

St. Senan's Parish Newsletter

Sunday, 6th 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>

PASTORAL AREA CLERGY

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READERS

Sunday, 13th September

Vigil: Annette McCarthy

11am: Aidan Ryan

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Sunday, 13th September

Vigil: Mary Moorehouse

11am: Tina Merriman

Castlegardens

Eucharistic Minister

Sunday, 13th September

Martin Cosgrave

Eucharistic Adoration

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

THANK YOU

Envelopes (Priest) - €650
(First Collection)

Envelopes (Parish) - €510
(Second Collection)

SPLIT THE POT

Congratulations to
last week's winner
Mary Murphy - €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.

Celebrating 50th

Anniversary

1976 – 2026

St. Senan's Parish

Reminder this year
our Parish celebrates fifty years, and we will mark this
special anniversary at the 7pm Mass on Friday, 25th
September 2026. Followed by refreshments in the
Community Centre.

Singing is Good for our Health!

St. Senan's Parish Choir have resumed practice on
Wednesday nights at 7.30pm in the Church.

New members are ALWAYS welcome. We are a friendly
group so please if you have been thinking about joining a
choir why not take the next step and come along any
Wednesday night or contact 053 92 61729 for more info.

PIONEER ASSOCIATION

Anyone wishing to receive a Certificate or Pioneer Pin
including 25/50 years please contact Anne 087
6542816. Presentation of the Pins will take place
during the 7pm Mass on Friday, 18th September here in
St. Senan's Church.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, 6th September

Vigil

Catch Foley (First
Anniversary)

James O'Connor (First
Anniversary)

Willie & Maureen Walsh (A)

11am

Tony Carley (A)

Peter Hughes (A)

Maria Hawkins-Stokes (A)

Weekday Masses

Friday – 7pm

John & Elizabeth Gahan (A)

Sunday, 13th September

Vigil

John Fortune (Months Mind)

11am

Thomas & Alicia Harpur (A)

Frank Harpur (Rem)

Aidan & Kathleen Harpur (A)

Bishop Ger Nash Episcopal Installation as Bishop of Ossory

on

Sunday September 13th at 3:00 pm

Watch live

on: <https://www.stmaryscathedral.ie/webcam/>

Daily Mass

Please note there will be no 9:30am Mass this week in Marshalstown on Tuesday, 8th of September or in Castledockrell on Thursday, 10th of September.

Our Lady's Island

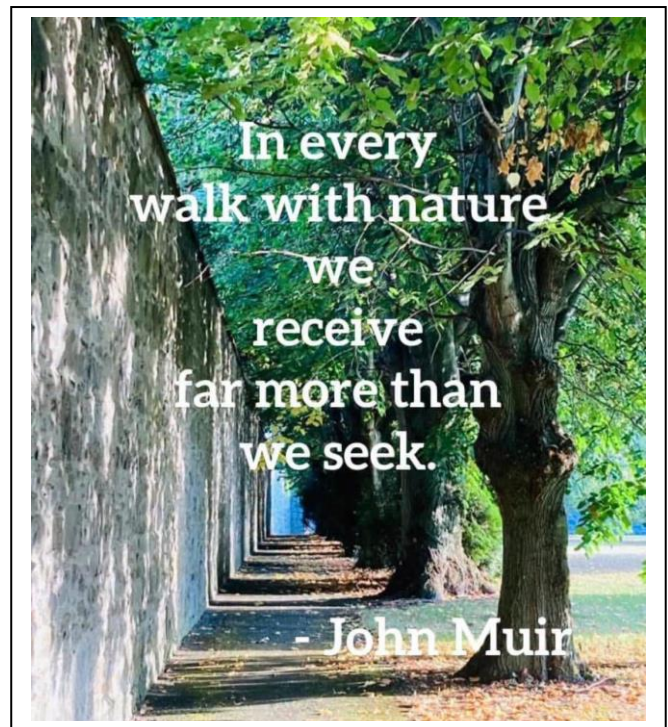
The closing ceremony for Our Lady's Island takes place on the Feast of the Birthday of Our Lady Tuesday 8th of September. Mass at 7pm on the Island weather permitting followed by the torch light procession.

MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT WEEKEND

Marriage Encounter Ireland invites married couples to a residential Weekend from Friday 2nd to Sunday 4th October 2026 at the "Focolare Centre" "Curryhills", Prosperous, Co. Kildare.

Step away from daily distractions to deepen your

communication, renew your love, and rediscover the joy of your marriage. • www.marriageencounter.ie



The Feast of the Nativity of Our Lady - Tuesday 8th September

The Feast of the Nativity of the [Blessed Virgin Mary](#), the day on which Christians East and West commemorate the birth of Mary, the mother of God, was celebrated as early as the sixth century. The traditional date of the feast, September 8, falls exactly nine months after the feast of the Immaculate Conception of Mary. Perhaps because of its proximity to the feast of the Assumption of Mary, the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary is not celebrated today with the same solemnity as the Immaculate Conception. It is, nonetheless, a very important feast, because it prepares the way for the birth of Christ. It is also an unusual feast because it celebrates a birthday.

Legion of Mary - Annual Pilgrimage to Knock

The Legion of Mary Annual Pilgrimage to Knock will take place on Sunday 27th September. A bus will leave from Clonard, Wexford at 6.30am. Oylegate Bus Stop - 6.45am Enniscorthy Datapac carpark - 6.55am Ferns Church - 7.10am Camolin Bus Stop - 7.15am Gorey Hospital at - 7.25am Arklow M11 bus stop - 7.40am. Leaving Knock after programme finishes approx 5.15pm.

We will be stopping for a sit down meal on the way home, please let us know when booking if you are interested. Not included in coach price. Return to Wexford at approx 10pm Coach cost, Adult €40 Child €25. Ring Eileen 087 9331809 or Mark 087 6846908.

THE HOOK OF FAITH

'For the Care of Water' is Pope Leo's prayer intention for the month of September and the Season of Creation that started on 1st September and ends on 4th October. The homily for the Twenty-Third Sunday of Ordinary Time reflects on our call to fraternal correction – a delicate business, especially at a time when individual freedom is emphasised strongly. We have another video by the excellent catechist Dr Caitlin West as she explores 'What is Faith, Actually?' Prof. Jacob Philips explores current cultural wars and Janet Forbes, from the Archdiocese of Armagh, shares her faith story. We share a powerful homily at the grotto at Lourdes by Bishop Kevin Doran and include a beautiful documentary on St Augustine, whose feast day we celebrated recently. Finally, has the value of empathy trumped truth, reality and justice? Does the fear of hurting feelings stop us from doing and saying what needs to be done and said? An excellent conversation from 'Word on Fire' explores more. Check out these and other resources available at www.thehookoffaith.com