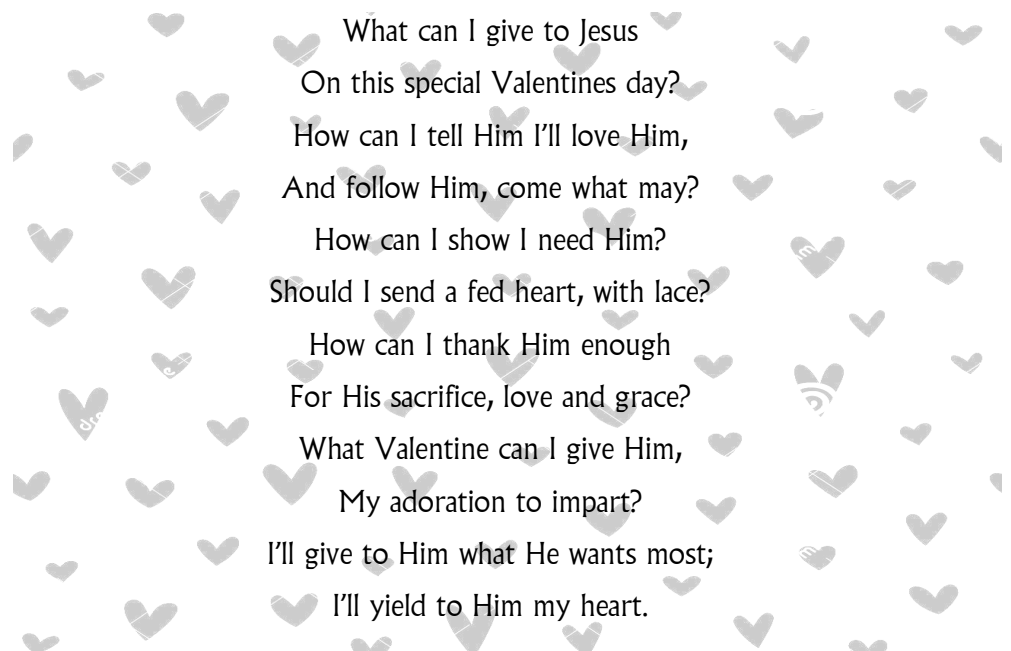


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Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

16th February



What can I give to Jesus  
On this special Valentines day?  
How can I tell Him I'll love Him,  
And follow Him, come what may?  
How can I show I need Him?  
Should I send a fed heart, with lace?  
How can I thank Him enough  
For His sacrifice, love and grace?  
What Valentine can I give Him,  
My adoration to impart?  
I'll give to Him what He wants most;  
I'll yield to Him my heart.

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**Parish Office Opening Hours**

Monday, Wednesday & Friday 9.45am - 12.45pm

Next edition of the Newsletter  
**Sunday 23rd February 2020**

**MASSSES FOR THE COMING WEEK**

Tuesday & Wednesday  
Mooncoin 9.30am

**N.B. No mass Thursday or Friday**  
Sunday 23rd February : **Kilnaspic 9.30am**

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament  
Thursday 10am - 6pm in the Nagle Chapel

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS TRAINING 2020.**

Wednesday 4th & Wednesday 11th March in  
Mullinavat Parish Hall.

**MASSSES FOR ASH WEDNESDAY 26TH FEBRUARY:**

**Mooncoin 9.30am / Carrigeen 7.30pm.**

Ashes will be distributed at each of these masses.  
Ash Wednesday & Good Friday are days of fasting  
and abstinence. For Catholics, fasting is the  
reduction of one's intake of food, while abstinence  
refers to refraining from meat (or another type of  
food) the Catholic Church teaches us that all people  
are obliged by God to perform some penance for  
their sins, and that these acts of penance are both  
personal and corporeal. The purpose of fasting is  
spiritual focus, self discipline, imitation of Christ,  
and performing penance. Bodily fasting is meaningless  
unless it is joined with a spiritual fast from sin.

**ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR**

**MOONCOIN/CARRIGEEN/KILNASPIC.** Paper copies  
are available at the back of the Church of go to  
[www.mooncoinparish.ie](http://www.mooncoinparish.ie). Many thanks to all who  
contribute to the parish finances, all who collect,  
count, lodge and who maintain the financial  
records of the parish and who have compiled and  
published this year end record.

**S.V.P. CONFERENCE MEETING** Monday 17th  
February @7.30pm in the Nagle Chapel

**SAFEGUARDING CONCERNS** If you have a child  
safeguarding concern or wish to raise a matter from  
the past you may contact any of the following:  
Diocesan Designated Persons Mr. Cathal Cullen 087  
100 0232 or Ms. Rose Brophy 087 331 4330

**MOONCOIN WOMENS GROUP**

Every Monday morning from 10am to 12pm  
in the Parish Hall. All are welcome.

