



Kilmacow Parish

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Weekend Masses:
Kilmacow: Sunday 11.15 a.m.

Priests of the Pastoral Area: Fr. Michael Kelly SJ
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Parish Website: www.kilmacowparish.com

28th September 2025

26th Sunday Of Ordinary Time

Mass Times

Kilmacow

Monday 6.30 p.m.
Tuesday 9.30 a.m.
Thursday Eucharistic Service
Friday 9.30 a.m.
Sunday 11.15a.m.

Mooncoin

Wednesday - Friday 9.30 a.m.
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament on Thursday following Mass to 12 noon in the Nagle Chapel.

Recently Deceased

Theresa Dobbyn, Dunkitt

Anniversaries

11.15 a.m. John Dollard, 1st Anniversary
Charlie & Nathan Grace Howard

Safe Guarding Witnesses

Sun 5th Joan Butler

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

Sun 5th Marian Aylward, Betty Walsh,
Julie McNamara

Readers

Sun 5th Anne O’Keeffe & Harry Knox

Feast Days For The Week

Monday Ss Michael, Gabriel & Raphael, Archangels
Tuesday St. Jerome, priest
Wednesday St. Therese of Lisieux, doctor of the Church
Thursday The Guardian Angels
Friday Bl. Columba Marmion, abbot
Saturday St. Francis of Assisi

Baptisms:

Baptisms will be celebrated in Kilmacow on the 4th Sunday of each month at 12 noon and bookings can be made through Kilmacow Parish Office.

If a Funeral is taking place on that Sunday, Baptisms will move to 1 p.m.

Funerals:

All arrangements for Funerals to be made with Fr. Tobin. In the event of a Funeral, there will be no 9.30 a.m. Mass. Further information is available on the Parish Website www.kilmacowparish.com

Taizé Youth Programme 2026

A youth trip to Taizé in France organised by Ossory Youth will take place from Sunday 28th June to Sunday 5th July 2026. A week in the Taizé Community is an opportunity for reflection and contemplation and a little step back from daily life. But bringing people together is also the essence of Taize and it is a week of meeting young people from different countries and cultures where new friendships are made. Tens of thousands of young people from around the world, including 25 from Kilkenny, will made the trip to Taizé next year. The programme, which runs from November 2025 to July 2026 is open to Transition year and 5th year students. Closing date for applications is Friday 24th Oct. For additional information, including cost and application forms, contact Patrick Bookle, Ossory Youth at (056) 7761200, (087) 2129006 or pbookle@ossoryyouth.com

Pope's Monthly Intention – October

Let us pray that believers in different religious traditions might work together to defend and promote peace, justice, and human fraternity.

Autumn Collection

Thank you to all who have contributed to the Autumn collection for our Priest which is currently being taken up. This is one of the 6 collections to support our priest. If you do not have an envelope for this collection, you can contribute using any envelope and mark it ‘Priests Collection’. Thank you.

Kilmacow Safeguarding Information

In the event of concerns about the safeguarding of children or vulnerable adults engaged in church activities contact the Designated Liaison Person,
Ms. Ailish Higgins 085 8021633
Ms. Rose Brophy 087 3314330
Mr. Cathal Cullen 056 7762448
email: dlp@ossory.ie TUSLA 059/9115570
www.ossory.ie/safeguarding

Parish Safeguarding Representatives:
Bernadette Moloney
Anthony Young

Adult Faith Development Group Pilgrimage 2026

Trip to Northern Italy visiting Padua, Venice and Bologna, led by Frs. Dermot Ryan & Kieran O'Shea will take place on March 20th – 26th 2026. Cost €1,095 p.p.s. Single room supplement is €240. For further enquiries/to book contact MYRIAM Tours on 057 9355050/whatsapp 085 1792364/info@myriam.ie

Intercessory Prayer Meeting

Meeting every Wednesday evening in Rosedale Day Centre at 7.30 to 8.30 p.m. All welcome.

Breast Cancer Awareness Month

Takes place October 1st - 31st. For further information, please log onto www.breastcancerireland.com

Table Quiz

There will be a table quiz in aid of Kilmacow Masterplan Committee in the Fox's Den at 8 p.m. on Monday, 6th October. The cost per table of four is €20. All support welcome.

Bewleys Big Coffee Morning For Hospice

It's Coffee Morning time again and Mullinavat Coffee Morning in aid of Waterford Hospice Movement will take place in Mullinavat Community Centre on Saturday, 4th October from 10 a.m. to 2p.m. Bring along your friends and family for a cuppa and a chat!!

Teach Tom

Teach Tom, in partnership with the South East Regional Drug & Alcohol Task Force and the DRIVE initiative, is hosting a free community event on Drug Intimidation, Violence & Suicide Prevention on Thursday, 2nd October at 5.30pm in The Set, Langtons, Kilkenny. This important evening will provide information on the supports available to families & communities affected by drug intimidation, where to turn for confidential advice & how local services can help protect loved ones. All are welcome. To confirm attendance, please email events.teactom@gmail.com

Parish Dates for 2025

Remembrance Mass

Sunday, 23rd November at 11.15 a.m.

Direct Debit Donations

These can be made using our Bank details:
IBAN: IE40 AIBK 93427585444014
BIC: AIBK IE2D

Collection

Offertory €250 August Envelopes €2,970
Thanks to all who contribute to the collections for the support of our parish and priests.

Chairobics

Held every Tuesday morning in the Community Centre at 11a.m. Designed to help your strength, flexible, mobility, balance and relaxation. All levels of ability catered for.

Money Advice and Budgeting Service MABS

MABS is a free, confidential and independent Money Management and Debt Advice Service. MABS assist people in dealing with their existing debt problems, who have difficulty paying a mortgage, or those facing legal action because of debt. They also provide information and access to Insolvency Services including free Debt Relief Advice under the Personal Insolvency options. For more information or an appointment, contact MABS on 0818 072610.

Mass Bookings

Bookings for Anniversary Masses can be made through the Parish Office or at kilmacow@ossory.ie

Parish Office

Signed Sympathy Cards and Mass Bouquets are available from the Parish Office.

The Parish Office opens at the following times -

- Tuesday 9.30 a.m. to 2.00 p.m.
- Friday 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Mass bookings, items for inclusion in the Parish Newsletter etc. can be emailed to Aoife at kilmacow@ossory.ie, Parish phone 087 4796533 or dropped into the post box at the Parish Office before 12 noon on Friday.

Prayer Of St. Francis of Assisi

Praised be you, my Lord, with all your creatures,
especially Sir Brother Sun, who is the day through
whom you give us light.

And he is beautiful and radiant with great splendour;
and bears the likeness of you, most High.

Praised be you, my Lord, through Sister Moon and
the stars, in heaven you formed them clear
and precious and beautiful.

Praised be you, my Lord, through Brother Wind,
and through the air, cloudy and serene,
and every kind of weather through whom you give
sustenance to your creatures.

Praised be you, my Lord, through Sister Water, who
is very useful and humble and precious and chaste.

Praised be you, my Lord, through Brother Fire,
through whom you light the night, and he is beautiful
and playful and robust and strong.

Laudato Si', 87