

Sunday, 30th August, 2026 – 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

TEMPLEORUM

PARISH NEWSLETTER

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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.

MONTH'S MIND

Templeorum Mass @10am
Helen Lally

ANNIVERSARIES

Mary Burke
Agnes Cleary
Winifred Dunne, Skough
Veronica Gowings
John & Catherine Grace, Corloughan
Bevin Grants (4th Anniversary)
Billy & Bridie Hearn, Kildalton

OWNING & TEMPLEORUM SUNDAY 10AM MASS ROSTER

6th Sept. – Templeorum Church
13th Sept. – Owinging Church
20th Sept. – Templeorum Church
27th Sept. – Owinging Church

WEEKLY EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Owinging: Tuesdays from 2-3pm
Piltown: Thursdays at 10:30am

SUMMER COLLECTION

Giving envelopes for the summer collection are now due. Your support for our Parish is, as always, very much appreciated.
Thank You!

AUGUST COLLECTIONS

Offertory Basket Collections - €3,240
Envelope Collections - €2,220.70
(The above figures represent the collections in all three churches in the Parish – Piltown, Owinging & Templeorum).

BISHOP GER NASH

Thanks to all from the Parish and surrounding Parishes of the Southern Deanery who joined us in welcoming Bishop elect Rev. Bishop Ger Nash to our Parish on Friday 28th August last. The Bishop was delighted with the turnout and warm welcome he received from all in attendance at his Evening Prayer Service and at the Community Centre afterwards. We wish Bishop Nash a wonderful day for his installation as Bishop of Ossory on Sunday September 13th next. On behalf of the Parish, Abigail Power presented Bishop Nash with the original drawing of the Church of the Assumption in Owinging (The Oldest Church in the Diocese of Ossory (1798)). The drawing was created by Fr. Moore's brother, Billy Moore.



HOLY CROSS NOVENA

A Novena in honour of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross will be held in the Holy Cross Church Tramore from September 5th to 13th. The Novena begins with Mass at 10am on Saturday, 5th September, with subsequent Masses at 11am on Sunday 6th, 10am from Monday 7th to Saturday 12th and concluding with Mass at 11am on Sunday 13th. Confessions available every day before Mass throughout the Novena. All are Welcome.

MOONCOIN TRACTOR RUN

Mooncoin Vintage Tractor Run in aid of St. Joseph's Home in Kilmoganny will take place on Sunday September 20th. Registration from 11am at Piltown GAA showgrounds. Registration is €20 per vehicle. All tractors, cars and motorbikes welcome! Followed by refreshments, music and a raffle at Dunphy's Lounge Kilmoganny. All children will get a free goody bag on the day. Any queries to Ned Delahunty on 086-4048243.

PILTOWN CHORAL GROUP

Piltown Choral Group will perform at the Holy Cross Abbey on Thursday, 10th September. They would be delighted to see people of the parish in attendance. If you'd love to go but just wouldn't be able to make the journey you can always watch remotely via <https://www.churchservices.tv/holycrossabbey>

LIVING WELL PROGRAMME

Living Well is a free group programme for adults living with any long-term or chronic condition. It takes place over six weekly workshops (6 x 2.5hrs) – either online or in person. It is delivered by trained leader, most of whom are also living with a long-term health condition. You will develop Self-Management skills and confidence to live well with your health conditions. You will also meet other people who live with long-term health conditions and learn from each other's experiences.

A course will take place in Carrick-on-Suir Community Resource Nano Nagle Centre, Greenside, Carrick-on-Suir from Friday November 6th to Friday December 11th from 10:30am to 1 pm each week. For further information or to register email: livingwellSE@hse.ie or phone 056-7784945.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Do you need help?
Remember you are not alone.
Phone 086-2096341
(Piltown Conference)
Your call can be the beginning of solutions!

MOONCOIN BRIDGE CLUB

Learn to play bridge? Mooncoin Bridge Club is starting lessons for beginners at the end of September.

For more information contact:
(086)1914153 or (083)2074562.

CERTIFIES IRISH ANGUS SCHOOLS COMPETITION

Entries are now open for the Certified Irish Angus Competition for TV students in 2026/2027. If you are in TV September 2026, you can enter now for an agri-food experience for students to learn, grow and connect with the industry. This can assist with the Leaving cert. coursework for Agri science. It is also relevant for Biology, Home Economics, Business Studies, Maths and Geography.

