

St. Senan's Parish Newsletter

Sunday, 5th July 2026

PARISH WEBSITE

Integrated webcam and
payment facility

St. Senan's Church has a live webcam
streaming 24 hours a day. Compliant with
all GDPR requirements.

<https://stsenansenniscorthy.ie>

PASTORAL AREA CLERGY

Fr. Tom Dalton

Fr. Billy Caulfield

Fr. James Cullen

Deacon Rev. Dermot Davis

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PRIEST ON DUTY

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Safeguarding Representatives

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READERS

Sunday, 12th July

Vigil: Joan Fogarty

11am: Fiacre Ryan

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Sunday, 12th July

Vigil: Denis Levingston

11am: Rose Ryan

Castlegardens

Eucharistic Minister

Sunday, 12th July

Rose Ryan

Eucharistic Adoration

Every Tuesday starting at 10.00am
with Rosary(10.30am) and
concluding with Mass at 7pm.

THANK YOU

Envelopes (Priests) - €740

(First Collection)

Envelopes (Parish) - €575

(Second Collection)

SPLIT THE POT

Congratulations to last
week's winner Vicki
Jordan - €167.

€2 weekly, the winner gets
half the money raised.
Envelopes available in the
church, enclose your
money, write your name and
number, and place it in the
box marked 'Split the Pot'.
Thank you for your weekly
support. Thank you to our
local Centra where
envelopes are also now
available.

Celebrating 50th Anniversary 2026 St. Senan's Parish

**DATE FOR YOUR
DIARY** - Reminder this
year our Parish
celebrates fifty years,
and it is hoped to mark this anniversary in a special
way at the 7pm Mass on Friday, 25th September 2026.

PARISH OFFICE

Please note for the **month of July** the Parish Office
will be **closed on Mondays**. Office hours will be as
follows:

Monday - Closed

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 10am - 5pm

Thursday 10am-2pm

THANK YOU

Thank you most sincerely to all those who attended the
Safeguarding Training Information Sessions in recent
months. We were delighted to see such large numbers in
attendance, and we are extremely grateful to everyone who
gave up their time to join us. Thank you also for your
valued feedback on the evaluation forms - it has been
recorded and will be discussed among the trainers. Creating
safe environments for our children, adults at risk and our
dedicated volunteers is of utmost importance in the Diocese
of Ferns. Your contribution to this is truly appreciated.
Lisa Delaney, Director of Safeguarding

POP UP THRIFT SHOP

Templeshannon Community & Childcare Centre on
Thursday, 16th July 2026 10-1pm, Tables €10 each
Got clothes you no longer wear? Turn them into cash!
To book a table for more info contact 053 92 37511
or come along, support sustainable fashion and find some
great bargains!

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, 5th July

Vigil

Ciss Walsh (A)

Kathleen Conway (A)

Richard Ormonde (A)

Ned & Billie Fogarty (A)

Henry Goff (A)

11am

Martin O'Neill (A)

Brian Davis (A)

John Murphy (A)

Weekday Mass - 7pm

Wednesday

Tom & Breda Moloney (A)

Sunday, 12th July

Vigil

Catherine (A) & Owen

Redmond & deceased
family

PJ Merriman (First
Anniversary)

MESSAGE FROM FR. JAMES

As most of you are aware now, I am one of the priests included in this year's clerical changes, moving from St Senan's (Enniscorthy Pastoral Area) to the Parish of Ferns.

I am very thankful for the great welcome you have afforded me and for allowing me to be part of the faith story of this parish and pastoral area over the last two years.

Please keep me in your prayers, along with all 12 priests who are moving this year and the two priests who are retiring.

I thank you for your prayers and support, and may God bless you and Fr Eamon Salmon, who will be coming to the parish and pastoral area.

Yours in Christ
Fr James

Special prayer intention on theme of 'Road Safety'

The 2026 Reek Sunday falls on 26 July, and thousands of pilgrims of all ages – from across the island of Ireland and from abroad – are expected to scale Croagh Patrick (2,510ft/765m), Ireland's Holy Mountain, to pray and participate on the summit in the Sacraments of Reconciliation (Confession), and of the Eucharist.

This year, we offer special prayer intention for 'Road Safety'. Father John Kenny, the Administrator of Westport parish, which includes Croagh Patrick, in Co Mayo, Archdiocese of Tuam, encouraged in a special way pilgrims travelling by road to participate in the climb, to do so safely. Father Kenny has dedicated road safety as the theme for this year's pilgrimage and has asked all road users on the island of Ireland to pray:

"Arise with me in the morning,
travel with me through the day.

Welcome me on my arrival.

God be with me all the way. Amen

"Éirigh liom, a Dhia,

Fan liom i rith an lae.

Sa bhaile agus ar gach turas,

Ná lig dom dul ar strae. Áiméan

Youth 2000 Summer Festival 13th–16th August 2026

Calling all young people aged 16–35! Join us at the Youth 2000 Summer Festival in Newbridge College, Co. Kildare. This is a donation-only event, with free buses available across the country and all meals included. Expect inspiring talks and workshops, Youth Mass, music, prayer, and plenty of opportunities to chill out and meet other young Catholics. Whether you are new to the faith or looking to be refreshed, all are welcome. To register or find out more, visit youth2000.ie or follow @Youth2000Ireland."

Free Online Workshops Recovery College Summer 2026

Recovery College Southeast are running four short, practical workshops every Tuesday in July, 10:30am – 12:30pm via Zoom:

7th July – Challenging Unhelpful Thinking Patterns

14th July – Dealing with Worry

21st July – Creating Healthy Habits

28th July – Let's Talk Procrastination

All workshops are free, open to everyone, and can be attended individually or as a series. To enrol, contact us at info@recoverycollegesoutheast.com or call **086 1746330**.

CO. WEXFORD VOLUNTEER AWARDS 2026

It's official—12 Categories are open for nominations! We are thrilled to announce the beginning of the nomination process for the Volunteer awards 2026! You can nominate the volunteers who, in your opinion, truly deserve recognition! Nominations open now until 21st July 2026. Telephone 053 900 66 39 Website volunteerwexford.ie, email info@volunteerwexford.ie

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED – CAN YOU HELP?

Age Action is currently recruiting volunteers for our Getting Started Digital skills programme in Enniscorthy Library. As part of this programme, volunteer tutors are matched with an older person for 5 weeks and will teach them how to get online and use their device. Anyone interested can email us on volunteering@ageaction.ie or call 0818 911 109 to find out more and to apply.

PATRON DATES

Children's Patron
St. Mary's & Enniscorthy
Cemetery

Monday 6th July - 8pm

St. Senan's Patron
Wednesday, 22nd July - 7pm

Patron
St. Mary's &
Enniscorthy Cemetery
Sunday 9th August - 3pm