

Offertory Collection - 27th Oct

Ahiohill € 264 Castletown €440
Enniskeane €1239

Recently Married

Congratulations to Maria O'Dwyer, Derry, Ballineen and John Proctor, Navan who were married recently.

"First Friday" Calls

The monthly calls to the sick and housebound will be made next week on Thursday 7th and Friday 8th.

Ahiohill Pioneers

Meeting in Ahiohill Sacristy on Mon 4th Nov at 9pm

Bantry Parish Presents

Fr. Liam Lawton in concert as part of his 'A Celtic Christmas' tour in St. Finbarr's Church, Bantry on Sun 15th Dec at 8pm Tickets €20 on sale in the Parish Office Tel. 027-56398

Pope John Paul II

Free public conference on the life and career of Pope John Paul II will be held in UCC Boole IV Lecture Theatre on Sat 9th Nov 9.30am - 5.30pm

Ceili classes

every Wednesday night in Castletown hall. Children 8-9pm and Adults 9-10:20pm. Advanced and Beginners are welcome every night.

Adult Art Classes

Contact Deirdre 086 3395108, Starts: Weds 6th Nov for 6 weeks, €65 7.15-9.15pm in Gort Mhuire. A relaxed, enjoyable creative experience for men and women. Beginners are encouraged to join as everyone is individually mentored.

Community Notices

Ahiohill Ladies Club

Meeting on Mon 4th Nov in Ahiohill Parish Hall at 8.30p.m. Guest speaker Claire Doocey Condon will give a talk on Nutrition. Teas served all welcome.

Pump Aerobics

Commences in Ahiohill Parish Hall on Tues Nov 12th at 6.30pm. This is a fun class which mixes aerobics and toning exercises to all the modern hits. For further details contact 086 3195784

CAHCS presents

'The Archaeology of Early Ecclesiastical Sites c. 400 - 1200AD' A lecture/slideshow by Bernadette McCarthy Wed. Nov. 6th, at 8.30pm in An Caipín.

And don't forget; **Annual Table Quiz** on Fri. 8th Nov. at 9pm in An Caipín. Tables of 4 - €20. All welcome with great prizes to be won.

Men's Cookery Classes

Dunmanway Family Resource Centre - Hairy Men's Shed Cookery course starting on Fri 8th Nov 10-1pm for 5 weeks. This free course is open to all men interested in learning about healthy cooking. Course will involve shopping, cooking and sharing a meal together at the men's Shed, Kilbarry Road. To book please contact the FRC on 023 8856818.

PowerStep & Tone classes

are commencing in the BEDA Hall on Wed Nov 6th at 10am, for 5 weeks. These are cardio and toning classes aimed at increasing heart & lung fitness. New courses for Pilates & Circuit Training also beginning from Nov 5th. 0877417663

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Parish Bulletin

Nov 3rd, 2013

November Novena

Mon 4th to Fri 8th Nov at 10am in Enniskeane.; Mon 4th to Thurs 7th at 7.30pm in Castletown Kenneigh and 8.30pm in Ahiohill. The weekend Masses are also part of the Novena. On Fri 8th at Enniskeane Church at 7.30pm the whole parish comes together, with the families who are bereaved this year, to remember and pray for those who have died in the past year.

Stations

Coppeen West & Moneygave West at the home of Finbarr & Sile O'Driscoll on Fri 15th Nov at 7.30pm

Mass will be celebrated in Enniskeane Church on Mon 25th Nov at 7.30pm for all areas where a Station Mass has not been held.

Pope Francis on grandparents

"But let me ask you: Do you listen to your grandparents? Grandparents are like the wisdom of the family, they are the wisdom of a people. And a people that does not listen to grandparents is one that dies! Listen to your grandparents. Like the Holy Family of Nazareth, every family is part of the history of a people; it cannot exist without the generations who have gone before it. Children learn from their grandparents, from the previous generation."

Today's Thought

"Everybody talks about the weather, but nobody does anything about it."

Faithful and faith-filled

At Mass on this Sunday at Enniskeane over 50 boys and girls will be enrolled to prepare for their First Penance and First Holy Communion. We have a similar ceremony every year. And partly because it's an annual event, we may take its importance for granted.

It is not so much about preparing for two events as it is about preparing the boys and girls for a life-long relationship with Jesus.

It is not only about learning the words of prayers but also knowing the value of prayer.

It is not so much about being at Mass as it is about being part of a worshipping community which has the Eucharist at its centre.

It is not so much about the parents bringing the children to Mass as it is also about parents renewing the commitment they gave at the child's baptism to help their child come to know Jesus and be fully a part of the family of God on earth.

For the wider community, we commit to praying with and for the children and their families that the Lord may truly bless them in the coming months and always.

Building Fund

The monthly collection will be taken up at all masses this weekend.

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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