Finalist groups will:

1. Rear 5 calves and keep records.
 2. Hands on experience with Irish Angus Cattle.
 3. Visit the EU Parliament.
 4. See Agriculture and Policy in action.
 - 5 Build confidence.
 6. Develop team work, communication and research skills.
 7. Connect with industry.
 8. Meet farmers, processors, retailers and agri food leaders.
- Winners will receive a €2,000 further education bursary.

For more details:<https://www.jotform.com/261243947657063>

MACE COMMUNITY GRANTS 2026

This community grants initiative is for local groups and clubs across Ireland to apply for a share of a €50,000 fund designed to support projects that make a positive difference in their communities. 50 grants of €1,000 will be awarded to community organisations, supporting projects that make a lasting and positive difference at local level.

This is the second year of our largest community initiative and builds on a very successful inaugural year that saw widespread participation in 2025. **Entries close on September 10th.**

Details on how to apply: <https://www.mace.ie>

HLI IRELAND

HLI Ireland: Fr Lawrence Carney (USA), international speaker and popular author, Provincial Tour of Ireland. Join us for the Leinster event at the Talbot Hotel, Stillorgan, on Monday 28th September at 6:45pm, with a First Class Relic of St Thérèse. Free admission.

ITEMS FOR NEWSLETTER

We would be delighted to see members of the parish and local groups submitting items for inclusion in the Parish Newsletter each week. Items must be submitted to piltownparishnews@gmail.com by 7pm each Wednesday evening in order to be included in that week's issue. Please note that items for the newsletter must be in **typed format** – no screenshots picture messages will be accepted for printing.

USEFUL CONTACT NUMBERS

Parish Bereavement Group: 086-8450641

Piltown Conference of St. Vincent De Paul: 086-2096341

Women's Aid Helpline: 1800 341 900

Pieta House: 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

ALONE INFORMATION SESSION

Martin Halley from Alone will deliver an information session on Monday 7th September from 10:30am-11:30am in Portlaw Community Resource Hub, Clodiagh House. This FREE information session is open to anyone who would like advice and guidance on supporting an older person to live independently at home.

BREWERY LANE

THEATRE, CARRICK-ON-SUIR

"September Stories" in Brewery Lane is an evening of 3 short plays brought to you by Turnaround Theatre on Thursday, September 10th at 8pm. Come and see Sarah Fahy's moving slice of live drama about a Mother and Daughter relationship in "Dear Diary". This is followed by the debut production of Waterford playwrights Eamonn Dolans sharp new comedy, "Finn and Tilly". The feature play of the night is James McLures American classic comedy, the Texas based 1973 "Lone Star". Running time is 90 minutes with complimentary tea and coffee at the interval. Tickets are available on Gr8events.ie

MELODY MAKERS

Fiddle Lessons. Age: 6-8 years. Starting in September.

Where: Piltown National School.

When: Tuesday evenings.

For further information and details contact 085-2559215.

There is also Guitar & Ukulele lessons on the same day from 3:30pm. Children's group or individual lessons available. Age 8 and upwards. Adult group or individual lessons also available. Instrument Hire available. Contact Colin on 087-2699405 for further information and bookings.

PILTOWN COMMUNITY CENTRE-ACTIVITIES TIMETABLE

Monday- Knitting at 10am, Bowls at 10:30, Chloe 30m, Karate 6-6:45 for beginners and 6-7 for all grades.

Tuesday - Irish Dancing @5pm, Inga's keep fit class @7:30pm.

Wednesday - Chairiobics at 11am, Inga at 7:30pm and Fr Moore's prayer group at 7:30pm in Room 1.

Thursday - Bernies' baby massage class at 10am -11:30, Bowls in main hall at 10:30am.

Friday- Bowls at 10:30 in main hall.

Library opens daily at 10am

Snooker hall opens 6pm-10pm daily.

WORLD SUICIDE PREVENTION DAY

World Suicide Prevention Day. September 10th. Mass at 1pm at St. Peter & Pauls Church, Clonmel. Wreath Laying Ceremony at 2:15pm at tree of hope on the Clonmel Blueway. Let's Listen, Let's support, Let's save lives. If you are struggling, help is available. Contact the Samaritans on 116123; Pieta House on 1800 247 247 or Text HELP to 51444.

LIVE STREAMING FROM PILTOWN CHURCH

Live streaming from Piltown Church. To view live streaming or a previous recording: Log into: <https://templeorumparish.ie> Select "View our webcam"

If you have any issues with the Live Streaming in the Church, if the camera is out of focus or off, please ring (087) 2551789. Similarly, if you want a specific event recorded such as a wedding or baptism, please contact the above number. Funerals and scheduled Masses are always recorded and are available for a period of 90 days after recording.