

Offertory Collection: May 20th: €1656. Thank you.

Thank You from the Pastoral Development Office

Fr Charlie Kiely wishes to acknowledge your generosity to the annual collection taken up last weekend and looks forward to meeting many of you over the coming year at our various events in the diocese.

Bantry Parish and Friends

Pilgrimage to Lourdes from 22nd-27th Sept 2018. Spiritual Director Canon Martin O'Driscoll. For further details contact John Minehane on (087) 8347318 or email: john.minehane@gmail.com

Castletown Ladies Club

Annual outing, Mon 4th June, to Tralee. Leaving Castletown at 10:30am. Enquiries to Nuala at 023 8847575 Vintage Car & Tractor Run

On Sun 27th May from Cox's Hall, Sackville Street, Dunmanway

Leaving at 12.00 Noon. Register from 11am. There will be Raffles, Refreshments & Exhibits of small/model farm machinery. Proceeds in aid of West Cork Rapid Response and Cancer Connect & St.Mary's Church, Dunmanway Ahiohill Pioneers

Ahiohill PTAA invite applicatons from people recently confirmed to become young pioneers (pins cost €8). Please contact before May 31st.

Also, pins are available for long term members. 10 yr €16, 25 yr €41, 50 yr gilted €43 and 9ct €200. Also Fr Cullen ring €46. Contact JJ (086) 8511982, Kevin (086) 8787739 or Dan (087) 2131229.

Data and privacy

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New Parish Assembly

The introductory meeting for members of the new parish assembly was held on Mon. There were almost 50 people present and there were apologies from a further eight people. Many thanks to all who attended, to Sr Karen who lead the meeting and to Anne Marie, Nora, Aileen and Mary who provided the tea. It was decided to do a formation half-day on Sat Sept 8th at which the assemblies priorities and groups will be decided. After this an evening meeting will be held to sort chairpersons, secretaries, etc and then the assembly will meet on a monthly basis from then on. Many thanks to all who have accepted their nominations. We pray that the new assembly will be guided by the Lord to steer our parish for the next three years of its development.

Fundraising 6km Walk

In aid of West Cork Rapid Response & Coppeen Community Council on Sat 2nd June at 6pm. Registration at 5.30pm. Followed by BBQ & music.

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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Parish Bulletin

May 27th 2018

Pastoral Area Masses

As in last summer, the priests of the neighbouring parishes in our area (Bandon, Enniskeane, Kilbrittain and Murragh) have drawn up a schedule of Masses which will both allow for a summer break for each priest and ensure that each parish has Masses at the weekends and for the holy day in August. This involves a slightly reduced number of Masses in the parishes and also involves the priests circulating between the churches to offer Mass. The rota will partially apply from June 23rd and will fully apply from Sat July 7th.

The summer schedule begins for our parish on Sat July 7th. We will have two Masses from then: Sat 7.30pm at Enniskeane and Sunday 11am at Enniskeane. The normal weekend schedule will resume on Sept 1st.

Sacred Heart Novena

The Sacred Heart Novena will take place in Myross Wood from May 31st to June 8th, with two celebrations of Mass daily, at 10.00 am and 8.00 pm, and with a special Children's liturgy at 4.00 pm on Family Day, Wed 6th June. All are welcome.

Pitch and Putt

St. Mary's GAA Club will hold a Pitch & Putt Classic Fri 1st/Sat 2nd June Bank Holidav weekend at BEDA Pitch & Putt Club. Teams of 3 Scramble Competition. Juvenile & Adult Categories. Tee Time Bookings 0863693818 & 0860548171.

Spring Station Masses:

• Fri June 1st at 7:30pm at John and Margaret Walsh for Ahiohill, Keel. Maulnarouga, Drombofinny To book a date for a Station Mass, contact the Parish Office or Fr Hayes

Church Station Mass

The Station Mass for people living in areas where there hasn't been a homebased Station Mass will be offered in Enniskeane Church on Mondav May 28th at 7.30pm. Many thanks to all who have hosted and attended Station Masses and to all who have handed in their Spring Station offering for the support of the clergy.

Corpus Christi

The annual Corpus Christi procession takes place after 12pm mass on Sunday June 3rd from Enniskeane Church to Gort Mhuire. We look forward to seeing all members of our community participating in this special event. We extend a special welcome to any newly baptised babies and their families to join us. We will have refreshments and an Ice-cream tent with donations in aid of Down Syndrome Ireland. Baking can be dropped off to Gort Mhuire before mass.

Papal Mass

There are still spaces available on the coach travelling to the Papal Mass. If you are interested please leave your name and a deposit of 10 euro at the Parish office as soon as possible please.

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