

Sunday, 1st June, 2025

TEMPLEORUM

PARISH NEWSLETTER

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WEEKEND MASSES IN THE PARISH

Piltown – Saturday @ 6pm

Owning & Templeorum –

Every alternate Sunday @ 10am

WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS AT THIS TIME,

people of the parish, those who
have passed away in our community,
our beloved family members & friends
and all those who need our
prayers at this time.

ANNIVERSARIES

*Kitty Blackmore and her
granddaughter, Alison Blackmore
Tony & Nora Carroll, Turkstown
Francis Corcoran, Templeorum
Dick, Tessie & Mick Dalton
Ann Gahan, Mountain Grove
Jacinta Malone, Main Street
Leecha Walsh, John Walsh and
Mary Walsh, Tybroughney*

WEEKLY EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Owning on Tuesday from 2-3pm
Piltown on Thursday at 10:30am

CHAPLET OF DIVINE MERCY

The Chaplet to the Divine Mercy
Prayer Group continues to meet every
Wednesday evening at 7:30pm in
Piltown Community Centre.

OWNING & TEMPLEORUM – SUNDAY 10AM MASS ROSTER

1st June – Templeorum

8th June – Owning

CEMETERY MASSES 2025

Piltown (Old & New Cemeteries):

3rd June (Note the change from the Parish Calendar)

Templeorum: 6th June

Owning (Church Grounds): 13th June

Owning (St. Mary's Cemetery): 17th June

Kilkieran: 20th June

ALL MASSES WILL BE AT 8PM

Masses are weather dependent and if it is
raining will be held indoors.

PARISH NEWSLETTER

The Parish newsletter provides
Parishioners, visitors to the Parish and
the public with a knowledge of activities
that are happening in the Parish and in
the surrounding area.

We are offering an opportunity to
businesses in the area to advertise their
business in the Newsletter. This
advertising will help to ease the cost of
printing while at the same time offer a
broad circulation of advertising to local
businesses. The cost to a business for
advertising will be €125 per annum (for
10 months of issues) and the size of the
advert will be approximately 7cm x 4cm.
If your business would be interested in
coming on board, please contact either
John Connolly on 087-2551789 or Shirley
Power on 087-6118543 or e-mail
piltownparishnews@gmail.com to
progress your interest further and arrange
for your Advert to be included.
We hope that your business may be in a
position to support this initiative and look
forward to hearing from you.

ALL IRELAND ROSARY RALLY

The 40th All Ireland Rosary Rally will take place
on Saturday, 7th June, 2025 in Knock Shrine.
For full details visit: allirelandrosaryrally.com

TEMPLEORUM N.S. FUNDRAISER

The Board of Management of
Templeorum National School would like
to invite all and particularly those who
will be attending Mass on the evening of
June 6th to "Tea in Templeorum" in the
school yard afterwards.

Teas and Coffees will be €2 and
sandwiches and cakes will be provided
courtesy of our school community.

Raffle tickets will be sold during the
evening by students and parents of the
school to help fundraise for Templeorum
National School. Tickets sold will be
included in the **Bumper Raffle** which
will take place on June 19th. Very
generous donations have been made to
the Bumper Raffle and prizes will be
advertised on the tea night.

We would encourage everyone who attends
this gathering annually to pop in to support
our school and also be in with a chance in
our **Bumper Raffle**.

JUBILEE YEAR OF HOPE

**A Dare to Hope Conference for Young
Adults from the age of 18-35 yrs takes
place at Knock Shrine on Saturday
14th June 2025 from 9:30am to
5:30pm. Cost is €20 and you can
register via Eventbrite.**

This event is for all Young Adults but
there will be a special welcome for those
who are travelling to Rome for the
Jubilee of Youth and will be part of their
preparation.

SUSI GRANTS 2025/26

The grant application system is now open.
All applications must be made on line.
via www.susi.ie SUSI is the national
awarding authority responsible for
financial support to eligible students in
approved full time further and higher
education courses across Ireland. Irish
students studying in the UK and other EU
Countries may also qualify for limited
support. Only Government funded
Colleges are eligible. Students would

have ticked the SUSI box when filling out their CAO form. The priority closing date is July 10th, 2025 where a fast decision on your application will be made before the main applications are submitted.

NANO NAGLE CENTRE

Leaving Certificate Students.
Do you need a place to study?
Free of charge.

If you would like somewhere to study away from home, we have space here in the centre.

Mondays to Thursdays from 9:30am to 9pm. Laptops available on request.

KEEP PILTOWN TIDY

The entry for the SuperValu Tidy Towns Competition 2025 has been submitted by the Committee and Judging will take place shortly. We would love our village to be spick and span and everyone should make a special effort to showcase our village.

A lot of work has been done by the Committee in the last twelve months. It is also obvious that many households are contributing to this work to improve the village's appearance and make us all proud of Piltown.

