Offertory Collections 13th Jan

Ahiohill € 376 Castletown €466 Enniskeane €1404

Recently deceased

Sympathy is extended to the family of the late Mary Murphy, Teenagh who was buried recently.

BEDA AGM

will be held on Tues Jan 22nd at 9pm in the BEDA hall. The AGM is open to any member of the public that would like to attend.

Active Retirement

Meeting in the BEDA Hall on Tues 22nd Jan. 2.30 - 4.30pm. All welcome

Get fit for summer

Aerobics beginning on Tues Jan 22nd in Ahiohill Parish Hall at 8pm.

Blood Pressure Clinic

at Dunmanway Primary Care Health Centre Tues 22nd Jan 3.30-4.30pm. All welcome to attend this free, confidential service being offered by your local PHN and HSE.

Art Classes

resume on Wed 23rd in Gort Mhuire at 7.30pm. Call Deirdre 086 3395108.

Diarmuid O'Mathuna GAA

Medal Presentation to the Junior football players will take place Sat 26th Jan at 8pm in the Community Hall. Noel O'Leary of the Cork Senior Football Panel will attend. All are very welcome.

Seandun Macra na Feirme

National Final of the Capers Variety Competition will be held at Eire Óg Community Centre, Ovens on 2nd Feb.

Community Notices

Kilcolman School Centenary

A closing date of **Thurs 31st Jan** has been called on receiving data/question-naires/photographs for inclusion in the book on the 100 year history of Kilcolman national school and surrounding areas. All school memories of past pupils would be much appreciated and we look forward to seeing you at the book launch in May. 2johncoffey@gmail.com, by posting to: Kate Crowley, Cappa, Enniskeane or dropping them into the school. Questionnaires available at Desertserges P.O, Ross Oil, The Welcome Inn and at the school.

St. Brogans College, Bandon

Enrolment for Adult Education Night Classes will take place on Mon 21st Jan 7-8pm. Further info 087-2309653

St Oliver Plunketts GAA

Annual Dinner Dance on Fri 25th Jan at Fernhill House Hotel at 8pm sharp.

Ahakeera Dramatic Society

are presenting a three act comedy play "All the King's Horses" in Castletown Community Centre on Fri 25th Jan at 8pm. Proceeds to Castletown Community Hall Refurbishment Fund. Your support would be greatly appreciated

Ballymoney Flower Club

Meeting on Feb 4th at 8.30pm in Ballymoney Hall. Speaker Ann's Flowers, Bandon. Teas and raffle. All welcome.

Lotus Blossom Wellness

Gort Mhuire Centre on Thurs evenings. Appointments - 086 7945629

"Learn from yesterday, live for today, hope for tomorrow"

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Free Parish Bulletin

20th January 2013

Come to me: A Lenten resource for the Year of Faith.

Come to Me is a set of materials for four sessions which can be used in the parish or pastoral area as a basis for faith development during Lent. Each is standalone so people can undertake just one session or use all four. Each comprises a scripture passage, discussion, elements of Church teaching, prayer and tea. The user-friendly resource contains the outlines of the evenings, texts and handouts and leaders notes. There will be two meetings (the same night twice) to introduce this resource on Jan 24th and 31st. This will be an opportunity to experience some of the content and to discuss how to use the resource locally. Jan 24th 8.00pm The Crypt, Dennehy's Cross. January 31st 8.00pm Myross Wood 087-228-2134 abfrancis@eircom.net

Local Volunteering opportunity.

Are you considering doing some volunteer work this year? Why not apply to volunteer with Ballineen Foróige, where your work can contribute locally. Ballineen Foróige has been in existence for the last two years and has been a very successful club. However this year has seen their volunteer leaders drop to only four. Leaders must be at least 18 years of age to apply. Don't hesitate to visit the B.E.D.A Centre on a Friday night at 8pm to find out more call or text 087 2474273. foroige2011@gmail.com.

Spring Stations

Parishioners who have indicated that they will host a Station Mass in their home this Springtime - or who would like to host the Station for their area -- are asked to make contact with Fr. Tom Hayes as soon as possible so that a date can be arranged.

The first Station is scheduled for Fri Feb 1st for Knocks at the home of P.J. and Mary McCarthy at 12n. Stations may be booked for dates in Feb, March or April.

Do This in Memory

Children preparing for their First Holy Communion and First Confession, along with their families, will have extra involvement in the 12n Mass next weekend at Enniskeane.

First Communion dates

I gave an incorrect date for the First Holy Communion Mass at Castletown Kenneigh in last weekend's bulletin. The correct date is Saturday May 4th. Sorry for the confusion (TH).

Alpha Course

Starting Mon 21st Jan, 8pm, in Gort Mhuire Centre:

- watch a video, and discuss it;
- a basic course on Christianity, where folk can ask any questions they like
- leaflets at the back of the church with more details.

Fr. Tom Hayes PP, Parochial House, Enniskeane. 023-8847769 / 087-9311472 *Email* parishpriest@enniskeaneparish.ie (Off-duty Wednesdays)

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