



# Tramore & Carbally Parish Newslink

Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> September 2023

23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time



## MASS TIMES

### *Holy Cross Tramore*

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

**Sunday**  
8.30am, 10.30am and  
12 noon

**Monday – Thursday 10.00am**

**Friday – 7.30am & 10.00am**

### *CONFESSIONS*

Saturday 10.30am & 7pm and upon Request

### *NOVENA OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP*

Mondays after 10am Mass

### *HOLY FACE DEVOTION*

Tuesday after 10am Mass

### *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 parishioners continue to sanitise their hands upon entry and leaving the church.

**Priest on Duty**  
**086-6004384**

### Reflection for 23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### *Each Other's Keepers*

In any group, small and big, things cause friction. Everyone thinks his or her way is right. We can fight over who is right. Some things are worth a fight, others not.

In the big questions of life, we need the advice, support and love of the other. Many people ask themselves, "Why I didn't give an honest opinion about a decision like marriage or a job or a course of studies which seemed ill-advised to everyone?" We all have good and not-so-good tendencies. We can only advise as best we can, sensitively and wisely, and hope we get a hearing.

We are afraid to hurt, to be rejected. Why do we let so many people drink themselves into trouble and never tell them? The terror of a neighbourhood, no matter what age, needs to be confronted. The problem of drugs in a neighbourhood is not confronted. Crime is not reported.

In small and big things we are each others' keepers. Jesus is saying something like that today. Parents can find this difficult as they try to guide the family well and not lose them. We have social responsibility in the family and in the neighbourhood and even worldwide for the common good.

God wants the best for each of us. We can help each other to goodness, we can support each other, advise each other, pray for and with each other, and help each other on our way to God.

*Recall an occasion when another gave good advice,  
even when you may not have liked it at the beginning.*

*Be grateful!*

*Give me wisdom, Lord, when others ask me for advice or an opinion.*

*Donal Neary SJ*



**Next Thursday, 14th September**, is the Feastday of the Exaltation of the Cross. -The Feastday of the parish of Tramore and Carbally. This Feastday "stems from the truth that 'apart from the cross there is no other ladder by which we may get to heaven' (St. Rose of Lima). Christ won our salvation on the Cross, redeeming us from sin and meriting all the graces we continue to receive through the sacraments. Exalting the Holy Cross each year encourages us in the midst of our own sufferings, assuring us that suffering is a sign not that God has abandoned us, but that we are being invited into a closer union with our Saviour." Crucifixes came into use from the mid-4C when, according to tradition, St. Helena, the mother of Constantine, brought back from Jerusalem pieces of the true Cross, which she then distributed throughout the world for veneration. The feast of the Exaltation originated with the dedication on this day in 335 of the Church of the Holy Sepulchre in Jerusalem where relics of the cross were kept. It also marks the rescue of the relic of the true Cross by Emperor Heraclius in 629 after they had been captured by the Persians. But our focus on this day is on the Cross itself, the instrument of our salvation. 14th September is, in many ways, an extension of Good Friday.

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

**Those who have died recently:**

Gemma Halpin née Power  
Josephine Theresa (Terry) Doyle

**Those whose months mind Occur:**

John (Monty) Hartrey  
Gerald (Gerry) Cullinan

**Those whose' Anniversaries Occur:**

Thomas Keogh  
Maureen Corcoran (1st Ann)  
Gerard Joyce (1st Ann)  
Margaret & John O'Keeffe & John Jnr  
Esther & Jessica McCann  
Jimmy Leonard  
Peter Daly  
Patrick & Josephine O'Brien & son  
Patrick  
Dick O'Sullivan  
Margaret & Declan Power (Newtown Rise)  
Bridget O'Shea  
Carol Prendergast

**Those who were married recently:**

Ricky Farrell & Katie Roche

*We wish them every blessing in their married life together*

**Next Week's Team** 16/17 Sept

**Readers:** Team C

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

**Ministers of the Eucharist:** Please contact Olivia 086-3438467

**Weekly Collection:** 3<sup>rd</sup> Sept

**Tramore:** € 3840

**Carbally:** €250

€225) (27<sup>th</sup> Aug

**The Parish Office**

**Next week's opening Times:**

Mon – Thurs 9.30am – 4pm

Fri: 9.30am – 3.30pm

Contact: 051-386477

**The Mass Books for November & December are open at the Parish Office**

**The Holy Face devotion** will take place in Holy Cross every Tuesday after 10am Mass.

**Divine Mercy**



The Divine Mercy Prayer Group will meet at 3pm every Wednesday in Holy Cross Church, Tramore. All are welcome.

