



Offertory Collection

Jan 19th: €1890 and Diocesan needs: €1365 Thank You.

Medjugorje Irish Centre Pilgrimages

April - Oct 2020: 7 Night Stay and Airport Shuttle service from Dubrovnik or Split for €266 per person sharing. Book any flight - any time and we provide guaranteed airport shuttle service. Call us for further info and book the dates that suit you. Tel. 01 4434510 or email reservations@med-irishcentre.com.

Castletown Fundraising Group

There will be a meeting of Castletown Fundraising Group on Monday January 27th. It will take place at 8.00pm.

Bingo

St Mary's N.S is holding a fundraising Bingo on Sat Jan 25th at 8:30pm in the BEDA hall. There will be a raffle and refreshments. All welcome!

Ahakeera Drama Group

The play "The Real McCoy" will be on Sunday Afternoon 26th January at 3pm and Friday night 31st January at 8pm in Ahakeera Community Centre. All welcome.

Thought for the day

"Accept what is, let go of what was and have faith in what will be."

Bingo

In the BEDA. Hall on Fri 31st of Jan at 10.30-1.00. All members of the community welcome. Tea & scones in a warm and friendly environment. For more information contact St. Michael's Centre 023-8841681 Colette

Diarmuid O Mathuna GAA

- There will be a Puc Fada Sun 26th Jan 2.00 pm from Kenneigh to Castletown. Teams of 3.
- A Variety Concert Sun 2nd Feb in Castletown hall at 3.00 pm featuring All Ireland Story-telling Champion Sonny Egan

Ahiohill Ladies Club

Our first event for 2020 is a meal in Fernhill House Hotel on Fri 31st Jan at 7.30pm. Please contact 0876741143 or one of the committee

Active Retirement

On Tues 28th Of Jan at 2:30pm in the BEDA hall. Martin Morrissey from Midleton will give a talk on Mobility and Pain Management. All welcome.

EWTN to broadcast Knock Mass from Rome

A special Knock Mass will be celebrated by Pope Francis, in St. Peter's Basilica, Rome this Sun 26th Jan 2020 at 9am (Irish time). It will be broadcast "live" on SKY 588 or Virgin Media 815. Note: It will also be "live-streamed" on the EWTN Ireland Facebook page.

ENNISKEANE AND DESERTSERGES

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Churches at Ahiohill, Castletown Kenneigh and Enniskeane

26th January 2020

New Appointments

Bishop Fintan Gavin has appointed Fr. Cian O'Sullivan CC Ballincollig as the new Director of Vocations in the Diocese of Cork and Ross.

Fr. Cian will work with an inter-disciplinary team in this role. Bishop Fintan has expressed the hope that this appointment will bring new focus, energy and life to a vital area of diocesan life. In addition to this Fr. Kamil Bachara who has been curate in Clonakilty, has been asked by Bishop Fintan Gavin to become curate in Ballincollig and also to co-ordinate services to the Polish community in the Diocese of Cork and Ross. We wish Fr Kamil and Fr Cian well in their new appointments.

The Week Ahead..

Sat Feb 1st is the Feast of St. Brigid of Kildare, one our national patrons. Sun Feb 2nd is the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord. When the Child Jesus was brought to the Temple by his parents, the holy man Simeon described Jesus as the "light of the nations". Hence, this is the day when candles are blessed in church at Mass for use in our homes throughout the year. This is why it is sometimes also referred to as Candlemas Day. Mon Feb 3rd is the Feast of St. Blaise, associated with the blessing and healing of throats, where the newly blessed candles will be used to bless throats after morning mass.

Station Mass Booking

- Fri 24th Jan at 7:30 Hannah Lordan for Paddock, Ballyvelone East & West.
- Thurs 30th Jan at 7:30 Anthony Crowley for Shanaway Phale

If you are thinking about hosting the station mass for your area or if you have already volunteered to host it please contact the parish office or Fr Tom Hayes to book your preferred date. Thank You to those who have already been in contact.

Totus Tuus Pilgrimage to Fatima.

Sept 5th to 12th. Flights from Cork. Day trips to Balasar, Valinhos/Aljustrel, Eucharistic Miracle of Santarem, and St Anthony's birth place in Lisbon. Limited places. Spiritual Director: Fr Marius O'Reilly. Price €699 if booked before Feb 10th. Call Damien on 087 204 9048

School Transport - Public Meeting

Tues 28th of Jan at 8pm in the BEDA hall. For all parents (new and existing) who will be applying for bus tickets to Bandon/Dunmanway from Ballineen/Enniskeane/Coppeen area for next September. Any enquiries please contact Nora Bradfield (086)8773888 or Majella Coughlan (087)8173661

FR. TOM HAYES PP, Parochial House, Enniskeane. 023-8847769 / 087-9311472 (Calls only)

Email parishpriest@enniskeaneparish.ie (Off-duty Wed)

PARISH OFFICE: Tues 9.30am – 1pm, 2pm - 5:30pm; Thurs 9.30am – 1:00pm

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