

Cashel Union of Parishes

“Directions”

June 2025

June 2025		Service	Time	Service	Time	Service	Time	Service	Time	Service	Time
		Clonbeg		Tipperary		Dundrum		Cashel		Magorban	
1 st	Trinity Sunday	Holy Communion	10.00 am	Holy Communion	11.30 am	NO SERVICE	10.00 am	Holy Communion	11.30 am	Holy Communion	10.00 am
8 th	Pentecost	NO SERVICE		NO SERVICE	11.30 am	Holy Communion	10.00 am	Holy Communion	11.30 am	NO SERVICE	
15 th	Trinity 3	Morning Prayer	10.00 am	Morning Prayer	11.30 am	NO SERVICE	10.00 am	Holy Communion	11.30 am	Morning Prayer	10.00 am
22 nd	Trinity 4	NO SERVICE		NO SERVICE		Holy Communion	10.00 am	Morning Prayer	11.30 am	NO SERVICE	
29 th	Trinity 5	UNITED SERVICE CASHEL Cathedral 11:00am Followed by a light lunch at the Deanery at 1 pm hosted by The Dean									

June 1st	7 th Sunday of Easter	Acts 16: 16-34	97	Revel. 22: 12-14, 16-17, 20-21	John 17: 20-26
8 th	PENTECOST	Acts 2: 1-21	104: 26-36, 37a	Romans 8: 14-17	John 14: 8-17
15 th	TRINITY SUNDAY	Proverbs 8: 1-4, 22-31	8	Romans 5: 1-5	John 16: 12-15
22 nd	Trinity 1	Isaiah 65: 1 - 9	22: 19-28	Galatians 3: 23-29	Luke 8: 26-39
29 th	Trinity 2	2 Kings 2: 1-2, 6-14	17: 11-20	Galatians 5: 1, 13-25	Luke 9: 51-62



A back to basics Bible study will commence on Wednesday 4th June at 8 pm in the chapter house Cashel Cathedral on each Wednesday for four weeks.

We will be looking at various topics to include, what is the Bible? Why are there so many translations of the Bible? What are the books of the Bible? What happens in Genesis? What is the difference between the Old and New Testaments? Everyone Welcome



The Cashel Union send their deepest condolences to the family, relatives, friends of Bernard Prendergast following his passing on April 11th. We are keeping his family and the Clonmel parishioners in our thoughts and prayers at this sad time. His funeral was held in Old St Mary's in Clonmel with Dean

James Mulhall of Cashel, Canon Barbara Fryday, Diocesan Reader Janet Morgan were in attendance on Maundy Thursday. The church was beautifully decorated by his fellow parishioners, and the service was a fitting tribute to Bernard's love and faithfulness and to a life well-lived.

“Miss me but let me go”

SUMMER OPENING OF ST MARY'S IN TIPPERARY. Rev. Mike O'Meara will be opening St Mary's church in Tipperary town in June, July and August for anyone who would like to call in for a chat or to hear the history of the church and graveyard. The opening days will be Wednesday, Thursday and Friday each week from 2pm - 4.30pm. All are welcome to call in and see the various displays of history around the church.

PRAYERS FOR HEALING AND COMFORT We remember in our thoughts and prayers all those who are ill, those who are in hospital and those who are undergoing treatment or waiting for treatment to commence.



"Heavenly Father, our ever-present help in trouble, our fortress and our God: calm the anxious fears of all who turn to you. Give strength and healing to those who need it and may they be comforted by your love and grace in the days ahead"

EASTER VESTRY

Following the Easter Vestry on Wednesday 7th May the following were elected to serve for the coming year 2025-2026

Cashel: Rector's Warden:- John Thompson. People's Warden:- Eddie Hobson.

Clonbeg: Rector's Warden:-Dino Wilkinson. People's Warden:- Bob Wilkinson.

Ballintemple (Dundrum): Rector's Warden:- Norman Johnson. People's Warden:- John Fryday.

Magorban:- Rector's Warden:-Jackie Murray. People's Warden:- Louis Grubb.

Tipperary:- Rector's Warden:-Olive Seabrook. People's Warden:- Alan Seabrook.

Glebe Wardens:- Rector's :- Louis Clifton Brown. People's:- Michael Moore.

Elected Members:- Henry Brennan, Richard Craik White, Howard Fryday, Jane Grubb, Linda Harris, Dorothy Langley, Maria Marron, Christine Martindale, Stuart Maxwell, Jill O'Connor, Rev. Mike O'Meara, Jean Hobson, Petronelle Clifton Brown, Betty Rea, Marion Thompson.

Following the Easter Vestry meeting, the first meeting of the new Vestry was held to elect the Union Secretary and Union Treasurer.

Union Secretary:- Alyssa Parkinson

Union Treasurer:- Peter Clifton Brown.

Thank you to all those who have served on the Select Vestry, as a Synod person and/or Parochial Nominator faithfully and diligently in the past and to all those parishioners who agreed to serve for the coming year.

EXAM WISHES The Cashel Union send every good wish to all students taking exams in the coming days and to the teachers and mentors who have worked hard to prepare the students for their exams. May God's grace and strength be with all at this important time in their lives.

SUMMER HOLIDAYS As the summer holidays approach may we wish all the students and teachers a well-deserved rest and an enjoyable and safe holiday time. This is the time to recharge the batteries for the school term in September.

JUST A THOUGHT PENTECOST Power can be used in at least two ways: it can be unleashed, or it can be harnessed. The energy in ten gallons of petrol, for instance, can be released explosively by dropping a lighted match into the can. Or it can be channeled through the engine of a car in a controlled burn and used to transport a person 350 miles. Explosions are spectacular, but controlled burns have lasting effect, staying power. The Holy Spirit works both ways. At Pentecost, he exploded on the scene; His presence was like "tongues of fire" (Acts 2:3). Thousands were affected by one burst of God's power. But He also works through the church--the institution God began to tap the Holy Spirit's power for the long haul. Through worship, fellowship, and service, Christians are provided with staying power.

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Date for receipt for inclusion of news in the July & August edition of Directions Wednesday 20th June 2025 please send to Rev Mike by email mikeomeara48@yahoo.ie



The Cashel Union of Parishes Mothers Union will be hosting a coffee morning in the Chapter House at Cashel Cathedral from 10:00am till 12.30pm on the following dates:

- Wednesday 18th June,
- Wednesday 16th July and
- Wednesday 20th August

Please feel free to call in for a coffee cake and a chat

All are welcome.

There will be a donation bucket if anyone would like to contribute towards Literacy in Africa.

