

25th Sunday In Ordinary Time

**Mooncoin Parish Pastoral Council** As a newly formed Parish Pastoral Council, we have been thinking about all the wonderful things that are already happening in our Parish. After a short brainstorming session, we have come up with the following and we have listed our thoughts under the four pillars of Worship, Nourishing faith, Community building, Service and Outreach. There may of course be other ministries and services that are not listed here – please know that nothing was left out intentionally and we will continue to gather information over the coming months. There are dozens of parishioners involved in these ministries and services, and as a Pastoral Council and a Parish community, we are very grateful to all who continue to give their time so willingly.

Worship	Nourishing faith	Community building	Service and Outreach
Ministers of the Word Music Ministry Ministers of the Eucharist Live Streaming Altar Servers Ministry	Sacramental Preparation Programmes Celebration of the Eucharist in all three churches School Masses and Liturgies Eucharistic Adoration Training for Ministries Schools	Communion for the Sick and Housebound	Training Altar servers Parish Pastoral Council Young at Heart – Day Centre Drug Awareness Group Church cleaning Church decorating Flowers for churches Finance Committee Parish Newsletter Parish website Collectors and counters Safeguarding Committee Parish Office Catering in Parish Hall

**MASSES FOR THE COMING WEEK**

Monday NO MASS.  
 Tuesday NO MASS  
 Wednesday, Thursday & Friday  
 9.30am in the Nagle Chapel

Mooncoin Church is asking for volunteers to join the **Readers Group**.

The commitment is 2 consecutive weekends approximately 3 times per year. If interested please contact the parish office 051 895 123 or Mary Grace 086 340 4667

**Painting of Mooncoin Parish Church:** The painting of the interior of Mooncoin Parish Church is continuing. Weekend Masses will be as usual in the main body of the Church. Weekday Masses will be in the Nagle Chapel.

"Breast Cancer Awareness Month takes place October 1st-31st. For further information, please log onto [www.breastcancerireland.com](http://www.breastcancerireland.com)."

**Priests:** Fr. Martin Tobin Adm. 086 240 1278  
 Fr. Michael Kelly, SJ, CC Kilmacow and Pastoral Area Assistant 087 3791406  
**Parish Secretary:** Tracy Driscoll **Office Phone :** 051-895 123  
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 Monday - Wednesday - Friday 9.45am - 12.45pm (closed bank holidays)  
**Radio Frequency:** MHz 108 FM . **Website:** www.mooncoinparish.ie  
**Live Streaming:** www.churchservices.tv/mooncoinparish

**RECENTLY DECEASED:** Angela Barry, Main Street, Mooncoin  
**ANNIVERSARIES:** Martin Delahunty, Ballytarsney (1st Anniversary)  
 Dominic McEvoy, Ferrybank (1st Anniversary) John & Annie Barron, Kilmacow.  
 May O'Dwyer, Kilmacow. Kathleen Hennessy, Narabane. Mary Croke, Ballygriffin.  
 John Purcell, Rathkieran/Blackpool. Walsh Taylor Family, Portnascully.  
 Margo Purcell, Rathkieran/Bristol. Ann Dobbyn, 12 Comeragh View.  
 Kathleen Power, Luffany. Tim Durney, Jamestown. Tommy Walsh, Ballygriffin.  
 William Fewer, Ballygriffin. Walter & Catherine Delahunty, Portnascully.  
 Alicia Walsh, Clashroe. John Fitzgerald, Shanklin, Isle of Wite.  
 Jim Harvey, Letterkenny/Birmingham. Joe Brennan, Tourtane/Birmingham.  
 Joe Harvey, Letterkenny. John McGrath Snr. Dungooley.  
 Margaret (Peg) McGrath, Dungooley. Patrick O'Brien, Ballincur. Mary Ryan, Ballincur.  
**MONTHS MIND:** Esther Aylward, Dournane Rd.

**Hospice Coffee Morning** will be held on Thursday 25th September in Comerfords lounge from 9.30am to 1pm. Please continue your outstanding support over the years for this most deserving fund.

Please note the opening hours of the **PARISH HALL OFFICE** until December: -  
 Monday: 9.30am - 12.30pm  
 Tuesday: 9.30am - 12.30pm  
 Wednesday: 9.30am - 12.30pm  
 Anyone wishing to contact the Hall, please email [mooncoinparishhall@gmail.com](mailto:mooncoinparishhall@gmail.com)  
 Leave a message via Facebook Messenger. Send a text or voicemail on 089-223 2830 with your name and message and all messages will be replied to.

**St Mary's Cathedral Restoration Fund Draw** September 2025 to August 2026. 12 monthly draws. Subscription €10 per month. Draw will be held at 8pm on the last Wednesday of each month in the Chapter Room, Kilkenny. Tickets for draw are available from the parish office.

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**28th September 2025**

**Mooncoin Parish Safeguarding Reps:**

Katherine Hogan.  
 Miriam Grace. Marian Walsh c/o Mooncoin Parish Office 051 895 123

Mooncoin	Date/Time	Names	Date/Time	Names
Flower Group	September	Rene Comerford	Bernie Walsh	Sylvia Lennon
Readers	27th September	Blathnaid Keane Muireann Keane		
	28th September	Margaret Brennan Faye Sutton		
Eucharistic Ministers	27th September	Margaret Crowley Paul Butler		
	28th September	Gaby Kelly John Barden		
Carrigeen	Date/Time	Names	Date/Time	Names
Cleaners	4th October	Judy Doherty	Helena Walsh	
Readers	5th October	Angela Crowley Parker	Dylan Delahunty	
Collectors	5th October	Michael Walsh	Teresa O'Neill	
Eucharistic Ministers	28th September	Yvonne Pheasey		
Kilnaspic	Date/Time	Names	Date/Time	Names
Readers	28th Sept	Patrick Walsh		
Cleaners	September 2025	Kathleen Walsh		
Eucharistic Ministers	28th Sept	Evelyn Kennedy		