

Offertory Collection - 9th June

Ahiohill €347 Castletown €464

Enniskeane € 1330

Recently Deceased

Kindly remember in prayer the soul of Paddy O'Neill, Derrimilleen, who died during the week. May he rest in peace.

Thanksgiving Youth Mass

Youth mass will be celebrated on Sat June 22nd in Enniskeane Church at 7.30pm. Youth Choir will sing at this mass.

St Josephs Young Priests Society

Annual pilgrimage to Knock Shrine will be held on Sat 22nd June. To book a seat, contact O'Connor Coaches on 023 8849596 or 087 6167835

End of year Mass will be celebrated in Gort Mhuire on Tues 25th June at 8pm. All welcome to attend.

Kilcolman N.S. Centenary Book

"History of 100 Years of Kilcolman N.S. in Memoires & Photographs 1913 – 2013" is now for sale in Hickeys Newsagents, The Welcome Inn, Desert P.O., Ross Oil, Ballineen & Enniskeane Post offices, Bandon Bookshops and the school itself and is extremely good value at €10. Thank you to everyone who attended the launch by Bro Kevin Crowley. We hope you will enjoy the book.

Keelnameela Ladies Football

Quiz Fundraiser on Fri 21 June at the Four Winds, Ahiohill at 9pm. Tables €20

Tidy Towns

Judging is ongoing so we would like everybody's continued help to keep the villages litter free.

Today's Thought

"The best way to cheer yourself up is to try to cheer up somebody else"

Community Notices

Aid Cancer Treatment

An Open Garden, Coffee Day and Vintage Display in aid of Cancer Treatment at C.U.H takes place at Frank and Valerie Jennings' Cashel Beg, Enniskeane on the main Bandon-Clonakilty road on Sun 16th June from 10am to 8p.m. This is a special fundraiser as this is the 10th annual fundraising event.

Coppeen Rally

Sun 30th June at 3pm. Sponsored 20 mile cycle/6mile walk in aid of Enable Ireland. Cards available from committee members or local shops. Draw for bikes & vouchers. Castletown fundraising committee meeting at 9.30pm on Mon 17th June

CoAction/Family Bingo

CoAction, Clonakilty Branch are hosting a family Bingo afternoon at the Community Hall, Clonakilty on Sun 23rd June at 3.00 pm. This promises to be a great fun afternoon with Cash, Spot and Fun Prizes. Come and join us for a fun afternoon and support CoAction in its fundraising drive for its new building development in Clonakilty.

Ahiohill Ladies Club

Annual outing to Ahakista, Durrus, Bantry, Skibbereen & Baltimore on Sat 29th June. Leaving Ahiohill village at 9am. Bookings to Noreen (086 3289064)

Kellogg's Cul Camp

Kellogg's Cul Camp will be held in Diarmuid O Mathunas GAA ground from July 31st, Aug 1st and 2nd. Please contact Mark on 086 1664083 for applications forms. This camp is open to primary school children aged 6-13 years.

Enniskeane and Desertserges

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Parish Bulletin

16th June 2013

Help a parish IT project

Would you like to play a meaningful role in saving an important part of Enniskeane Parish's heritage? If you have some free time during the summer and you have reasonable computer skills and access to a computer, the parish would appreciate a helping hand.

We are compiling a complete record of the names and details of all the people who are buried in our parish cemeteries (Ahiohill, Castletown Kenneigh and Enniskeane). This will be a valuable resource for people who are tracing their family history as well as making it easier for the parish to answer people's requests for historical information. The details of all the headstones in Enniskeane have already been recorded and are input into computer. The headstones in Castletown Kenneigh have recently been recorded on paper and now need to be typed into Excel files. We hope to record the Ahiohill graveyard soon, too, and that data will also need to be typed. Each grave is also being photographed.

If you would like to help with inputting the data into computer during the next few weeks, please contact Fr Tom Hayes at parishpriest@enniskeaneparish.ie

Holy Land

Trip of a lifetime to the Holy Land. Oct 25th - Nov 4th 2013. For further info or booking email Micheal deBarra at info@culturaltoursireland.com

Graveyard Masses

Mon 17th June at 7.30pm in Ahiohill Church followed by prayers at Desertserges Cemetery.

Tues 18th June at 7.30pm in Castletown Church followed by prayers in Kenneigh Cemetery.

Thurs 20th June at 7.30pm in Enniskeane Church followed by prayers in Ballymoney Cemetery.

Family & Youth Group

On behalf of the parish community, we would like to say a very sincere thank you to the young people who have participated in the Prayers of the Faithful rota. It has been decided to take a break for the summer and will recommence in September. More young people would be most welcome to join.

Today's Gospel

The woman in the story has a jar of ointment, and that seems to be all. She uses her tears to wash the feet of Jesus, and her hair to wipe them away. She gives everything she has, and throws herself totally at the mercy of Jesus, who sees the openness and humility of the gesture and responds with love.

This story also brings to mind an image which captured the public imagination earlier this year, when Pope Francis washed and kissed the feet of 12 inmates at a juvenile prison in Rome on Holy Thursday in a powerful sign of the emphasis he wished to place on service.

The Newsletter is published and printed at the Parish Office. Priority is given to content relating to the faith community of Enniskeane Parish. Other notices may be published when space permits. These may be left at the Parochial House or emailed to parishoffice@enniskeaneparish.ie before 11am Thursday.

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