

22ND MARCH 2026

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Parish Radio 105.3 FM.

THE FOLLOWING ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR AT THIS TIME

21st Mar: 7pm:

† Mary (1st Anniv) & Michael (3rd Anniv) Connell, Roscrea Rd.

† Brid Delaney, Knockinroe.

† Billy Costigan, 12 Park View West.

† Dan Maher, 5 Lacey Ave, Templemore & all deceased members of the Maher Family, Clonakenny, Ashmere, Roscrea & UK

† Kathleen Egan, Cowpark, (7th Anniv)

22nd Mar: Templemore 10.30am:

† Jack Walsh, Lakeview Drive and Martin Walsh, Castleiney.

† Noreen Crowley, Richmond.

† Patrick Hennessy, Killea.

† Maurice Murphy, Manna South

† Reggie Kennedy, Roscrea Rd.

Killea 12noon:

† Jim & Eileen Corcoran, Ballyheen

25th Mar: 9.30am:

† Joe Ryan, Lacey Ave & Birmingham.

† Marian Maher, Abbey Lodge.

29th Mar: Clonmore 9am:

† John Joyce, Graffin, Clonmore, (7th Anniv) and deceased members of the Joyce and Moylan Families, Errill & Graffin.

Templemore 10.30am:

† William Ryan Haven, Graffin, Anniv.

PARISH LOTTO DRAW

9th Mar 2026 – Jackpot €2,600. Numbers Drawn: 7, 12, 15, 28. **No Jackpot Winner.** 3 Lucky Dip Winners: John Francis O'Mahony, Stephen Larkin, Anna Hogan. Next week's jackpot €2,750.

16th Mar 2026 – Jackpot €2,750. Numbers Drawn: 1, 5, 11, 32. **No Jackpot Winner.** 3 Lucky Dip Winners: Anna & James Ryan, Niamh Butler, Veronica Carew. Next week's jackpot €2,900.

Lotto available online, through a promoter or call into the parish office. Congratulations to our winners & thank you for your support.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION – Last weekend €1930. We thank all who support & give so generously to our parish.

If you would like to donate to the parish you can drop in to the parish office or you can now donate online @ www.templemoreparish.ie/donate. You can select the collection you wish to donate to and follow the on screen instructions.

"Faith in the resurrection of Jesus says that there is a future for every human being; the cry for unending life which is a part of the person is indeed answered. God exists: that is the real message of Easter. Anyone who even begins to grasp what this means also knows what it means to be redeemed." Pope

Benedict XVI

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CEREMONY OF LIGHT for confirmation candidates on Monday night @ 7pm – Sacred Heart Church.

PARISH FUNERAL TEAM – for March is Anne Kiely & Marian Keely. Grateful thanks to all members of the parish funeral team for their ministry and service.

EPILEPSY AWARENESS – Purple Day (or Epilepsy Awareness Day) will take place on Thursday 26th March. Please visit purpleday.org.

COIS SIÚIRE ON TG4 – Update on Cois Siúire – it will now be broadcast on Wednesday 1st April 2026 @ 9.30pm on TG4. Last year the TG4 film crew filmed some of the Annual Mass on the Devil's Bit for its inclusion in this programme. **Be sure to check it out!**

VIGIL – In honour of the Annunciation of the Lord, Thurs March 26th, Bóthar Na Naomh Church, Thurles commencing at 6.30 p.m. with Rosary, Mass - 7pm and Holy Hour 7.30 – 8.30 p.m. Celebrant : Fr. John Makoni.

*Your mind is a garden.
Your thoughts are the seeds.
You can grow flowers.
Or you can grow weeds.*

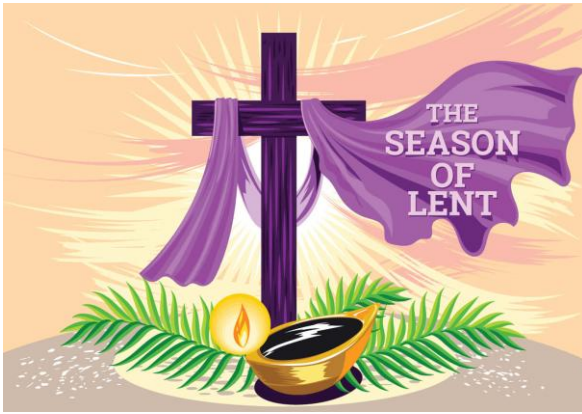


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FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT – “St Paul reminds the early Christian community that baptism unites them to the saving death of Christ and enables them to share his life: “You have been taught that when we were baptised in Christ Jesus we were baptised in his death; in other words, when we were baptised, we went into the tomb with him and joined him in death, so that as Christ was raised from the dead by the Father’s glory, we too might live a new life” (6:3-4) When baptism was celebrated during the Easter Vigil, as it was for many centuries, this connection between the paschal mystery and the new life given in baptism was readily made.” – Paragraph 71 (Baptised and Sent)



NIGHT OF SACRED SONG AND MUSIC – with the choirs from our cluster parishes. Templemore Clonmore & Killea, Borrisoleigh, Loughmore Castleiney, & Drom will take place on March 27th in Loughmore Church at 7:30pm. Please come along and support.



EASTER MASS BOUQUETS – are now available in the Parish office.

"Where there is discord may we bring harmony. Where there is error, may we bring truth. Where there is doubt, may we bring faith. Where there is despair, may we bring hope." – St Francis of Assisi

Marvellous You

Every second we live is a new and unique moment of the universe, a moment that will never be again. And what do we teach our children? We teach them that two plus two makes four and that Paris is the capital of France.

When will we also teach them what they are?
We should say to each of them:

“Do you know what you are? You are a marvel. You are unique. In all the years that have passed there has never been another child like you. Your legs, your arms, your clever fingers, the way you move. You may become a Shakespeare, a Michelangelo. A Beethoven. You have the capacity for anything. Yes, you are a marvel. And when you grow up, can you then harm another who is, like you, a marvel?”

You must work, we must all work, to make the world worthy of its children.

DAY CARE CENTRE MASS – Mass at the Day Care Centre 2pm Thursday 26th March. Refreshments afterwards.

When you change the way you look at things, the things you look at change.

– Albert Einstein.

LENTEN ROSARY – The Rosary will be recited in Clonmore Church each Tuesday at 8pm during Lent.

PATRICK FEENEY IN CONCERT – Come and enjoy an Evening with Patrick Feeny & his Band on their Gospel Concert Tour **Sat April 25th in Church of St Joseph & St Brigid, Bóthar na Naomh Church, Thurles @ 8pm**. Ticket Donation: €30. Proceeds towards Cathedral Reroofing Project. Tickets available from Thurles Parish Centre (0504 22229), Bookworm, Liberty Square (0504 22257) & Holycross Parish Office (0504 43124).

TEMPLEMORE SVP – will be holding their monthly church gate collection after all Parish Masses weekend of 28th, 29th March. Your continued support is much appreciated.