

Sunday, 17th May, 2026 – Ascension of the Lord

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

Kathleen Brennan

Kathleen Friend (née Doran), Piltown
Michael & Patty O'Regan

John Quinn

Charlie Walsh

OWNING & TEMPLEORUM SUNDAY 10AM MASS ROSTER

17th May – Templeorum Church

24th May – Owning Church

31st May – Templeorum Church

7th June – Owning Church

TIME WITH JESUS

The group will meet this coming Wednesday at 7:30pm in the Piltown Community Centre. All are Welcome

WEEKLY EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Owning: Tuesdays from 2-3pm

Piltown: Thursdays at 10:30am

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Congratulations to the girls and boys from Templeorum and Owning National Schools who made their First Holy Communion this weekend, 16th May in Templeorum Church. A lovely Mass for the Sacrament was celebrated by Fr. Moore our Parish Priest. The pupils who received the Sacrament are:

Aoibhín Brennan, Ellie Brennan, Lily Brennan, Luke Byrne, Patrick Coghlan, John Fitzgerald, Ciara Fitzpatrick, Conor Holden, Robyn McCarthy, Charlie O'Shea, Emma Power, Caoilinn O'Shea McCarthy, Henry Ryan and Katie Wilkinson.

PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING

The Parish Pastoral Council will meet in the Community Centre, Piltown on Tuesday, May 19th at 8:30pm.

WEEKLY PARISH ENVELOPES

If any households in the Parish did not receive weekly envelopes via the recent distribution in the three churches and would like to do so, please contact the Parish office directly on 051-643112.

PILTOWN KARATE CLUB

Piltown Karate Club took part in the SKIF Ireland All Ireland Championships on Sunday last in the Moyle Rovers Sports Complex, Clonmel. The club had a great day. The prize winners were Joe Kiely, Charlie O Dwyer, Lea Zivalj, and Breandan Twohig who won Gold in both his Kata and Kumite Categories. Club Instructors Kathleen Byrne and Graeme Butler were part of the refereeing panel for the day. Well done to all.

JAMES DERMODY MEMORIAL WALK

We just want to say a massive thank you to everyone who gave freely of their time to come and support our Fundraiser in aid of the charity CRY Ireland. It was a truly enjoyable day and so special to see so many family, friends and neighbours come together to remember James. With the sun shining and everyone in great Spirits, it was a lovely reflection of true community spirit and support that's around us. The day simply could not have happened without all of your help, hard work and generosity. Your support is greatly appreciated by all the Dermody Family and we are incredibly grateful to each and every one of you.

Cry Ireland was founded in 2002 by parents who had experienced the effects of sudden and unexplained death within their family. They are a self-supporting registered charity and are dependent on your help to Raise awareness of cardiac risk in the young through media campaigns and public information meetings. They also support families and individuals at risk can be evaluated, they provide counselling and supports to families affected & provide a listening ear to families who have lost a loved one through SCD and those confirmed with a diagnosis.

MABS – MONEY ADVICE AND BUDGETING SERVICE

This is a free service and is confidential for people who are having problems with money management and debt. Advisers provide advice and practical help to people to review their debts, deal with creditors and workout practical solutions. Nano Nagle Centre, Carrick-on-Suir. Tel: 0818 07 2810 or email: carrickonsuir@mabs.ie

ALZHEIMER'S COFFEE MORNING – MAY 5TH, 2026

Sincere thanks to all who supported the coffee morning in the Community centre. The many sponsors who donated generous prizes and donations. All the helpers who made it possible. The final amount collected on the morning was €2,300. Thanks to you all, Maura Traynor Logan.

PILTOWN GAA CLUB

A huge thank you to everybody who supported our Piltown Walk into light Community Fundraiser Walk on the morning of Saturday, May 9th. A total of €3,162 in total was collected. This will be divided between two worthy charities, Carrick-on-Suir River Rescue and Teac Tom. Thanks to everyone who donated, walked or helped organise and supported the event in any way. The community spirit shown throughout was truly special.

LINGAUN VALLEY FESTIVAL – COMMUNITY INFORMATION EVENING

A community meeting will be held in Grangemockler to share plans and updates for the upcoming Lingaun Valley Festival in June 2026. Your participation is warmly encouraged as we prepare for what promises to be a landmark event for our region. This is an opportunity for local residents to hear what's planned, ask questions, and explore ways to get involved in this exciting community festival. All are very welcome to attend. Your support and input are greatly valued as we work together to make this festival a success for the whole community.

Date: Tuesday 19th May, 2026

Time: 7:00pm – 9:00pm

Venue: Grangemockler Parish Community Hall



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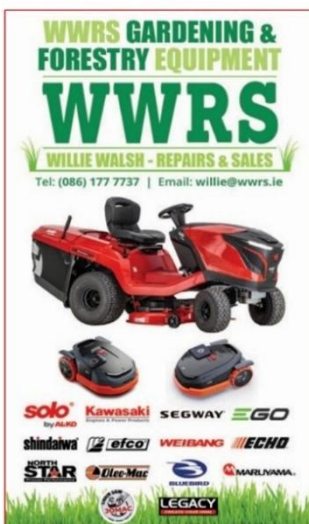


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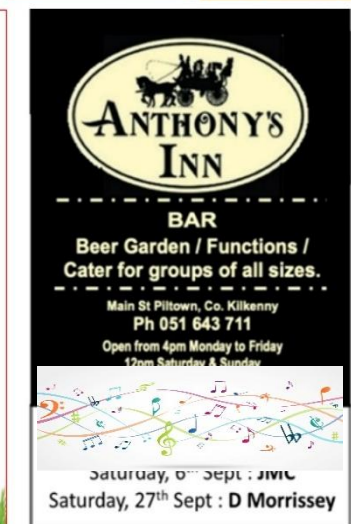
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Friday 1 pm - 12 am
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Saturday, 27th Sept : D Morrissey

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

CARRICK WHEELERS

Cycling - Kids Skills. Bike week.
2 weeks of fun and skills.
Week 2 - Monday 18th May, 2026.
Week 3 - Monday 25th May, 2026.
7pm at Sean Healy Park, Carrick-on-Suir. Free admission and is aimed at children aged 6 to 12 years old. All are welcome. Helmets mandatory

ESTATE MANAGEMENT GRANT SCHEME 2026

Available to resident groups/community committees on County Council estates who are actively promoting estate management in partnership with Kilkenny County Council. 2 quotes for all proposed works relating to the grant application must be submitted with the application. To request an application form or for queries, (056) 7794900 or: estatemangementgrant@kilkennycoco.ie
Closing date: 29/05/2026 at 5pm

ST. CANICE'S CREDIT UNION

Community Connect Funding 2026. Applications for funding for clubs; schools; charities; voluntary groups and community organisations can be made up to the end of June 2026. Applicants will be notified of the outcome by 31/08/2026 and payments made to the successful groups by 30/11/2026. Apply on line on the St Canice's web page or log into: www.stcanicescu.ie/communityconnectfund.ie

NATIONAL EPILEPSY WEEK

May 18th to May 25th 2026.
For further information, please visit: www.epilepsy.ie/content/national-epilepsy-week-2026-epilepsyweek