



Offertory Collection

Sept 26th: €1245 and Priesthood Collection: €525.

(This amount only reflects money collected at mass and does not include what people have donated online or by standing order) As always, Thank you



Recently Deceased

Sympathy is extended to the family of Marie Mukerjee School Line Ballineen, who died recently.



Recent Baptisms

Welcome to our Christian Community

Ciara O'Sullivan Ardritt
Isla and Sophie Bowes Farranmareen

who were baptised recently.

First Friday Calls

The monthly calls to the sick and house-bound will be made on Thursday 7th and Friday 8th October.

Thought for the day

"Perseverance is failing 19 times and succeeding the 20th"

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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. All items to be in before 11am Thursday.

Parish Assembly meeting

Monday October 4th Beda Hall (Note change of venue) 8pm.

Priests' Retreat

The priests of the diocese are required to make an annual retreat, a time of renewal and spiritual enrichment. Due to the Covid restrictions, it has not been possible to do this in the past year.

This year's priests' retreat for the Diocese of Cork and Ross is from Oct 10th to the 14th. Almost all the priests in the diocese, including retired priests, will be attending.

It means there will not be weekday Mass in Enniskeane on the mornings of Oct 11th, 12th or 14th.

The bishop's office has arranged with religious order and missionary society priests to be available to parishes to celebrate funeral Masses on those days.

Church repairs

We are working to have the remaining works in Enniskeane Church advanced but as everyone knows it's a very busy time for people in that industry. Between now and the church's 150th anniversary in 2022 we hope to upgrade the lighting, repair the aisle flooring and paint the interior of the church. Thanks for your support of the Building Fund collection which is taken up this weekend.

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Churches at Ahiohill, Castletown Kinneigh and Enniskeane

3rd Oct 2021

What is World Mission Sunday?

World Mission Sunday is the Holy Father's annual appeal to support overseas mission and missionaries. Similar to the Good Friday collection for the Holy Land and Peter's Pence, it is one of three yearly universal Church collections. It takes place in every single parish worldwide where the Church is present. All offerings made on behalf of World Mission Sunday become part of the Holy Father's Universal Solidarity Fund. This Fund supports missionary activities in over 1,100 young dioceses; mostly in Africa, Asia, and Latin America. The needs of young dioceses vary, anything from a motorbike so a priest can celebrate Mass in a remote village. To a community hall so local people can gather in safety. Or more urgently, vaccinations and medicines so that parish dispensaries can protect vulnerable children. In essence it:

- provides basic infrastructure by helping communities to build schools, clinics, parish halls and churches
- prepares the future leaders and carers of the Church by supporting the training of sisters, priests, brothers and catechists.

- supports missionary programmes to care for children's spiritual and physical well-being by offering safe shelter, healthcare, education and hope for the future.

Donating

The world is in crisis. In many poorer parishes in Africa, Asia, and Latin America it is overseas missionaries who are on the front line. Show them your support. Donate €4.00 by texting the word 'Mission' to 50300. Alternatively donate at www.missio.ie or call Missio Ireland on 01 497 2035. To learn more go to www.missio.ie. Missio Ireland is the Holy Father's official charity for overseas mission. Through your generosity they support missionaries who are caring for some of the most vulnerable communities in the world. (Texts cost €4. Missio will receive a minimum of €3.60. Service Provider: LikeCharity. Helpline: 076 680 5278. Republic of Ireland only.)

First Holy Communion

Congratulations to all the children who received their First Holy Communion in Enniskeane this weekend.

Next week will be Coppeen School in Castletown Church on Oct 9th at 11am followed by Ahiohill/Kilcolman Schools in Ahiohill Church on Oct 16th at 11am.