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JOHN 15:5

# The Grapevine



Mooncoin Parish Newsletter

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Pentecost Sunday

A Pentecost poem, for this Irish June,  
To celebrate the Spirit's vibrant rune.  
A fiery breath, a wind's soft call,  
Awakens faith, and lifts us all.

Like tongues of flame, on heads descend,  
The Holy Spirit, without end.  
In Ireland's heart, where legends soar,  
He speaks in love, and asks for more.

A song of joy, a vibrant hue,  
New life is born, for me and you.  
Pentecost calls, to be anew,  
With Spirit's gift, forever true.

#### Mooncoin Parish Safeguarding Reps:

Katherine Hogan.

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Office Opening Hours

Monday - Wednesday - Friday 9.45am - 12.45pm

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**Day Centre Outing to Kilkenny Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> June.** Visiting Kilkenny Castle and other places of interest. Bus leaving @ 10am and returning @ 10pm. Cost €55 including Dinner. Contact any member of the Day Centre for more information, booking etc...

**Masses for the coming week**

Monday NO MASS  
 Tuesday Carrigeen 9.30am  
 Wednesday, Thursday & Friday Mooncoin @ 9.30am  
 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after mass on Thursdays

**June Cemetery/Priests collection** is now due. Anyone with envelopes can drop them to the parish office. Your support is greatly appreciated.

**PARISH HALL SCHEDULE**

**MONDAY 9<sup>th</sup> JUNE:**

10am - Women's Group  
 8pm - Bingo

**WEDNESDAY:**

9.30am - Manual Handling Course  
 1.30pm - Day Care Centre  
 7pm - Bridge  
 7.30pm - Line Dancing

**THURSDAY:**

6.45pm - Yoga with Caoimhe

**FRIDAY:**

4pm - Hip Hop with Rachel

**Walk The Longest Day for Teac Tom**

*Every day* can feel like the longest day for someone struggling with their mental health. On 21st June, gather your group, club, or workplace for a 30-minute walk to support Teac Tom. every €10 donated goes to directly funding Teac Tom's vital mental health and suicide prevention services. - To get your group involved, email [events.teactom@gmail.com](mailto:events.teactom@gmail.com). - Let's walk for hope. Let's walk *The Longest Day*. **What Teac Tom Does** Teac Tom, part of the Thomas Hayes Trust, provides immediate, no-wait mental health support & suicide prevention services. From counselling to a 24-hour phone line, Teac Tom is here when it matters most. - If you or someone you know needs support, call **Teac Tom 24/7 on 056 779 6592**. - You are never alone. **Visit the Cathedral Café – Coffee with a Cause** Located in the beautiful St. Mary's Cathedral, the Cathedral Café is a warm, volunteer-run space where every coffee & slice of cake supports Teac Tom's life-saving work. Open Saturdays from 10am–4pm & Sundays from 10am–1pm, it's the perfect spot to relax & give back - All profits go directly to Teac Tom's mental health services. Drop by next time you're in Kilkenny City & enjoy a cuppa that truly makes a difference.

**ANNIVERSARIES:**

Tony Moran, Comeragh View. Wattie Walsh, Polerone.  
 Tom Hearne, Comeragh View. Mick Nolan, Rathcurby.  
 Hilary & Ena Delahunty, Grange. Nellie Phelan, Ballytarsney.  
 Paul & Mary O'Keeffe & their son Paul Jnr, Filbuckstown.  
 Ned & Breda O'Keeffe & their son Billy O'Keeffe, Filbuckstown.  
 Richard Moran, Ballybrazil. Michael Holden, St Anne's Terrace.  
 Teresa Russo nee Holden. Nellie Wallace, Listorlin. Paddy Murphy, Barrabehy.  
 Patrick Byrne, Bigwood. Nora Thomas, Carrick Road. Andy Rowe, Carrick Road.  
 Anna Hearne, Carrick Road.

**Mooncoin Parish Pastoral Council** The newly formed Parish Pastoral Council had its first meeting on June 5th. The members of the Council are: Fr. Martin Tobin (President) David Simento (Chair), Celina Kinsella (Secretary), Anette Reddy, Breda O'Brien, Brid Mackey, Catriona O'Reilly, Fiona Delahunty, Jason Dunphy, Katherine Hogan, Kathleen Walsh, Marian Walsh, Miriam Grace, Teresa Gorman. The Council began its work by recording all the wonderful things that are happening in the parish under the four headings of Worship, Nurturing Faith, Building Community and Service and Outreach. After the summer, the Council will reconvene and regular updates will be provided through the Grapevine.

Mooncoin	Date/Time	Names	Date/Time	Names
Flower Group	June	Rene Comerford		Joan Foskin
Readers	14th June	Catriona O'Reilly Liam Bradley	15th June	Richard Wilson Luiseach Donohoe
Eucharistic Ministers	14th June	Lucy Quinn Paul Butler	15th June	Valery Barlow Dermot McGrath
Carrigeen	Date/Time	Names	Date/Time	Names
Cleaners	14th June	Judy Doherty	Helena Walsh	
Readers	15th June	Joe Sullivan	June Vereker	
Collectors	15th June	Ronan Walsh	Margaret Phelan	
Eucharistic Ministers	15th June	PJ O'Leary	Yvonne Pheasey	
Kilnaspic	Date/Time	Names	Date/Time	Names
Readers	22nd June	Kathleen Walsh		
Cleaners	June	Dunphy's		
Eucharistic Ministers	15th June	Kathleen Walsh		

**St Vincent de Paul Collection.** Sunday 15th June: Carrigeen @ 8.50am  
 Thank you for your continued support it is very much appreciated.

**CEMETERY MASSES 2025**  
 Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> June: Mooncoin Old Cemetery @ 7pm  
 Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> June: Kilnaspic Cemetery @ 12.30pm (no 8.50am Mass)

Please have your loved ones anniversaries in to the parish office by 12 noon on Fridays to ensure they are included in the parish newsletter.