

Fermoy Parish Newsletter - 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

3rd & 4th October 2026

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Open Monday to Friday 9.30am to 12.30pm. **Closed Friday at 12 noon**

Collections for Weekend 26th & 27th September 2026

Door: €1980: - Parish Administration: €2050:

Priest on Sick Call Duty: Telephone: **087 2552276**

Offertory Collection: Diocesan Purposes

Month of October Rosary: The Rosary will be recited each evening at 8pm in the Queen of Peace Church during the month of October. All welcome.

First Holy Communion or Confirmation in 2027: Parents who wish to enrol their child for First Holy Communion or Confirmation in 2027 may now do so. Our Catholic primary schools have already circulated letters of information to relevant families, but if your child is home-schooled or attending a non-Catholic school enrolling for a sacrament may be done through the Fermoy Parish website, under the heading of Sacraments.

Parish Envelope System: We are currently preparing to distribute the boxes for the parish envelope system. We Request that you notify the parish office if there are any changes to your details or address. Thank you in advance.

Autumn Stations 2026: The Autumn stations will take place on the following dates: They were held in Fermoy on Friday 2nd Oct: They will be in Araglin Thursday 8th Oct and in Kilworth Friday 9th of Oct; All at 7.30pm Envelopes will be available at the back of the churches and also in your yearly box of envelopes.

Feast day of St Francis of Assisi: To mark the feast day of St Francis of Assisi, there will be a short ceremony of the Blessing of the Animals after 12-noon mass today, Sunday 4th October in the green area in front of Fr Eamon's House. (Weather permitting). Dogs must be kept on a lead and cats & other animals in safe containers. Please also don't forget to clean up after your pet. (Doggie bag) The blessing in Kilworth will take place on the 4th of October; after 9am mass.

Fermoy Flower and Garden Club: A demonstration by Jane O'Dwyer (AOIFA) "Frightfully Floral" on Tuesday 6th October in the Adair Hall at 8.00p.m. All welcome. Visitors €10.

Fermoy Parish Newsletter: Please submit all items to be included in the newsletter by 12 noon Wednesday to the parish office. Thank you.

Fermoy CMWS: A Night of Music. Celebrating 120 years. On October 17th at 8.15pm in Fermoy Community Youth Centre. All proceeds in aid of St. Patrick's Church Roof Restoration Fund. Tickets available from the Youth Centre 025 32042, Read, Learn & Play 025 31599 & the parish office. Tickets will also be available after the weekend Masses in St. Patricks Church at the Legion of Mary box. In the Queen of Peace at the rear of the Church. **Price €20.00.**

Mater Dei Academy Open Evening: Thursday October 8th at 7pm. Prospective parents and students are most welcome. Mater Dei Academy is an independent Catholic secondary school for boys and girls located in Shandon, Cork. Register at www.materdeiacademy.ie or by calling 021 2021229.

Life in the Spirit Mass: with the theme "Family Tree" will be held in Glanworth Parish Church on Tuesday 6th October 2026 at 8pm. All are welcome

Bible Studies: Fermoy Parish will run a Bible Study course led by Fr Eamon Roche and Deacon John McCarthy. The course will cover the Book of Revelation and will run for 14 weeks, either side of Christmas. It will have something for all levels, beginners, intermediate and advanced and is a good opportunity to nourish your faith and meet others. There is an Open Day, a Come-and-See meeting on Tuesday 6th Oct at 7.30pm in the Accord Building, Monument Hill, Fermoy (P61X866). The course begins the following week and will run on Tuesdays, 7.30pm to 9pm. Cost is 20 Euro per person.

Anniversary List: Bobby O Driscoll, Anniv, Corrin View;
Michael Bowes, Anniv. Oliver Plunkett Hill, remembering his wife Nellie & his daughter Josephine;
Albert McGonagle, Anniv, Corrin View;
John Dunne, Anniv. Ballyporeen;
Eileen & Denis Kelly, Anniv, Borisakane;
Dan Barry, Anniv, Clancy St;
Annette & John O'Keeffe, Anniv. Duntahane;
Caroline Byrne Brennan, 1st Anniv. Kilworth & Rathealy Rd;
Gobnait O'Dwyer, College Road;
Betty and Paddy Slattery, Bellevue, Fermoy;
Diarmuid Fenton, Ballinvoher, Kilworth;
Tommy Feerick, Barry's Boreen;

Months Mind: David O'Meara, Carrignagroghera;

Recent Deaths: Daniel (Dan) Twomey, Strand House, Fermoy;
John Howard, Mitchelstown & Kilworth, brother of Danny Howard, Fermoy;
Nora Johnson, (née Egan), Clondulane, Strawhall & Surrey, Died in England Sept 28th. Older sister of Danny Higgins, Strawhall;