



## Offertory Collection:

May 14th: €1808

Thank you.

## Spring Stations

Castletown, Garlands, Shanaclough, Ballaghmore, Clonamara - John & Cora Hurley on Fri 26th May at 7.30pm  
Knocks - Tadhg & Colette Crowley on Fri 2nd Jun at 7.30pm

## Community Alert

"Are you concerned about local crime? A Community Alert Group will be launched on Wednesday 31st May at 8pm in Gort Mhuire. Sgt Ian O Callaghan, West Cork Crime Prevention Officer will be in attendance to answer all your questions. All welcome!"

## Coffee Morning

Coffee Morning will be held at the home of Denis & Hilary O Riordan, Curraghcrowley on Sat May 27th from 12-4pm. Their daughter Emma is travelling to Zambia for the Summer as a volunteer with the Irish based Suas Development Programme. All are welcome.

## Pitch and Putt Classic

St. Mary's GAA Club will hold a Pitch & Putt Classic Fri/Sat June Bank Holiday weekend at BEDA Pitch & Putt Club. Teams of 3 Scramble Competition. Juvenile & Adult Categories. Tee Time Bookings 0863693818 & 0860548171.

## Tidy towns

Our annual church gate collection takes place on Sat 20th and Sun 21st May please support if you can.

## May dates to note:

Tues 23rd: 7.30pm Mass at St. Joseph's Church, for people buried at Castle-town and Kinneigh cemeteries.

## Padre Pio Mass

Thurs 25th May: Saint Padre Pio's birthday. Mass in Enniskeane Church at 7.30pm. Blessing with relics from 6.30pm and after Mass.

## Notice to Builders

Plans are being developed to provide suitable toilets for people using the church at Enniskeane. It is hoped to extend the boiler house to accommodate this. Builders interested in doing the work are invited to contact the engineer Gerard Moynihan at (087) 2274041 before May 22nd.

## Coffee Morning

Coffee Morning for St Michaels Center at BEDA Hall on Friday, 26th May, 2017 11.00 am to 1.00 pm. All welcome.

## National Franciscan Pilgrimage

### Holy Land

6th – 14th October 2017  
Spiritual Director: Fr. Bernard Jones O.F.M.  
Contact: Premier Travel At 021-4277700



## Recently Deceased

Sympathy is extended to the families of Mary Bridget Murphy Gort Mhuire, Ballineen and Peter Fehily Ballineen who have been buried recently.

## Today's Thought

"Always speak well of your enemies-remember, it was You made them"

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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## Knock & Lough Derg 3 Day Trip

Due to the success of last years retreats to Lough Derg they are being repeated in 2017. There are two dates available, August: 22nd-24th, September 5th- 7th.

Day 1: Visit Knock & overnight in Bundoran

Day 2: Retreat on Lough Derg & overnight in Bundoran

Day 3: Visit two attractions on return journey home.

This is an all in package including, meals, Lough Derg & Coach.

For details on bookings etc contact 023-8849196 Cormac on 087-6167835 or Denise on 087-7688561

## Young Photographer of the Year

Reminder that next Sunday 28th of May from 2-7 pm in the BEDA hall there will be an exhibition of all of the entries in the photography competition and the colouring competition. There are wonderful prizes to be given to the winners in each category.

## Parish Assembly

The 'Enriching our Faith' group of the Parish Assembly have invited Br. Martin Bennett OFM Cap to give a talk on the theme 'Franciscan Contemplative Practice : Gazing mindfully at God' in Enniskeane Parish church on Tuesday June 6th at 7:30pm. Everyone welcome, families, pre exam students.

## Mass Schedule for July/August

The priests of Bandon, Enniskeane, Murragh and Kilbrittain have met to plan a sustainable schedule for the weekends of July and August so a new weekend Mass schedule will operate.

We have noticed a fall-off in attendance during these summer months, due to holidays, etc. Also, so that each priest may have a two-week break, the priests will rotate between the parishes for weekend Masses.

This also requires that for July and August, there will not be funeral Masses celebrated on Sundays.

The July/August Masses will be as follows:

**Enniskeane:** Vigil: 7:30pm Sun: 11 am  
**Bandon:** Vigil: 6pm; Sun: 10:30am & 12 Gaggin: 9am Sunday.  
**Murragh Farnivane:** Sunday: 9:15am; Newcestown: Sunday: 10:30am  
**Kilbrittain:** Vigil: 8pm, Sun 10:30am

## CMCC Pre- Marriage Courses

If you are engaged and planning your wedding, why not book your pre-marriage course at CMCC? Our courses book in advance so early booking is essential. Contact us on 021 4272277.

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**Fr. Tom Hayes PP**, Parochial House, Enniskeane. 023-8847769 / 087-9311472

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(Off-duty Wednesdays)

**Parish Office:** Tuesday 9.30am – 1pm; 2pm – 5.30pm. Wed & Thurs 9.30am – 11.30am.

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