**MOONCOIN PARISH MEN'S SHED** Open every  
Monday, Wednesday & Friday 11am - 2pm. Come  
along and join us for a cuppa and a chat in the  
former Ashgrove Pitch and Putt Clubhouse.

**CHANGE OF BAPTISM SCHEDULE**

From March 2020 Baptisms are celebrated  
in our parish on the following all at 5pm  
1st Saturday of the Month - Carrigeen  
2nd Saturday of the Month - Kilnaspic  
3rd Saturday of the Month - Mooncoin

**CEMETERY MASSES 2020:**

Carrigeen - Friday 5th June. Mooncoin  
(new) - Saturday 6th June. Mooncoin (old) -  
Friday 12th June. Kilnaspic - Saturday 27th  
June \* TIMES TO BE CONFIRMED \*

**CARRIGEEN COMMUNITY PRE-SCHOOL** are  
exploring the possibility of extending our  
hours. If parents are interested please contact  
Emma on mob: 086 152 5631 or email  
[carrigeenpreschool@gmail.com](mailto:carrigeenpreschool@gmail.com)

**CARING FOR THE EARTH Bringing Laudato Si  
to Life in our parish communities:**

This important conference day on 4th  
March. See the poster on the web  
[www.mooncoinparish.ie](http://www.mooncoinparish.ie) for information.  
There will be plenty marketplace stalls as  
well so participants will come away with  
plenty of practical ideas for what can  
happen in parishes to play our part in  
caring for our common home. For  
registration please contact:  
[Mary.Boyce@trocaire.org](mailto:Mary.Boyce@trocaire.org) / 01 6293333  
leaving name, parish and diocese. The day is  
free but places are limited so book early to  
avoid disappointment.

**ANNUAL LOURDES COLLECTION:** a second  
collection will be taken up at all Masses  
next weekend 22/23 February, to support  
the Ossory Lourdes Pilgrimage.

**MOONCOIN SOCCER CLUB DRAW JANUARY**

1st Prize: Walter Long  
2nd Prize: Patrick & James Walsh  
3rd Prize: Anna Hennebry.  
Thanks to all our supporters

**PARISH DIARY**

MOONCOIN	DATE / TIME		NAMES		
CLEANERS	February	19th	Mary Grace Noeleen Kinsella	Margaret Crowley Ellen Fitzpatrick	
FLOWERS	February		Ann Crowley O'Neill	Katrina Foskin	Una Foley
COLLECTORS	February	7.00pm	Therese Walsh	Tom Roche	
		11.00am	Seamus O'Brien	Peter Purcell	
READERS	Feb 22nd	7.00pm	Joe Cashin	Mary Cotter Power	
	Feb 23rd	11.00am	Marjorie Godinho	Liz Knox	
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	February	7.00pm	Hannah O'Shea	Bridget McGrath	Monica Hassett
		11.00am	William Doyle	Catriona Cooney	Tom Grant

CARRIGEEN	DATE / TIME		NAMES		
CLEANERS	February	29th	Kitty Doyle	Julianne Walsh	
COLLECTORS	February		Joe Dunphy	Frances Dunphy	
READERS	March 1st	9.30am	Ronan Walsh	Derek Pheasey	
E. MINISTERS	March 1st	9.30am	TBC	TBC	

KILNASPIC	DATE / TIME		NAMES		
CLEANERS	February	22nd	A. Walsh	M.Rochford	
COLLECTOR	February	9.30am	Pat Kinsella / Tomas Kinsella / Jim Hearne		
READERS	Feb 23rd	9.30am	Katherine Hogan		
E. MINISTERS	Feb 23rd	9.30am	Kathlene Walsh	Mary Frisby	

**RECENTLY DECEASED:**

Margaret Reid nee Conroy,  
Gracedieu Road, Waterford / Mooncoin

**ANNIVERSARIES 15th / 16th February:**

Philomena McGuire, Ballybrazil / Dungarvan  
Davy, Richard, Pat, Mary, Anastasia & Josephine Phelan, Kilcraggan.  
Martin Long, Ballygriffin. Robert & Margaret Walsh, New Aglish.  
Willie Madden, Corluddy (1st Anniversary) Mary Foley, Rathkieran.  
Nicholas Walsh, Ballybrazil. James O'Keefe, Clonassey. James Walsh, Rathkieran.  
Nicholas Walsh, Luffany. Margaret Delahunty, Luffany. James Kenny, Luffany.  
William & Stasia Walsh, Crawn. Philip & William Rowe, Kilcraggan

**Anniversary Mass 23rd February 9.30am Kilnaspic:**

Irene Kinsella, Clogga (1st Anniversary)

**TROCAIRE BOXES** are available in the three churches. Thank you.

**LENTEN STATIONS ARE NOW DUE.** Your support is much appreciated.

**ALTAR SERVERS & READERS WANTED FOR KILNASPIC** Contact Katherine on 087 283 1005

**REMEMBER:** There is only 9/10 days to Ash Wednesday.