

Vol. 30 No. 12 Twenty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time 6th September 2020

NEW BEGINNINGS

How often we wish for another chance  
to have a fresh beginning.

A chance to blot out our mistakes  
and change failure into winning.

It does not take a new year  
to make a brand new start.

It only takes a deep desire  
to try with all your heart.

To live a little better  
and to always be forgiving.

To add a little sunshine to  
the world in which we are living.

So, never give up in despair  
and think that you are through.

For there's always a tomorrow  
and a chance to start anew

*By Helen Steiner Rice*

### KILNASPIC

**N.B:** There will be no 9.30am mass in Kilnaspic on **Sunday 13th September**. There will be **an indoor mass** at 2pm on that day, with a  **blessing of the graves afterwards**.

We ask all to observe the HSE guidelines when attending mass.

**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

### **Due to the ongoing Coronavirus Pandemic**

We would advise people to protect themselves and others by making use of the sanitation devices in our churches. A mask must be worn when attending services. General information can be obtained on the parish website.

### **WHEN BOOKING A BAPTISM OR WEDDING BY PHONE OR EMAIL**

#### **PLEASE NOTE:**

Baptisms / weddings are not considered **officially booked** until all forms are completed and returned to the Parish Office.

### **SVP CHURCH GATE COLLECTION**

This weekend 5th / 6th September  
Your support is greatly appreciated

There is now a **DONATE** button on our website.

To access this feature please go to [www.mooncoinparish.ie](http://www.mooncoinparish.ie)

### **Baptisms are celebrated in our parish on the following @ 5pm**

1st Saturday of the Month  
Carrigeen  
2nd Saturday of the Month  
Kilnaspic  
3rd Saturday of the Month  
Mooncoin

We ask, for the protection of all, that baptisms are only attended by immediate family.

### **VISITATION OF THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND**

The HSE guidelines and Bishop Farrell's recommendation is that we should not visit the homes of the housebound. However should any person request a visit and issues an invitation to visit we may do so, taking all necessary precautions.

For the foreseeable any requests for home visits will be spread out over the course of the month.

### **Confirmation 2021**

The sacrament of Confirmation will take place in our parish on Friday 16th April

### **ANNIVERSARIES**

Pat Foley, Chapel Street. Rita Moore, Rathcurby.  
Richard, Mary & Eileen Holden, Luffany.  
Peter Fitzgerald & The Fitzgerald Family, The Cross.

### **MONTHS MIND:**

Mary Walsh, Rathkieran

We would like to extend our sincere condolences to the families and loved ones of those who sadly passed away during the Pandemic.  
May they all Rest in Peace



### **St Mary's Cathedral Restoration Fund Draw** September 2020—August 2021

Subscription €10 per month. Draw will be held at 8pm on the last Wednesday of each month in the Chapter Room.  
For further information contact the Ossory Diocesan Office 056 776 2448

### **Communion/Confirmation 2020**

We would like to congratulate all the children who made their First Holy Communion and Confirmation recently.  
And to all who put in the hard work to help make their day a special one.

### **MOONCOIN PARISH OFFICE**

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