Offertory Collection:

21st Feb €1821

Building Fund

Collection at all Masses next weekend.

Blessed Sacrament Visits

Visits to the sick and housebound will be made on Thurs 3rd & Fri 4th March at the usual times.

Recently Deceased

Kindly pray for the repose of the souls of Bridie Fehily, West End, Enniskeane, and Ned Barrett, Coppeen, Enniskeane, who died recently.

World Day of Prayer

Friday 4th March in Ballineen Methodist Church at 8pm. All welcome. Refreshments afterwards

Beginning Experience

is a specially designed Support Programme for men and women who have suffered the loss of a spouse by death, separation or divorce to work through the grief process in a safe and confidential environment. The next weekend is being held in the Ennismore Retreat Centre, Cork from Fri 8th - Sun 10th April 2016. Contact 087 9886480 or email beginningexperience@gmail.com

Trip to the Holy Land

June 8- 18th 2016 with Group leader Micheal de Barra and Spiritual Director Fr John Newman. Booking on 086 8337681 or email culturaltoursireland@gmail.com

Today's Thought

"Happiness always looks small while you hold it in your hands. But let it go and you learn at once how big and precious it is."

Community Notices

Naomh Og GAA Nursery

Continues on Sunday evenings at Ahiohill GAA Hall from 4-5pm for all boys and girls aged 4-6 years

Chiropody

Wed March 2nd in BEDA Rooms by appointment only on 087-6158153

CAHCS

presents 'How to write a book - From Youghal to Coppeen" by former Co Co Archaeologist Catryn Power. Catryn has been hugely supportive of CAHCS, please support her in return. Wed. 2nd Mar at 8.30pm, An Caipín. Everybody welcome.

Knit for fun

After a long winter, knitting will commence again on the first Thurs of every month beginning on 3rd March at 9pm in the BEDA Hall. New members welcome.

Ahiohill Ladies Club

Meeting in Ahiohill Parish Hall on Mon 7th Mar at 8.30pm. Demonstrations in makeup, nails & eyes by Deborah from La Fenice Beauty Salon.

Keelnameela Ladies Football

Table Quiz in Four Winds, Ahiohill on Fri 11th Mar at 9pm.

Enniskeane Camogie Club

invites all girls (age 6 years and upwards) to join us at our COME AND TRY MORNING on Sat 12th Mar between 11am - 12.30pm in St. Mary's GAA Grounds, Enniskeane.

Riverside Athletic FC

Annual Table Quiz on Sat 12th Mar in the Village Inn at 9.15pm sharp. €20 per team of 4. All very welcome.

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Confirmation preparation

In recent weeks, the boys and girls preparing for Confirmation have made pilgrimages to Gougane Barra to learn about the life of St. Finbarr, to celebrate the Sacrament of Penance in this special place of peace and to celebrate Mass. The children from Enniskeane school were there this past Thursday and the children from Ahiohill, Coppeen and Kilcolman were there a few weeks ago. Thanks to their teachers and other school staff and Fr Richard Hurley who have helped make these pilgrimages possible and memorable.

First Penance

The boys and girls preparing to receive the Lord in Holy Communion for the first time this year will celebrate the Sacrament of Penance for the first time on Tuesday 1st March at 7.30pm in Enniskeane Church. Family members and parishioners are most welcome, too.

Do This in Memory

The children and families preparing for First Holy Communion from across the parish will participate at Mass on Sat March 5th in Enniskeane.

Cór na nÓg Inis Céin

Plans are in place for the junior choir which was started by the last parish assembly to be restarted by the Young People working group of the present parish assembly. A similar choir has also recently commenced in Ahiohill. This new choir will sing at Mass in Enniskeane and in Castletown – alternating between the two churches.

Enrolment forms to be completed by parents will be distributed through the local schools this week. Children from First class up will be welcomed to enrol. Practise will be on Mondays at 7.15pm in Enniskeane Church commencing after Easter.

Parish Assembly

Meeting on Mon 29th Feb at 8pm in Gort Mhuire, for all members.

Stations

Tullymurrihy, Cashelmore & Cashelcommons - Ned & Nora Ann O'Flynn on Fri 4th Mar at 7.30pm Dromfeigh, Gortaleen, Buckaree -Timothy & Eily Coakley on Fri Mar 18th at 12noon Coppeen West & Moneygave West -Carmel O'Sullivan & Michael O'Callaghan on Fri Apr 1st at 7.30pm Knocks - Dan & Noreen Cullinane on Fri 8th Apr at 7.30pm Keelnameela, Breaghna & Ballyvoige at Gary & Mary Hansberry on Fri 15th Apr at 7.30pm Ballineen/Enniskeane Villages - Gort Mhuire on Mon Apr 18 at 7.30pm. Coxestown, Gurranes, Derry & Derrymilleen - Denis & Helen Crowley on Fri 29th Apr at 7.30pm

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