Keep Piltown Tidy are asking everyone to make a special effort this summer in looking after the area around their own property- garden, footpath or nearby common area. The Keep Piltown Tidy group is growing in numbers and you will see our members out on Wednesday evenings between 6:30pm and 8:30pm, all wearing hi vis jackets.

New members are always welcome, just come along!

KILDALTON COLLEGE

Online applications are open for 2025/2026 courses in:

Agriculture, Equine and Horticulture

For more information contact the College on 051-644400 or email

kildalton.college@teagasc.ie

CALLING ALL PRIMARY SCHOOL TEACHERS AND PUPILS,

Teagasc are excited to invite you and your pupils to participate in our Farm Safety Art Competition and Webinar with Jessy the Sheepdog, our farm safety mascot. This campaign aims to provide a fun and creative way to raise awareness about farm safety ahead of the busy farming season!

The art competition is open to children in primary schools, with age-specific categories for submissions. We are asking pupils to create artwork that highlights important farm safety messages and it is an excellent opportunity to raise awareness about farm safety in a hands-on, engaging manner.

With prizes such as Smyths Toys vouchers up for grabs, and a visit from Alma in Agrikids for the winning schools, this competition offers an exciting incentive for your pupils to learn while expressing their creativity.

Competition Categories & Themes:

Junior & Senior Infants – Farm Safety Signs

1st-3rd Class – Safety around Farm Animals

4th-6th Class – Safety around Farm Machinery & Slogan

Deadline: 6th June 2025

Prizes: Smyths Toys vouchers to the value of €100 for winners and €25 for runners up plus an AgriKids visit to the winning schools during the 2026 academic year

How to Enter: Upload your entries at www.teagasc.ie/jessy

Register and tune into the webinar with Jessy on Thursday, 19th June at 11am to hear if you've won!

OSSORY DIOCESAN PLANNING

Planning for greater lay involvement in the life of the Church

The revised Constitution for the Ossory Diocesan Forum was published recently. The greater involvement of laity in the life of the Church in Ossory at parish, pastoral area and diocesan level is the main theme of the new Constitution. The Forum consists of Parish Pastoral Councils, thirteen Pastoral Area Councils, an Ossory Diocesan Pastoral Council and a Plenary Body consisting of all members of these three groups. The Parish Pastoral Council is a consultative leadership group through which priests and lay people work together as co-responsible partners in furthering the mission of Christ in their own parish. As a group, they think, discern and plan for the parish on an ongoing basis to identify and respond to present and future pastoral needs. The Pastoral Area Councils will enable member parishes to both discern and work collaboratively and form a basis for the co-responsibility of priests, religious and lay people for the faith life of the pastoral area. The revised Constitution has been approved by Council of Priests and The Ossory Diocesan Pastoral Council (ODPC). The ODPC is the Executive Body of the Diocesan Forum, which works in liaison with the Parish Pastoral and Pastoral Area Councils. It is a consultative group with whom the Bishop can promote, support and coordinate the work of these Councils. This is achieved through modelling synodality, collaboration and co-responsibility for the life of the diocese / Bishop, priests and laity working together. Through its monthly meetings, the ODPC considers issues from various areas of life in which the diocese is engaged. Currently its focus is on the establishment of the Pastoral Area Councils. Membership of the

ODPC: Bishop Niall Coll, President, Ms Sarah Rice, Chairperson, Mr John Shortall, Secretary, Mgr Dan Carroll, Vicar General, Fr. Martin Delaney, Fr. Dan Bollard, Sr. Helen Maher, Forum Coordinator, Ms Gemma Mulligan, Pastoral Coordinator, Ms Ann Daly, Ms Bríd Duffy, Mr Diarmuid Healy.

PILTOWN PARISH HALL

A Kids Summer Camp of Music, Arts and French will take place in Piltown Community Centre from 21st to 25th July and 28th July to 1st August. For further information and booking contact Chloe on 086-3638660 or Naomi on 086-3783224

Mondays:

10am: Knitting Club

10:30am-1pm: Bowling

5pm-7pm: Karate

3pm-9pm: Music Lessons with Chloe

Tuesdays:

10am-1pm: Art Classes

5pm-7pm: Irish Dancing Classes

7:30pm-8:30pm: Piloxing with Inga

3pm-9pm: Music Lessons with Chloe

Wednesdays:

11am-12noon: Chairrobics

7:30pm-8:30pm: Piloxing with Inga

Thursdays:

10am-1pm: Bowling

7pm: Piltown Choral Group

7pm-9pm: Table Tennis

Friday:

10am-1pm: Bowls

3pm-9pm: Music Lessons with Chloe

Library open daily from 10am

Snooker Club open daily from 6pm

The Meeting room is available for hire to all groups. For further details contact John Burke on 087-9746007.



USEFUL CONTACT NUMBERS

Parish Bereavement Group

Mobile: 086-8450641

Piltown Conference of

St. Vincent De Paul

Mobile: 086-2096341

Women's Aid Helpline

1800 341900

Pieta

1800 247 247 or text HELP to 51444

The Samaritans

Freephone: 116 123

Aware

Freephone: 1800 80 48 48