



Cathedral of the Assumption

Sunday, 27th March, 2022. **Fourth Sunday of Lent**
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Listening Lent - What do you think?

Pope Francis wants to hear from the whole Church about what it is like to be part of the People of God right now. He asks us to listen to what God is saying to us through the experience of one another.

Pope Francis invites us to listen with openness and to speak with courage.

We have three questions that we are invited to respond to;

Communion – How we share God's life, with God and one another?

Participation – Being part of the faith community?

Mission – telling others the Good News?

In the Cathedral Parish we plan to have an open meeting:

The meeting will take place on Tuesday 29th March in the Cathedral Parish Centre at 7.30pm.

You are welcome to attend the meeting. The meeting will consist of listening, reflecting and responding.

You may also choose to respond to the questions by logging on to the Cathedral Parish Website or the Diocesan Website, clicking the survey button and respond to the questions.

Pope Francis believes that everyone matters, he wants to hear from you!

The Kandle online synod survey is live on www.kandle.ie/synod/.

This can be accessed via scanning the above QR code. If you can't make it to a local in person listening session during Lent you might like to complete this survey instead, individually or as part of a group. You might also share it with those you think might not have a chance to attend in person.



Kildare and Leighlin Synod Listening Survey

Rambling Rovers

Meet on Monday and Wednesdays at 7.50pm at the Youth Centre, Green Lane. They walk for 45 mins (mostly pensioners) and give €1 per walk to local charities. New Walkers welcome.

Stations of the Cross - Mondays during Lent after 10am Mass
Lenten Scripture Sharing - Wednesdays during Lent after 10am Mass in the Sacristy

Carlow Lyons Club Book Sale

Now open on Tullow Street (opposite Shaws)

Opens at 10am

Bingo

The Parish Bingo and Lotto is every Friday and Sunday in the Youth Centre at Green Lane.

Starting at 8.30pm.



Mass in the Cathedral for the week of the 28th March - 3rd April

Monday to Friday: 7.30am, 10am and 1pm

Saturday: 10am and 6.15pm Vigil

Sunday: 8.30am, 10.30am, 12.30pm and 7pm

ALL MASSES AVAILABLE ON CATHEDRAL PARISH WEBCAM: <http://www.carlowcathedral.ie/webcam/>

Sacrament of Reconciliation: After 10am Mass every Saturday in the Cathedral

A DAILY PRAYER FOR PEACE

Loving God, we pray for the people of Ukraine,
for all those suffering or afraid, that you will be close to them and
protect them.

We pray for world leaders,
for compassion, strength and wisdom to guide their choices.

We pray for the world that in this moment of crisis,
we may reach out in solidarity to our brothers and sisters in need.
May we walk in your ways so that peace and justice become a reality
for the people of
Ukraine and for all the world.

Amen.

Holy Week from the Cathedral on RTE

Bishop Denis and the Cathedral Parish were contacted by Kairos Productions who produce Religious Ceremonies for RTE.

Kairos have requested the Cathedral to host the Good Friday and Holy Saturday Liturgies; 3pm Good Friday and 11pm on Holy Saturday.

Thanks to Marian Gaynor the Director of Music at the Cathedral, the commitment of the Carlow Cathedral Music Ministry Collective and the support of the Parish Staff, we are privileged and delighted to host both ceremonies.

Pilgrimage to the Holy Land

The Equestrian Order of the Holy Sepulchre of Jerusalem is a major Catholic Order of Knighthood, under the direct protection of the Holy See, established according to ecclesiastical law.

Clergy and parishioners from Kildare & Leighlin Diocese are invited to participate in this special pilgrimage.

Further information and booking forms are available from Navan Travel tel: 046 9068600.

The Carlow Active Retirement Association's next General Meeting will be held at the Cathedral Parish Centre on April 13th, at 2.30pm. Members of Carlow Archaeological & Historical Society will be in attendance as guest speakers.

Accord is recruiting interested people to assist in the provision of Marriage Preparation Programmes.

Application forms are available by contacting marriagepreparation@accord.ie

CANA 1,2,3 – Retreat for Couples

Rediscover the meaning and fun in your marriage, your family life, and your commitment to each other. Experience the 7 thematic days of the CANA Week over three weekends through April, May and June. Including talks, testimonies and most importantly of all, time to share with each other as a couple and with other couples.

Contact details: Brian and Lisa Harmon 041 6851563, 086-8386725 or 087-9080023, email info@canaireland.org and website www.canaireland.org

67 Bridge Club

The '67 Bridge Club will reopen on Tuesday 29th March in the Seven Oaks at 7.30pm.

New Members Welcome.

UPMC have teamed up with Breast Cancer Ireland and are offering free education sessions regarding Breast checks.

This event takes place on Thursday, 7th of April. There are 3 sessions open on that day - 2pm, 4pm and 6pm.

It will take place at UPMC Outreach Centre, Merchant House, Shamrock Plaza, Carlow. R93 E4E3

Due to its popularity we will need to take numbers and names of attendees. This can be emailed to Miriam - griffinm8@upmc.ie or call 059 91 40236

5th Carlow Town Scout Group would like to thank the Parish Community for all your support at our St Patrick's Day celebration. We raised an amazing €2478.68 between the raffle, bake sale and donations.

The funds raised will be channelled via the World Organization of the Scout Movement (WOSM) for the dedicated benefit of the work of Ukrainian Scouts.

Bob's Your Uncle Lotto Results - Sunday 6th March - €20,000 Jackpot

9, 13, 19, 30

No Jackpot Winner. Match Three's shared €1,000. Tickets available for next Sunday's draw in the Parish Centre and in the Bob's Office across from the Cathedral after 10.30am, 12.30pm and 7pm Mass on Sundays.