

Season of Creation 2025: "Peace with Creation"
1 September - 4 October

This year, we are invited once again to enter into the **Season of Creation**, a special time in the Church calendar when Christians around the world come together to reflect, pray, and act for the care of our common home. The theme for 2025 is: "**Peace with Creation**," inspired by the beautiful promise found in **Isaiah 32:14-18**:

"My people will abide in a peaceful habitation, in secure dwellings, and in quiet resting places."

In a world facing the turmoil of war, environmental degradation, and a climate crisis that affects the most vulnerable among us, this theme is a timely and urgent call. **What does it mean to live in peace with creation?** And how, as people of faith, can we become instruments of that peace - in our homes, our communities, and the wider world?

A Season of Prayer, Reflection, and Action. These weeks offer us a chance to:

Pray for a renewed relationship with God's creation

Reflect on how we live and consume

Act in small and meaningful ways to protect the earth, our common home

How Can Our Parish Get Involved?

This year, we encourage every parishioner to take part in the Season of Creation. Here are some ways to begin:

Plant a tree or start a pollinator-friendly garden space

Organise a litter pick-up or eco-walk as a community

Reflect on your lifestyle - Could you reduce waste, use less energy, or support local eco-initiatives?

Share your ideas for making our parish more environmentally aware and sustainable

Resources to guide prayer, liturgy, and action are being provided by the **Laudato Si' Working Group** of the Irish Bishops' Conference in collaboration with **Trócaire**. You'll also find global resources and ideas at: <https://www.trocaire.org>

LINKED- A Diocesan Event for Young Adults 18-35, Sat 13th September 4.30 -9.30pm.

Join many other students and young adults from the Diocese for dinner, social time, key-note talk by Tony Foy of NET ministries, commissioning of all YA groups by Bishop Leahy and Adoration.

€10 incl. Dinner Register using the QR code:



Blessed Carlo Acutis & Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati will be canonized today **Sept. 7** by Pope Leo- the first such ceremony of his tenure and the first Catholic saints of the millennial generation - elevating them both to the same level as Mother Teresa and Francis of Assisi.

Diocesan Needs collection will be taken up at all Masses this weekend. Priests of the Parish

Canon Gerard Garrett
Canon John Daly
Fr Peter Claver Emeka Eze
Fr Daniel Tomasik

Mass Times

Mon-Fri 10am, 5.45pm
Sat 10am & 6pm Vigil
Sun 8am, 10.30am, 12 noon

Holy Days

Vigil Weekdays 5.45pm
Weekdays 10am, 5.45pm

Confessions

Saturday 10.30am

Baptisms

Saturday 4.30pm

Recently Baptised

We welcome into the Christian Community through the Sacrament of Baptism:
Mabogodge Perona
Emily Ahern
Sean Sarsfield Leo

Recently Deceased

We remember in our prayers today
John Morey RIP

Split the Pot

Congratulations to
Nicola O'Regan
winner of last w/kends draw.

Cathedral Shop

Open Mon-Sat 10.30am-1pm.
The shop stocks a range of
Cards for all occasions,
And "I Lit a Candle for You"
Cards, candles, other items.

Eucharistic Adoration
Friday's 4pm-5.30pm in the
Adoration chapel



September marks the Green Ribbon month, a nationwide campaign dedicated to challenging the stigma surrounding mental health. Led by Shine, this initiative invites individuals, workplaces and communities across Ireland to wear the green ribbon, a symbol of solidarity and support.



A.B.C. for Mental Health Green Ribbon Month 2025

The Hunt Museum

3rd September @ 1-2pm

"Feel the Fear" talk with Gerry Kenny

6th September @ 11am-12.30

"The Power of Essential Oils" Workshop with Noelle Liston

10th September @ 1-2pm

"Beyond Bubble Baths: Real Selfcare for Your Mind" talk with Natalia Cuesta

13th September @ 11am-12.30

"Bee Creative - Rock it" Workshop with Leah McNamara

17th September @ 1-2pm

"Making Friends with your Brain" Workshop with Amanda Clifford & Ann McDwyer

23rd September @ 11am-12.30

"Coping Skills & Wellness 'Toolbox'" Workshop with Shine & Amanda Clifford

24th September @ 1-2pm

"Shared Calm - A Group Healing Experience" with Edwina Nash

Arthur's Quay Park - 10th September @ 7-8.30pm

World Suicide Prevention Day Candlelit Vigil

Treaty City Brewery - 19th September - 5th October

Green Ribbon Art Exhibition @ 10am-11.30pm

Opening Night @ 7-11.30pm

Gambling Support Service

A free, confidential service is available for individuals and families affected by gambling, offering one-to-one guidance, counselling, and practical support. Run by Dylan Johnston at Southill Family Resource Centre (Limerick & Nenagh) and also available via Teams.

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The Knights of Saint Columbanus Limerick council will host their annual men's retreat on Sat, September 20th, 2025, from 10 am to 5 pm. The theme of the retreat is: "Jesus, I trust in you - The starting point for spiritual growth". The retreat is being facilitated by Fr. Joseph Hayes, SJ, the venue is the diocesan centre, St Munchins College, Corbally, Limerick. Lunch will be provided, and the donation for the day is €20. Further information can be had by calling Declan at 087 618 7586 or Gerry at 087 410