



# Tramore & Carbally Parish Newslink

Sunday 22nd February 2026

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Lent

The  
Season  
of  
Lent



## MASS TIMES

*Holy Cross Tramore*

**Saturday:** 10am & 7.30pm (Vigil)

**Sunday:** 8.30am & 11am

**Monday - Friday** 10.00am

### CONFESSIONS

Saturday 10.30am 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

### PRAYERS FOR HOLY SOULS

Friday after 10am Mass

*Our Lady's Church, Carbally*

**Sunday March 1<sup>st</sup> 11.0am**

*Church of the Immaculate Conception Fenor*

**Sat Feb 28<sup>th</sup> No MASS**

*Sacred Heart Church, Dunhill*

**Sunday March 1<sup>st</sup> 9.30am**

### 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**

## Reflection for 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Lent

### Co-creators

Jesus is tempted to use creation just for himself. This can happen with money, to other people, the environment and religion. We are called to look after God's creation, not control it.

To be co-workers with God is our call - to focus on people as well as plans, to feel the needs here and abroad.

One view of God is that he looks after the world for good or bad, and we are just the receivers. The other is that we are co-workers in developing the world and God's creation. Jesus was tempted to throw himself away from the world as he knew it, but he did not. He would live by the word of God, and God would care for him as for the parents in the first reading.

'A Christian who doesn't safeguard creation, or who doesn't make it flourish, is a Christian who isn't concerned with God's work, that work born of God's love for us' (Pope Francis, 2015).

The temptation to Jesus was to take him off the path of his father. Like him, we are often tempted to use the creation of God just for our benefit. Our call is to be co-creators of the world with God.

*Imagine a garden where everything is beautiful. It is the 'creation' of a gardener. Then imagine that someone has ruined one corner of it- notice the difference. Apply this to how we treat God's creation.*

*May we care for your creation, O Lord,  
with the love you have for creation and for us*

**Donal Neary SJ.**

## Season of Lent



STATIONS OF THE CROSS WILL TAKE PLACE EVERY FRIDAY MORNING DURING LENT AFTER 10AM MASS.

Trócaire boxes will available in the porches

Please take home a Trócaire box for Lent and give it a prominent place somewhere in the home.

Prayers for the Holy Souls after 10am Mass every Friday morning after Stations during Lent.

The tapestry behind the altar will be covered in a purple cloth for Lent, a symbol of a different season and the sacrifice of the season.

## Masses booked for the coming week:

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

*Those who have died recently:*

*Those whose Months mind Occurs:*

Eileen Flanagan

James (Jim) Morrissey

Agnes Power née Cheasty

*Those whose Anniversary Occurs:*

Michael Treacy 1<sup>st</sup> Ann

Joseph Williams 1<sup>st</sup> Ann

Colm Clooney 1<sup>st</sup> Ann

Richard Crowley

Mary Butler

Mary & Tommy Coffey

Maura Ryan

Patrick & Bridget Callanan

James Burke

Patsy & Cissy Laverty

Angela Halligan

Berna Walsh, parents, Paddy &

Pauline

**Next Week's Team** 28 Feb/1 Mar

**Readers:** Team B

**New Rota for Readers**, available in the Sacristy.

**Ministers Rota of the Eucharist:**

Contact: Olivia 086-3438467

**Weekly Church Collection:**

15<sup>th</sup> Feb

**Tramore:** € 3335

**Carbally:** € 350

**Donation:** €100

We thank all for your continued support.

**The Parish Office**

Next week's opening Times:

Mon – Fri: 9.30am – 1pm


Contact: 051-386477

**Tramore Parish FACEBOOK**

Parish of Tramore & Carbally

You may also access on parish website:

[www.tramoreparish.ie](http://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](http://www.tramoreparish.ie)

**Confirmations /Communions**

Lovely selection of Cards, Rosaries, Rosettes & gifts for First Holy Communion/Confirmation, are now available.

