

Offertory Collection:

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Spring Stations

Derry, Derrymilleen, Coxestown & Gurranes - Jim & Christine O'Sullivan on Fri May 12th at 7.30pm

Paddock, Ballyvelone - Tom & Nellie Nyhan on Fri 19th May at 12noon Castletown, Garlands, Shanaclough,

Ballaghnure, Clonamara - John & Cora Hurley on Fri 26th May at 7.30pm

Knocks - Tadhg & Colette Crowley on Fri 2nd Jun at 7.30pm

Bring and Buy Sale

Ballineen Methodist Church Annual bring and buy sale is on Fri the 19th of May at 7.30pm in the B.E.D.A. hall. Admission €4 including refreshments. Everyone welcome.

A fundraising quiz

in aid of Ahakeera Community Centre will be held in Cookies Bar, Castletownkenneigh on Fri,12th May at 9.30pm. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

St. Mary's GAA Recycling Drive

St. Mary's GAA Club will hold a Recycling Collection Day late May/early June for recyclable items.

Contact 086-3225284 or 0863693818 for further details

Coffee Morning

On Fri May 12th in Permanent TSB bank premises in Bandon there is a coffee morning in aid of Bandon Community Hospital - All Welcome.

Today's Thought

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

May dates to note

Sat 13th: 11am Mass at Castletown Kinneigh Church at which children from Coppeen NS receive Holy Communion for the first time.

Sat 20th: 11am Mass at Ahiohill at which children from Ahiohill NS receive Holy Communion for the first time.

Tues 23rd: 7.30pm Mass at St. Joseph's Church, for people buried at Castletown and at Kinneigh cemeteries. Thurs 25th: Saint Padre Pio's birthday. Mass in Enniskeane Church at 7.30pm. Blessing with relics from 6.30pm and after Mass.

Information Evening

Anam Cara, the national organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Bereavement Information Evening on Tues 16th of May from 19:30 to 21:30 in the Maritime Hotel, Bantry, West Cork. Please RSVP to info@anamcara.ie or 085 2888 888 before Monday 15th May.

Cope Foundation Hungry Hill Climb on Sat 20th May. Transport provided. Contact: 087-7862295 to register and receive Sponsorship Card.

Annual collection next weekend

The collection for the Diocesan Pastoral Development fund will be taken up next weekend Sat/Sun 13th and 14th May. This annual collection funds the costs of training for Parish Assemblies and Pastoral Councils; training and resourcing parish ministries

Trócaire box

Remember to kindly return your trocaire box to any of the churches and we will send it on. Thanks.

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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CAMERAS AT THE READY

YOUNG PHOTRAGPHER OF THE YEAR 2017 competition at the BEDA HALL, Ballineen Sunday 28th May 2-7pm.

This year we will have 2 categories. PRIMARY 3rd - 6th Class Choice of theme BUILDINGS or OUR ENVIRONMENT SECONDARY 1st - 6th Year Choice of theme MOMENT IN TIME or FORGOTTEN OBJECTS

We will also be running a COLOUR-ING COMPETITION for our younger artists.

Again, Two Categories, Juniors & Seniors Class // 1st & 2nd Class

Entries must be submitted to the BEDA hall Thurs 18th/Friday 19th May from 6-7pm or Sat 20th from 2-3 pm accompanied by the signed entry form and small fee. Wonderful prizes for all.

All details on parish website (enniskeaneparish.ie).

DONATE A PRINT

Donate a print of a photo you have taken to be exhibited and sold in aid of the COPE FOUNDATION and the parish building fund.

Photos can be handed in at the BEDA Hall, Ballineen on Thurs 18th/Fri 19th May 6-7pm & Sat 20th May 2-3pm

Preferred unmounted size of 10 x 8 inches (Work can only be accepted from ages 18+)

Vocations to Priesthood

The Diocese will hold a come and see afternoon for those who are interested in knowing more about being a priest in the diocese on Sunday 7th May from 2:30-5pm at the Pastoral Development Office in Ballyphehane. Further details from - Fr Charlie 021 4537603; Fr Tom Deenihan 021 4301717; Fr Bertie O'Mahony 021 4346940; Fr Aidan O'Driscoll 023 8833165

Ahiohill Ladies Club

Bring, Buy & Walk on Mon 8th May @ 7pm. Brick n Brac stall, cake sale, books and plants. Refreshments served, Raffle. Ahiohill Parish hall will be open from 2pm - 3pm to accept items for brick n brac, books and plants.

Bake Sale

In aid of Ballineen Foroige club on Sun May 7th in Gort Mhuire at 12:30pm. All support would be greatly appreciated.

Tidy towns

The litter challenge starts on Mon 8th of May and we would like to ask everybody to try and keep your own area litter free. A big thanks to Daniel and the Foroige group for their work.

Also our annual church gate collection takes place on sat 20th and sun 21st May please support if you can.

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