

SUNDAY, 27TH OCTOBER, 2024



TEMPLEORUM PARISH NEWSLETTER

ITEMS FOR INCLUSION IN THE PARISH NEWSLETTER

Items for the Newsletter should be submitted by e-mail to piltownparishnews@gmail.com prior to 7pm on Wednesday of each week to ensure inclusion in the Parish Newsletter the following Sunday

PARISH PRIEST

Rev. Paschal Moore P.P.

Landline: 051-643112

Mobile: 087-2408078

E-mail: templeorum@ossory.ie

Piltown Church Sacristy

Landline: 051-644606

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

Joe Enright

Maud & Joe Kelly

John & Hanna Maher

Patsy McCann

Paddy O'Donoghue & his siter Pauline

Peter O'Dwyer (late of Killonerry)

Rev. Joseph O'Shea

Seán Ryan

Gerald & Patricia Spencer

Kathleen Stuart-Murphy

CLOCKS FALL BACKWARDS!

Don't forget to turn your clocks back 1 hour this weekend!



FEASTDAY MASSES THIS WEEK

Friday 1st November is the **Feast of All Saints.**

Vigil Mass - Thursday, 31st @6pm and Friday, 1st in Owing @10am Saturday 2nd November is the

Feast of All Souls

Mass Sat. 2nd in Piltown @11am.

Normal Sunday Vigil Mass on Saturday evening @6pm

LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINAR

We invite you to join us in Piltown Parish Community Centre for a wonderful experience of the Holy Spirit. This is a life-transforming event and will enrich your life. Through the Holy Spirit you have a wonderful resource within you, giving you peace, joy and confidence to weather the many storms you have to face every day. Mother Teresa said "so many people are suffering from a famine of the heart". Pope Francis tells us this leads to inner emptiness, loneliness, resentment, anger and listlessness.

This Seminar of Life in the Holy Spirit will help you transform your life through the wonderful gift of the Holy Spirit within you. The Holy Spirit is the friend closest to your heart and the job of the Holy Spirit is to convince you and me that we are loved by God. Pope Francis asks that we all allow the Holy Spirit come alive within us and he urges every parish to have a seminar of Life in the Spirit. We welcome you to

join us in Piltown Parish Community Centre for four Tuesday evenings in November, 5th, 12th, 19th, 26th at 7.30 p.m. You'll be glad you made the effort. For any enquiries, please contact 087-2408078, 086-8792429 or 051-643112.

NEW CHURCH ORGAN

After almost 25 years of service, the Piltown church organ is being replaced. This is necessary as the organ has already failed three times this year and is considered unreliable by our supplier, Jeffers Organs of Bandon.

The replacement cost is €16,000. We hope to defray the cost somehow by inviting voluntary donations, no matter how modest. Any such gesture on your behalf would be greatly appreciated and be dropped to Fr. Moore or the Parish Office.

OWNING HOUSE

Thanks to all who made our initial bingo night such a success. We will be continuing every Friday night at 8pm for the winter months. It proved a great success with our residents and the wider community alike.

On Halloween day (Thursday October 31st) we will be having our annual pumpkin carving day. Last year was a very exciting day and we look forward to seeing a great crowd again this year. Admission is €7:50 per child and the event starts at 2pm.

RADON

Protect your Family from Radon.

Call us today and order your home radon testing kit. At Radon Testing Ireland we offer detection devices for homes and businesses and also provide remedial solutions for premises exposed to high levels of radon. RTI offers a unique and professional service.

Call: 086-3872806 or visit www.rsi.ie info@esi.ie

SUIR ENGINEERING – MASS OF REMEMBRANCE

being held for our Deceased Colleagues on Friday 8th November in the Church of the Assumption in Mooncoin, Co Kilkenny at 6.30pm followed by refreshments upstairs in Mooncoin GAA Complex.

ALL ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND

KILNASPIC PEOPLE SHED

Straw Costume Workshop takes place on November 9th from 10-2pm. Come learn how to make costumes from natural materials.

PILTOWN MEN'S SHED

The Piltown Men's Shed is going well. The members meet now on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday mornings from 10am to 1pm. New members welcome. Drop in for a chat and cup of tea. The shed has access to a workshop which members are now fitting out with a workbench. The plan is to make items such as bird boxes for the local community and other items which may be requested from the local schools or clubs. The Piltown Men's Shed acknowledges having the use of the Iverk show facilities.

MOONCOIN PARISH HALL

Monday 28th October:

8pm - Bingo

Tuesday:

8pm - Drama

Wednesday:

1.30pm - Day Care Centre

7.15pm - Bridge

7.30pm - Line Dancing

Thursday:

8pm - Drama

Reminder:

No YOGA this week. Classes will return on Thurs 7th Nov.

IVERK SHOW MEETING

The next meeting of the Iverk Show takes place on Monday, November 11th at 8:30pm in the Community Centre. New members welcome.

CHRISTMAS CRAFT FAIR

It's that time of year again. Piltown Community Enterprise are holding their Annual Christmas Craft Fair in Piltown Community Centre on Sunday, 17th November, 2024 from 11am to 5pm. If you are interested in having a stall please contact Gerri Hickey on 087-2191808.

ST. KILLIAN'S CANDLES

Just a note to all visiting the shrines in our three churches of the parish. The cost of the candles has not been increased since 2014 but has substantially increased overall in the last number of years, with the parish absorbing the cost to date. It is however now necessary to increase the cost of the candles to 0.50c each going forward. We thank you for your understanding and appreciate your support.

KILDALTON COLLEGE

Online applications for the Distance Education Green Cert Course is now open.

<https://www.teagasc.ie/education/going-to-college/apply-online/agriculture-courses/level-6-distanceducation-green-cert/>

Applicants for this course must hold a Level 6 or higher major award in a non-agricultural discipline. This course will start on 30th October, 2024. For more information phone 051-644400 or email rosanne.dobbyn@teagasc.ie

SCHOOL ENROLMENTS FOR SEPTEMBER 2025

The three Primary schools in our parish are now open for enrolments for September 2025. Details are as follows:

Piltown N.S.

Enrolment applications are online via the school website and the link is: <https://www.piltownns.ie/admission-s-notice/>. A copy of our admissions policy and admissions notice are also available via this link.

Closing date for receipt of applications is 01/Feb/2025.

For further queries please contact the school office on 051-643498 or send an e-mail to: enrolment@piltownns.ie

Owning N.S.

Enrolments are open for the St. John of God National School, Owning in respect of admissions to the 2025/2026 school year.

A copy of our admission notice is available at <https://owningns.ie/>

Forms can be obtained from the school office or by e-mailing enrolment@owningns.ie

Templeorum N.S.

Now taking enrolments for September 2025. Please e-mail the school for enrolment forms templeorum@gmail.com



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

Available Monday to Sunday 10am - 10pm