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Twenty Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Fr Martin is not available this coming week, there will be no Mass Monday to Friday inclusive. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament in the Nagel Chapel this Thursday from 10 a.m. – 12 noon with Holy Communion distributed at 12 noon.

**October Month of the Holy Rosary.** Please pray all or part of the Rosary as a family prayer at home.

**October, 1st Feast of St. Therese,** the Little Flower, Patron of the Mission. Let us continue to pray and support the Mission of Christ and his Church during this month of the Missions.

**October 2nd Feast of Our Guardian Angels.** We pray the Angels will protect us all.

**October 4th Feast of St. Francis of Assisi,** Patron of the Environment. Let us continue to work to protect and save our common home. On October 4th, Pope Francis will open the first session of the 16th Ordinary General Assembly of the Synod of Bishops and from the 4-29 October 2023 Catholic bishops, priests, and lay women and men from all over the world gather in Rome for the Synod of Bishops to discuss “synodality” — the way in which all members of the church participate in the church and its mission.

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**NB: No Mass  
Monday to Friday inclusive.**

Weekend mass timetable for the Parishes of Kilmacow and Mooncoin is now in effect.

Saturday Vigil Mass	Mooncoin	7pm
Sunday	Carrigeen/ Kilnaspic	*8.50am* (alternate weeks)
	Mooncoin	10am
	Kilmacow	11.15am
Please note the change above from 9.00am to *8.50am*		
In the event of an emergency, with only one priest available in the Pastoral Area, we will use our <b>Emergency timetable</b>		
Saturday	Piltown	6pm
Sunday	Kilmacow	9.30am
Sunday	Mooncoin	11am

**To celebrate SDG (Sustainable Development Goals )** week join us at Carrick on Suir Library for a food waste recycling information event. Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> Oct 2.00 -5.00 p.m. Come along and collect our FREE food waste caddy pack. Remember recycling your food waste is a positive Climate Action.

**St Vincent de Paul Collection**  
Kilnaspic Church Sunday October 8th@ 8:50am, Thank you for your continued support it is much appreciated

**Thank you** to all those who sent Mass Bouquets and get well wishes, those who called to see me and all in the community during my surgery *Pat Kinsella*

**COLÁISTE COIS SIUIRE  
CLOTHES FOR CASH**

This is a great chance for a wardrobe clear out before the mid-term break & Christmas! You can donate the following.  
\*All re-wearable clothes \* paired shoes \* handbags \* belts \* bed linen \* curtains \* unsoiled towels

**No Duvets, Carpets or pillows please**  
Donation drop-off any school day up to Thursday 26th October in Coláiste Cois Siuire.

This is a Transition Year Initiative supported by the Parents Association

**MOONCOIN MEN'S SHED**

Monday, Wednesday & Friday from 10.30am - 1pm at the Ashgrove Pitch and Putt Clubhouse. New and existing members are welcome.  
Contact Joe on 087 761 2390.

**LEADERS REQUIRED** Fun energetic leaders are needed for the return of the Mooncoin **YOUTH CLUB** in September. Full training will be provided. Please contact Charlene on 085 771 6961 for further information.

**October Stations.** Please support the financial livelihood of the priests who are serving Mooncoin / Carrigeen / Kilnaspic Parish. Fr. Aaron was delighted to receive so much help from the clergy fund of this parish during his stay with us. In a text he spoke about the financial support he received: "This is helping me a lot in my parish pastoral work. I've started the process of drilling a mono pump in my village. I don't know how to appreciate you all for your kind gesture. Your generosity is overwhelming". We, the priests, thank you for your on-going support.

Mooncoin	Date/Time	Names	Date/Time	Names
Flowers	October	Annette Purcell	Eucra Downey	
Readers	Saturday 7th October	Maria Phelan Eileen McGrath	Sunday 8th October	Teresa Gorman Luiseach Donohoe
Eucharistic Ministers	Saturday 7th October	TBC	Sunday 8th October	TBC

Carrigeen	Date/Time	Names
Cleaners	15th October	Siobhan Walsh Breda Ryan
Readers	15th October	Brid Mackey Margaret Phelan
Eucharistic Ministers	8th October	Yvonne Pheasey
Collectors	15th October	Ronan Walsh Margaret Phelan

Kilnaspic	Date/Time	Names
Cleaners	October	J. Corcoran
Readers	8th October	Ben Dawson
Eucharistic Ministers	8th October	Annette Reddy

**RECENTLY DECEASED:** Tom Thompson, Roseleigh. Tess Larkin (sister of Maureen Falconer) Kilkenny / Swords  
**ANNIVERSARIES:** Tommy Power, Luffany (1st Anniversary) Nellie Doyle, Piltown/Ballygorey. Johnny Howley, Portnahully. Dan Doran, Convent View. Frank Bradshaw, Main Street. Gerald Wells, Coventry. Annie Barron, Kilmacow. Anastasia Malone, Carrigeen / Tullogher. Jack & Catherine Purcell, Old Luffany. Paddy Murphy, St Anne's Terrace. Ned O'Keeffe, St Anne's Terrace. Hannah Murphy, Ballincur. Tommy Murphy, Ballincur / Waterford. John McGrath, Dungooley. Margaret McGrath, Dungooley.  
**MONTHS MIND:** Josephine Walsh, Viewmount / Mooncoin