**Masses booked for the coming week:**

Saturday	9 <sup>th</sup> Sept	10.00am	Thomas Keogh
		7.30pm	Clodagh Floud & Bridget Leonard
Sunday	10 <sup>th</sup> Sept	8.30am	Aidan & Nellie White
		10.30am	Anne Scanlon
		12.00 noon	Matt Cassin
Monday	11 <sup>th</sup> Sept	10.00am	Tom & Angela Anthony
Tuesday	12 <sup>th</sup> Sept	10.00am	Statia & Thomas Dunne
Wednesday	13 <sup>th</sup> Sept	10.00am	Charlie (Noel) Power (Months Mind)
Thursday	14 <sup>th</sup> Sept	10.00am	<b>PARISH FEAST DAY</b>
Friday	15 <sup>th</sup> Sept	7.30am	Christopher Buckley
		10.00am	Ceirán Quinn
Saturday	16 <sup>th</sup> Sept	10.00am	Anne Murray
		7.30pm	Charles & Anastasia White
Sunday	17 <sup>th</sup> Sept	8.30am	Noel Kiely
		10.30am	John & Mary Kearns
		12.00 noon	Liam Curtin
<b>Carbally</b>			
Sunday	10 <sup>th</sup> Sept	11.00am	Paddy Farrell & Farrell Family, Ballinamintra
	17 <sup>th</sup> Sept	11.00am	Robert Lodge

**Introduction to Theology of the Body:**

Discovering God's Master Plan for your life

STUDY GROUP 2023. Mondays 7.30 - 9pm. **October 2<sup>nd</sup>, 9, 23, 30 | November 6, 13, 27 | December 4.**

Prayer, DVD, Discussion, Tea/Coffee.

Theology of the body provides a lens through which to view the whole mystery of human life. If you have a body this theology is for you! Venue: Foyer of Charity, Dunmore East, Waterford, X91 FC65.

Registration Essential: Helen  
0861678027/hellywilliams@gmail.com

**Eucharistic Adoration in the Diocese**

Spend time in the True Presence of Jesus. For a list of locations and times for Eucharistic Adoration in the Diocese checkout

<https://waterfordlismore.ie/eucharistic-adoration/>

**Pope's intention for September**

**For people living on the margins**

We pray for those persons living on the margins of society, in inhumane life conditions; may they not be overlooked by institutions and never considered of lesser importance.

**Breakthrough Cancer Research** is the largest funder of research into poor prognosis cancers in the island of Ireland. We are having a bucket collection in Tramore on the 29<sup>th</sup> September.

We are looking for people to supervise between 10am and 2pm. If you would like to help us Make More Survivors please contact Mary at 021 422 6655 or email [mary@breakcancer.ie](mailto:mary@breakcancer.ie)  
[www.breakthroughcancerresearch.ie](http://www.breakthroughcancerresearch.ie)



**Fr. Mark O'Farrell CC**

We extend a warm welcome to Fr. Mark O'Farrell CC to our Parish this weekend.

Fr. Mark takes up his first appointment as a Priest in Tramore & Carbally, Dunhill & Fenor.

Fr. Mark is no stranger to the Parish, having been on placement here for a number of months as part of his final year of formation from Maynooth.

He was ordained just a few short weeks ago by Bishop Cullinan and now begins his ministry as a Priest of the Diocese of Waterford & Lismore.

We wish him every blessing and contentment in his appointment, and we look forward to working with him.

**Bingo is back!**

Every Tuesday 2pm-4pm

**Whist** on Monday 7pm sharp

Tramore Community Care, Pond road, Tramore.

Beginners welcome

**Waterford Male Voice choir**

WMVC will resume rehearsals for the coming season on Tuesday Sept 12<sup>th</sup> at 8pm at Glór na Mara School. Open night on 26<sup>th</sup> September. New members welcome. Don't be shy- Give it a try