

St. Senan's Parish Newsletter

Sunday, 27th September 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>

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READERS

Sunday, 3rd October

Vigil: Anne O'Neill

11am: Orla Byrne

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Sunday, 3rd October

Vigil: Annette McCarthy

11am: James Harpur

Castlegardens

Eucharistic Minister

Sunday, 3rd October

Tina Merriman

Eucharistic Adoration

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

THANK YOU

Envelopes (Priest) - €1,175
(First Collection)

Envelopes (Parish) - €985
(Second Collection)

SPLIT THE POT

Congratulations to
last week's winner
Ann Dunbar - €168.

€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.

TALK ON

**Augustus Welby
Northmore PUGIN**

1812-52

Free Event

Jeremy Pugin-Purcell is
the great great grandson of the famous A.W.N Pugin, Architect of St.
Aidan's Cathedral. He will give a talk on Pugin on Saturday, 3rd
October in the Cathedral at 7pm. Aidan Ryan will speak about Pugin
and the Irish Connection. All are welcome to this free event.

WORLD DAY OF MIGRANTS AND REFUGEES

World Day of Migrants and Refugees is celebrated this
weekend 27, September 2026, the last Sunday of
September.

For this 112th World Day, the theme, "Even just one of
these children," draws our attention to the minors
directly involved in the experience of migration and
flight, to the care owed to them, and to the Lord's
promise that "whoever receives one such child in my
name receives me" (Mk 9:37). - Pope Leo XIV message of
the Holy Father for the 112th World Day of Migrants and
Refugees 2026.

PARISH OFFICE

Please note the Parish Office will be closed on
Monday, 28th September.

SALE OF CANDLES

Please note we still have some candles to mark the
50th Anniversary of the parish, they are €1 each are
available from the parish office or will be on sale
next weekend at Masses.

BLESSING OF PETS

The annual blessing of Pets takes place on Saturday
next, 3rd October at 11am in the Cathedral grounds.
All are welcome.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, 27th September

Vigil

James Foley (First
Anniversary)

Matthew McDonald (A)

James Wall (A)

11am

Josephine Murphy (First
Anniversary)

Joan Fortune (Birth Rem)

Weekday Masses - 7pm

Sunday, 3rd October

Vigil

Mary & Tommy Connolly (A)

Matty Connolly (Rem)

Aidan Kirwan (A)

Patrick O'Brien (A)

Elizabeth Connors (A)

Anna-Mai Conroy (A)

St. Senan's Parish
Celebrating 50th Anniversary

Priests who ministered

1976 – 2026

Fr. Jim De Voy (RIP)
Fr. Thaddeus Doyle
Fr. Francis Barron (RIP)
Fr. John French (RIP)
Fr. Jim Finn
Fr. Denis Lennon
Fr. Colm C. Murphy
Fr. Tom McGrath
Fr. Vincent Buckley (RIP)
Fr. Sean Gorman
Fr. Denis Brennan
Fr. Gerald O'Leary
Fr. Denis Kelly
Fr. Aidan Foley
Fr. Francis Gleeson
Fr. Hugh Sheridan
Fr. Lorcan Brennan
Fr. Jimmy Moynihan (RIP)
Fr. Michael Dillon
Fr. Jack Hennessy
Fr. Paddy Banville
Fr. Robert Staples (RIP)
Fr. John Paul Sheridan
Fr. Richard Redmond
Fr. Jason Donohue (RIP)
Fr. Brian Broaders
Fr. Brian Whelan
Fr. Paddy Browne
Fr. John Byrne
Fr. Tom Dalton
Fr. Billy Caulfield
Fr. James Cullen
Fr. Eamonn Salmon

**Prayer – 50th Anniversary
of St. Senan's Parish**

**O God of the quiet heart,
grant us the courage to seek solitude,
the discipline to listen,
and the wisdom to act with love.**

**Teach us to hear with our hearts, as St.
Senan did.**

**May we walk faithfully in the rhythms
of prayer, work, and compassion,
and may our lives become beacons of
peace and guidance for others.**

**Through the intercession of
St. Senan, pray for us.**

Amen. (Scott Brennan)

ECUMENICAL

HARVEST THANKSGIVING SERVICE

In conjunction with the IFA St Mary's Church, Enniscorthy Friday
2nd October at 7.30pm Please join us as Clergy and Church
leaders from Christian denominations in Enniscorthy town,
come together to give thanks to God for the Harvest. The
preacher is the Very Rev. James Murphy from Tagoa/Rosslare
Parish. We will also be joined by members of the IFA.
Refreshments will be served after the service. All are welcome.

ST. PIO HEALING MASS

With Blessing of the Glove Feast of the Holy Souls Monday 2nd
November 2026 at 7.30pm in St. Aidan's Church, Ferns.
Individual blessing with Glove of St. Pio. Confessions
throughout. Come, receive God's healing grace through the
intercession of St. Pio. "Pray, hope and don't worry" St. Pio

FAMILY CARERS IRELAND

We would like to thank most sincerely everyone who
donated to our recent Church Gate collections in Enniscorthy town. The amount collected was €715
across masses in St. Aidan's Cathedral and St. Senan's Church. Your continued support is very
much appreciated.

THE HOOK OF FAITH

This Sunday is 112th World Day of Migrants and Refugees. In his message, Pope Leo focuses on migrant
children who are particularly vulnerable and in need of care. We have his message in full. The Homily for the
Twenty-Sixth Sunday of Ordinary Time reflects on the Gospel where Jesus warns us that we will be judged,
not on our words, but on our actions. We have an article and resources on St Therese of Lisieux for her Feast
Day on 1st October and another on Blessed Fulton Sheen who was beatified in America last Thursday. 'Return
to the Heart' is an article that invites us back to our true selves and a video explores what compassionate end
of life care looks like. The 'Saints in a Year' explores the life of St Jerome and how he teaches us to love God's
Word. Finally, Fr Gregory Pine OP picks out ten films that every Catholic needs to watch and why the world
is searching again for something more. Check out these and other resources available at
www.thehookoffaith.com