

# **Offertory Collection:**

Dec 3rd: €1898 & Building fund: €2986.Thank

You

#### **Ahiohill Ladies Club**

Tuesday 12th December @ 8pm sharp. Venue Ahiohill Parish hall.

Guest speaker Sheila Gilbert from Clonakilty flower club will give a

"Christmas floral demonstration".

Festive refreshments served and raffle. Admission €10.

#### Calendar

Ballineen & Enniskeane Art Group Calendar 2018 on sale in local businesses €5, proceeds towards: West Cork Rapid Response Air Ambulance & Cancer Connect

# Cór na nÓg Children's choir

As a special celebration of the birth of Jesus, there will be a Carol Service by Cór na nÓg in Enniskeane Church on Monday December 18th at 7.30pm. All are welcome to celebrate with us in what is sure to be a memorable occasion.

#### Concert

Children's Christmas Concert in aid of SVP on Sun Dec 17th at 4 pm in Gort Mhuire. Students of The Premier School Of Music will perform solo and class selections . Please support our budding musicians and a very worthy cause. Raffle Teas.

## **Ballinascarthy Camogie Club**

Indoor fun and fitness training in Ballinascarthy hall on Tuesday nights 6.30-7.30pm for all girls U8, U10 and U12, run by the camogie club, starting December 12th and 19th and then every Tues during January and February, all welcome.



# **Recent Baptism**

We welcome to our parish community Tadgh O'Callaghan, Munigave West

## **Christmas Coffee Morning**

at BEDA Hall on Friday, 22nd December at 11.00 am. Lovely morning of Christmas Music & Christmas Fare. Join us to celebrate the Christmas Cheer!

#### **Castletown Ladies Club**

presents a Christmas Festivities night, with; Orla Twomey (Bandon Coop Garden Centre) Mary Mullins (Make-up demo) & Siobhan O'Sullivan (Christmas Cake Icing) on Tues, 12th Dec at 8:15. Mulled wine & Mince Pies served. Everybody welcome.

## Meals on Wheels

Reminder to please book if you would like to partake of a great Traditional Christmas Dinner, music and gifts, at the Meals On Wheels Centre. You can book your seat at the table by ringing Morrin or Louise on 0238868110 or 0872078016

# **Thank you Party**

To say thank you to everyone who has contributed to our services (Dunmanway Family Resource Centre, Meals on Wheels, Community Garden) we are going to have a Big Christmas Bash. In the Community Garden Marquee on Fri 15th Dec from 7.30pm till late. We'll have the heaters on so we'll be

on Fri 15th Dec from 7.30pm till late. We'll have the heaters on so we'll be toasty warm and we've organised a DJ, choir, mulled juice, mince pies and home —baking, Kris Kringle (just bring a gift for under €5 to swap) and best Christmas Jumper/outfit competition on the night. For all of you who have given your time, resources, donations and good-will we welcome you all

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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#### **December Confession**

Our pre-Christmas Penitential Rites are as follows:-

Tues Dec 19th, 7.30pm at Enniskeane Wed Dec 20th, 8.00pm at Newcestown Thurs Dec 21st, 7.30pm in Bandon.

#### **Individual Confessions:**

Sat Dec 23rd, 10am to 1pm in Bandon &

12noon to 1pm in Enniskeane- on Sat Dec. 23rd.

## The Community Carol Service

The Community Carol Service will be held on Wed the 20th of Dec at 7.30pm in the B.E.D.A. Hall. Children, please bring a Christmas Present for St.Vincent de Paul and the offering will be split between St.Vincent de Paul and Medecins Sans Frontieres. Local choirs will be taking part. Refreshments will be served. Everyone welcome!



## **Recently Deceased**

Sympathy is extended to the families of

Hannah-Maria (Ria) O'Donovan Maulbrack House, Enniskeane

# **Today's Thought**

"A slip of the foot may soon recover, but a slip of the tongue you may never get over"

## **Emergency liturgy**

The priests of the parishes of Bandon, Enniskeane, Newcestown and Kilbrittain have invited a number of people to step in, in the event of a priest becoming ill or being unavailable at short notice for weekend Masses.

This group of people, which includes people from our parish, has been trained:

- to inform the congregation gathered where the next available Mass will be celebrated.
- to lead the congregation present with prayers, the Liturgy of the Word and the reception of Holy Communion.

All other Ministers would excercise their own ministry as they do during Mass.

This is for unforeseen absences only.

### **Gort Mhuire**

Mass will be celebrated in Gort Mhuire on Thurs 14th of Dec at 10am

## **Parish Assembly**

Parish Assembly meeting 8:15pm next Monday 11th December.

# **Christmas Party**

Christmas party & social dance in-Castletown Hall next Wed 13th Dec. Live Music and Dancing 7.30 to 9.00. All welcome.

# **Christmas Mass Bouquets**

There are Christmas Mass Bouquet Cards available in the parish office.

**Fr. Tom Hayes PP**, Parochial House, Enniskeane. 023-8847769 / 087-9311472 *Email* parishpriest@enniskeaneparish.ie (Off-duty Wednesdays)

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