

Offertory Collection:

Sept 2nd: €1825. Building Fund: €2662 Thanks.

Ballineen Post Office

The Post Office will close on Fri 14th of Sept 2018 after trading since 1974 when the late Florrie O'Driscoll RIP took over from Nora, Jerry & Lilv next door. The O'Driscoll family wish to sincerely thank all their loyal customers. Many great memories and friendships have been made throughout the years. To celebrate this, we invite you all for refreshments in the Post Office whenever possible on the 14th - Closing Officially at 5:30pm. Rath Dé Oraibh go Léir.

Dance Classes

Bryan commencing on Mon Sept 17th in Ahiohill Parish Hall at 8.30pm. All welcome.

Hatha Yoga

Hatha Yoga is a slow moving class where you focus on your breathing. The benefits include a calmer mind, a stronger and more flexible body and a greater sense of peace in your life. Classes are starting in Ballymoney Hall at 7pm beginning Tues 25th Sept and Gort Mhuire at 10am beginning Wed 26th Sept. A 6 week course costs 60 eur.

Gort Mhuire

Morning mass next thurs Sept 13th will be held in Gort Mhuire.

Gaeilge agus Spraoi!

Bilingual parent, baby and toddler group is starting back on the 14th of Sept (age 0-5). All are welcome, every Fri in termtime, 10-12 in Ballymoney Hall. Please bring a healthy snack and $\in 3$ per family. Síle - 0876503600

Riverside Athletic Soccer

Underage soccer restarts on Saturday 15th Sept. In BEDA courts from 9:30 to 10:30. Open to boys and girls from 1st to 4th class. All newcomers welcome. Ahiohill ladies club

Ladies we are starting the season with a meal in Dunmore House Hotel on Monday 10th Sept at 7pm . Please contact 087-6741143 for more information. Enniskeane Church cleanup

Many people will be aware that several decades ago the exterior of Enniskeane Church was cleaned to restore the sandstone to its original appearance. This was done by sand-blasting. This is no longer recommended. A new cleaning method which is eco-friendly and non-corrosive of Jiving & Social Dance classes with Mark the stonework is now available in Ireland. It will be used to clean our parish church on Mon 17th - Tues 18th of Sept (weather and machine hire permitting). The effect of the cleaning will not be evident for a few months until the algae, lichens and other dirt slowly falls away. While the work is being done, there will not be vehicular access to the church grounds.

Bengour Harvest Festival

To raise funds for Marymount, CUH and the Cork Cancer Research Centre. Sun 16th of Sept at 2pm.

Vintage Run

Caheragh are holding a Modern, Classic & Vintage Run Sun 9th Sept at the Travellers Rest in aid of The Aisling Tanner Fund. Reg. at 11am. Run starting at 12.45.

Indoor Bowls

The new season of indoor bowls takes place in the Community Hall Ballineen every Wednesday night at 8.30. It is a great form of exercise and very enjoyable. New members are always very welcome.

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

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New Numbers

Many thanks to all the parishioners who use the weekly numbered envelopes for the church collections. It's about ten vears since they were introduced. In that time, some numbers have gone out of use due to people moving and people dying. Hence, we have a lot of numbered sets of envelopes that have become redundant. The new sets for the next year come into use in October. They will be distributed with the help of the parish assembly, finance committee and others.

To avoid waste we are changing everyone's number so that we need to order less of them. So when your new set arrives, it will have a new number for you.

It is also a good time for anyone who has not been receiving a set of envelopes to request one now. Please contact the parish office and a number and envelopes will be assigned to you confidentially.

What envelopes do

-- Many of the people who use the envelopes and have someone in the home who pays income tax allow the parish to reclaim some of the tax from the government. This has been really helpful in the parish in the past few years as we needed funds for building works. The form for this is available on the parish website. It works. It's simple. It's confidential. It's free.

-- Parishioners who go to Mass in another parish but use our envelope in the collections there are still helping our parish because those envelopes are returned to us

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regularly from Bandon, Newcestown, Dunmanway, Clonakilty, Kilmichael, Timoleague, Rossmore - and one or two from further afield.

Similarly, people who come to Mass in our parish and use an envelope from another parish contribute to their own parish as we return their envelopes regularly.

Autumn Station Masses:

- Station for Droumfeigh, Gortaleen, Buckaree postponed for the moment.
- Fri 21st of Sept at 7:30 Michael John O'Driscoll for Coppeen East, Moneygave West.
- Thurs 27th of Sept at 7:30 Michael and Noreen O'Donovan for Coxestown. Gurranes, Derry, Derrymilleen.
- Fri 19th of Oct at 12:00 John Collins for Paddock, Ballyvelone East & West
- Fri 19th of Oct at 7:30 Denis Nyhan for Shanaway, Phale.
- Fri 16th of Nov at Henry and Caroline Donegan at 7:30 for Keelnameela, Breaghna, Ballyvoige. To book a date for a Station Mass, con-

tact the Parish Office or Fr Haves

Recently Deceased

Sympathy is extended to the families of Seán O'Sullivan Ballineen PJ McCarthy Ballineen Bessie Collins Carhuvouler Tim O'Leary Droumfeigh who died during the summer months while the newsletter was inactive.