESSIONS

Saturday 10.30am & 7pm and upon
Request

NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

Mondays after 10am Mass

HOLY FACE DEVOTION

Tuesday after 10am Mass

DIVINE MERCY

Wednesdays at 3pm

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Thursday after 10am Mass until 5pm
Church closes at 4pm Monday –
Wednesday and Friday & 5pm Thursday

Our Lady's Church, Carbally
Sunday at 11.00am

*Church of the Immaculate Conception
Fenor*

Saturday Vigil at 6pm
Tuesday 9am

Sacred Heart Church, Dunhill

Sunday at 9.30am
Wednesday 9am

COVID -19

It is recommended that all Parishioners continue to sanitize
their hands on entry and exit from the church

Priest on Duty
086-6004384

The Ascension of the Lord.

In the famous crucifix of San Damiano, the Lord ascends with a smile on his face. It is over, his mission is accomplished, and he has conquered death, and is now with us all days to the end of time. His earthly mission is accomplished, but not his mission of love for his people. He is with us now.

Jesus often talks of joy, often the joy of God in forgiving a sinner. The big joy of God seems to be mercy, and even in the memory of his own death Jesus finds joy. In the chapel of the home of St Francis Xavier in Navarre, the crucifix is of the 'smiling Jesus'. He smiles not in comfort and ease, but in love and sacrifice.

While we think today of the loss of Jesus, we are invited to rejoice as he leaves one way of being with us – on earth, to another way of being with us – from heaven. He both awaits us there and helps us get there, the mystery of the Divine Son who is one of us. The mystery goes farther that we are invited and called into sharing this life of his on earth, for in each of us is the life of Jesus, who makes his home in us.

This is background of the prayer of St Teresa of Avila: his life of his on earth, for in each of us is the life of Jesus, who makes his home in us.

*Christ has no body but yours,
No hands, no feet on earth but yours,
yours are the eyes with which he looks
Compassion on this world,
yours are the feet with which he walks to do good,
Yours are the hands, with which he blesses all the world...*
Christ has no body now on earth but yours.

Donal Neary SJ

MASS TO MARK THE 25th ANNIVERSARY OF THE ORDINATION OF THE LATE FR COLM O'BRIEN

This year marks the 25th Anniversary of the Ordination to the Priesthood of a remarkable, humble, prayerful and genuine priest, who sadly died at the young age of 36 in 2009 after serving as curate in both SS Peter & Paul's Clonmel and Holy Cross Tramore.

Fr Colm O'Brien was ordained to the priesthood on 4th June 2000 by Bishop William Lee in his home parish of St Paul's in Waterford.

A way of celebrating and thanking God for Fr Colm's life and priesthood, Bishop Cullinan will celebrate a Mass of Thanksgiving for the Priesthood of Fr Colm, on what would have been his 25th Anniversary, on Tuesday 3rd June at 7.30pm in St Paul's Church, Waterford. Everyone is most welcome to come to the Mass and give thanks to God for the impact Fr Colm made in those years, and to pray for the happy repose of his soul.

CEMETERY MASSES

The Annual Cemetery Mass & blessing of the graves for all those interred in our cemeteries will take place over the month of June as follows:

Carbally: Tuesday 24th June at 7.30pm

Tramore: Wednesday 25th June at 7.30pm

(Blessing of graves immediately after Mass in Holy Cross, St Patrick's & St Declan's)

Dunhill: Wednesday 18th June at 7.30pm.

Fenor: Thursday 19th June at 7.30pm.

(Blessing of graves immediately after Mass)

Masses booked for the coming week:

Please remember in your Prayers.....

Those who have died recently:

Those whose Months mind Occurs:

Ursula Margaret O'Sullivan

James (Jim) O'Brien

Those whose' Anniversary Occurs:

Karen Walsh

Stella & Willie Piper & families

Jim & Kitty Gilligan, son Eugene, daughter Joan

Joan & Larry Cullinan

Francis & Sarah Douglas

Next Week's Team **7/8 Jun**

Readers: Team C

New Rota for Readers, available in the Sacristy.