*Please feel free to drop in.*

Saturday	21st Feb	<b>10.00am</b>	Timothy & Margaret O'Mahony & Amy & Denis O'Mahony
			Mary Flanagan
		<b>7.30pm</b>	Eileen Flanagan Months mind
			Agnes Power Months Mind (Rem husband Eugene)
Sunday	22nd Feb	<b>8.30am</b>	Marthy O'Rourke 1 <sup>st</sup> Ann
			Tony Nangle & Paul Collins
		<b>11.00am</b>	Michael Treacy 1 <sup>st</sup> Ann
			Christy & Myra Crowley
Monday	23rd Feb	<b>10.00am</b>	Mary Brennan
Tuesday	24th Feb	<b>10.00am</b>	Angela & Peter Halligan
			Special Intention
Wednesday	25th Feb	<b>10.00am</b>	Finian Mongey
			Special Intention
Thursday	26th Feb	<b>10.00am</b>	
Friday	27th Feb	<b>10.00am</b>	<b>Holy Souls</b> , Fr David Keating who died recently
Saturday	28th Feb	<b>10.00am</b>	Billy & Anne Butler & deceased family members
			Niamh O'Connor
		<b>7.30pm</b>	David Walsh (Months mind)
			Dick Murray
Sunday	1 <sup>st</sup> Mar	<b>8.30am</b>	Maura, Lena & Kathleen Condon
		<b>11.00am</b>	Kitty & Edward McGrath
			Peggy Gilligan (40 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary)
<b>Carbally</b>			
Sunday	1st Mar	<b>11.00am</b>	Edith & Nicholas Power, Mary McMahon
Sunday	15th Mar	<b>11.00am</b>	

### **MEN'S RETREAT: "More than Conquerors" (Rom 8:37)**

**24th - 26th April**, Holy Family Mission, Glencomeragh House, Kilsheelan, Co. Tipperary E91H584. Led by Fr Patrick Cahill, Martin Moran and Patrick Reynolds. *Revive - Rebuild - Restore*. Brotherhood, BBQ, Campfire, Airsoft and Axe-throwing. Age 18+. Cost €230 (full board accommodation). To book email [info@holyfamilymission.ie](mailto:info@holyfamilymission.ie) or call 052 6133181

### **BAPTISED AND SENT IN LENT REFLECTION PROGRAMME:**

Join us for these afternoons of reflection as we rediscover who we are as God's people, listen to the Holy Spirit and take concrete steps, individually and collectively towards living our baptismal calling more deeply. Offered in three locations around the Diocese on Sundays 2.30 – 4pm (Feb 22nd – March 22nd): St John's Pastoral Centre, John's Hill, Waterford X91 HW9D | St Mary's Parish Pastoral Room, Mitchel St., Dungarvan, X35DE98 | \* St Oliver's Pastoral Centre, Clonmel E91 E339 (\* Begins on March 1st in Clonmel) Led by the Diocesan Synodal Team and Diocesan volunteers. All are welcome! More info on <https://waterfordlismore.ie/pastoral/synod/>

**LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR@** Tinteán na hÉireann, (The Foyer of Charity), Leperstown Cross, Dunmore East, Co. Waterford X91FC65. Sundays 3 – 5pm from February 15th – March 29th. Open to all newcomers. Prayer, teaching, tea / coffee. To register contact Helen (086) 1678027 or [hellywilliams@gmail.com](mailto:hellywilliams@gmail.com)

**LIFE SHARED: Small group sessions on Zoom to encourage and equip everyone in the church to share our faith.** We'll explore what it means to live out God's call to share our lives and our faith with friends, colleagues, and neighbours. **Session Dates:** 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd, and 30th March 2026, 8:00 - 9:15pm. **For more information or to register, please contact:** Sr. Kathryn - [waterford@ascjus.org](mailto:waterford@ascjus.org) or 087 404 2874 or see <https://waterfordlismore.ie/faith-development/>

### **Tea and Coffee Morning with a Raffle**

Please come along and raise a cup for MND  
Tramore Golf Club  
Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> Feb at 10.30am  
All proceeds in aid of the Irish Motor Neuron Association

### **Order of Malta Church Gate Collection**

A collection will take place next weekend Feb 28<sup>th</sup> Mar 1<sup>st</sup> in aid of the Lourdes invalid Fund.  
Your support is greatly appreciated