

St Colmcille's Pastoral Area - Thomastown & Inistioge Parishes

INISTIOGE PARISH

Inistioge Parish Mass Times

Vigil: The Rower 7.30 p.m.
Sundays: Clodiagh 9.30 a.m.;
Inistioge 11.00 a.m.
Weekdays: The Rower 9.30 a.m. Tuesday
Inistioge 9.30 a.m. Thursday

Thomastown Parish Mass Times

Vigil: Thomastown 6.00 p.m.
Sundays: Thomastown 10.00 a.m.
Weekdays: Thomastown 9.30 a.m. -
Wednesdays & Fridays.

(NB: weekday mass times may occasionally change according to circumstances)

Third Sunday of Easter - 19th April 2026

The Rower Graveyard

The Rower Graveyard Committee are having a second sales night, on Saturday 25th April from 8-9:30pm in The Rower Hall. Come along to purchase your plot/offer donations towards the development of our new graveyard. Current promotional prices are only available until July 31st - price increases will be effective from 1st August 2026. Contact us @ the rowergraveyardcommittee@gmail.com

SVP Concert

The **Nomads** with special guest **Lizzy Heffernan** are playing next Friday the 24th of April at 7.30 in Cois Abhann Inistioge. Tickets €10 in aid of Rower Inistioge Vincent de Paul. Tickets available at post office and at the door.

Stroke Support

The Kilkenny Stroke Support Group meet next Friday April 24th, 2.30-4pm, Tuiscint day services meeting rooms, at St Canice's Hospital Complex, Old Dublin Road, Kilkenny. Further information text/call 087-7814697".

From Heartbreak to Hope

Kilkenny Bereavement invite you to a talk on Suicide Bereavement, Thursday 30th April, 7.00pm in Newpark Hotel. Admission free. Speakers Christy Kennelly and Dr. Linda Finnegan, on suicide can devastate the lives of those left behind.

Bereavements.

Anniversaries: Bea and Pat Galavan, Hermitage, The Rower(7.30pm); James Hackett, Kilcross (11.00am).

Next w/e: Maura O'Neill, Brownsford and deceased members of the O'Neill & Cottrell families; Mickey Cottrell, Coolshane (11.00am).

The Risen Lord is watching!

At the head of a table in the dining room, one of the nuns had placed a big bowl of bright red, fresh, juicy apples. Beside the bowl, she placed a sign which read, "Take only one. Remember, Jesus is watching."

At the other end of the table was a bowl full of freshly baked chocolate chip biscuits, still warm from the oven.

Beside the bowl there was a little note scrawled in a child's handwriting which read, "Take all you want. Jesus is watching the apples!"

Historical Society

'GAA Stories through Objects'

Speaker: Dr Siobhán Doyle; Friday, 24th April at 8pm in Mullinavat Hall.

St Canice's Mass RTE1 TV

Bishop Phonsie Cullinan, Chair of the Council for Vocations, will celebrate Mass in St. Canice's Catholic Church, Kilkenny, next Sunday, at 11.00 am.

Last Week's Collection

Plate: € 774

Many Thanks

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