Ministers Rota of the Eucharist:

Contact: Olivia 086-3438467

Weekly Church Collection: 25th May

Tramore: € 2860

Carbally: € 230

We thank all for your continued support

The Parish Office

Next week's opening Times:

Mon – **Closed Bank Holiday**

Tues - Fri: 9.30am – 1pm

Contact: 051-386477

Mass Booking

The Mass Book for September will open at the Parish Office on Tuesday 3rd June from 9.30am.

Phone bookings will be taken after 10am

Church Cleaning

The Church monthly cleaning will take place on Wednesday 4th June after 10am Mass.

We thank all our volunteers for their continued help.

Tramore Parish FACEBOOK

Parish of Tramore & Carbally
You may also access on parish website:

www.tramoreparish.ie

Please LIKE  and SHARE with your family and friends

Parish Website

You may have noticed, over the last few weeks, there is an additional page added to our Parish website: "**Gospel & Reflection**" which features the Sunday Gospel every weekend. On this page also there is a Reflection on the Gospel each week, written by Fr. Richard.

www.tramoreparish.ie

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| Saturday | 31 st May | 10.00am | Marie Hayes |
| | | | Michael Farrell |
| | | 7.30pm | |
| Sunday | 1 st June | 8.30am | Tom O'Neill |
| | | | Mary & James Caulfield |
| | | 11.00am | Nicholas Garvey |
| | | | Tom & Lily Martin |
| Monday | 2 nd June | 10.00am | Agnes & Paddy Connors |
| Tuesday | 3 rd June | 10.00am | Michael Farrelly |
| | | | Noreen Grace |
| Wednesday | 4 th June | 10.00am | Bill O'Donoghue |
| | | | Joan & Larry Cullinan |
| Thursday | 5 th June | 10.00am | Colm Kehoe |
| | | | Kitty Keogh, Tivoli |
| Friday | 6 th June | 10.00am | HOLY SOULS , Phyllis Fitzgerald |
| Saturday | 7 th June | 10.00am | Michael & Brigid Cullen, sons Declan, Tom, Con, Michael & Noel & daughters Eileen & Anne |
| | | | John McNeil (1 st Anniversary) |
| | | 7.30pm | |
| Sunday | 8 th June | 8.30am | |
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| | | 11.00am | Bobby Taylor |
| | | | Michael Howard |
| Carbally | | | |
| Sunday | 1 st June | 11.00am | Catherine Curran (1 st Anniversary) |
| Sunday | 8 th June | 11.00am | |

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION - Holy Cross Church Tramore.

Congratulations to the children from Gaelscoil Philip Barún National School who received their First Holy Communion this weekend.

ADOPT A BEE HIVE

"The *Adopt a Hive* project supports families in East Pokot, Kenya, through sustainable beekeeping. Each €50 donation provides a hive, training, and equipment to help local people generate income and improve food security. The initiative is championed by Fr Tom Hogan CSSp, a native of Tramore, who has worked closely with communities in East Pokot for many years. By adopting a hive, Tramore parishioners can make a lasting impact, helping families to help themselves while fostering a meaningful link between our parish and the people of Kenya. Donations can be made by cash or cheque to Fr Tom Hogan at the parish office."

All-Ireland Rosary Rally

Saturday 7th June at Knock Shrine: Mass, Talks, Youth Conference, Living Rosary, Rosary & Scapular Making Workshop, Rosary Procession and Stations of the Cross, Marian Conference. More info on www.allirelandrosaryrally.com

WORD OF GOD OUTREACH celebrating **Pentecost Sunday**

Sunday June 8th

Time: 10am – 5.30pm

Venue: Tower Hotel, Waterford

All welcome – Further information contact:

Síle 086-8590394

CAMPA MHUIRE MHÁTHAIR FAITH CAMP

Good News Summer Faith Camp for boys and Girls aged 6-12 years will take place at Glór na Mara school, Tramore.

Monday 7th -10th July – 10am - 3pm.

Please book early to avoid disappointment. Contact Pam 086-0726232/ Olivia 086-3438467. More info www.tramoreparish.ie

TRAMORE MEALS ON WHEELS

Volunteers needed for Kitchen Duty

Mornings only

Contact Mandy @ 087 6720501

St. Mary's Ballygunner Cemetery Mass 2025

Thursday 19th June @ 7.30pm