

# Offertory Collection

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Ahiohill Vintage Run

Ahiohill Car Bike Tractor and Trucks Run is on this Sunday 6th March. Sign in starts at 11am, leaving the Four Winds at 12:30 approx. Full proceeds in aid of Ahiohill National School, in order to extend and improve the sensory garden. For more information you can contact 087 6429044.

### Coffee Morning and Cake Sale

St Mary's Central School Coffee morning and cake sale is on Friday 11th of March at 9:30am to 2:30 pm. Cakes go leor and a raffle. All welcome.

## Tidy Towns

Annual General Meeting of Ballineen and Enniskeane Tidy Towns will take place in Gort Mhuire on Tuesday 8th March at 7.00 p.m. New members more than welcome

Thought for the day

"When you talk you are only repeating what you already know. But if you listen, you may learn something new."

### Lent 2022 - A better tomorrow

Every Lent Trocaire shares with us all, the story of one family and they invite us to see the world through their eyes. This vear we meet Thandekile. Thandekile is a thirty-one-year-old Zimbabwean mother of two children. Her daughter's name is Nomatter and she is aged eleven, and her son's name is Forward and he is aged eight. In November 2020, the family's already fragile world was turned upside down when Covid-19 hit. Thandekile's husband, Donovan (35), died from Covid-19 while working in South Africa to earn an income to provide for his family. Left widowed, now Thandekile's greatest fear is that she will die from Covid-19 and there will be no one to look after her children

We are invited to consider the reality of life for many through the prism of this family's story this Lent. Where is God for this family? Where is God calling us

#### St Vincent de Paul

The local conference of the St Vincent de Paul are looking for Volunteers to help in the day to day running of the conference. They would be delighted to get some help. If you have some free hours to give please contact (086) 34558037 or (087)9212144. Thank You

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Churches at Ahiohill, Castletown Kinneigh and Enniskeane

6th March 2022

#### A Prayer For Peace In Ukraine

Loving Father. We pray for the people of Ukraine, For all those suffering or afraid, That you will be close to them And protect them.

We pray for world leaders, For compassion, strength and wisdom To guide their choices.

We pray for the world, That in this moment of crisis. We may reach out in solidarity To our brothers and sisters in need

Lord, may we walk in your ways, So that peace and justice become a reality For the people of Ukraine, And for all the world. Amen

#### Anam Cara West Cork

This organisation supports bereaved parents and they are holding a Parent Evening on Tuesday 15th March at 7:20pm in the Munster Arms Hotel, Bandon. This is a free event and open to all bereaved parents. For further information please contact us on 085 288 8888 or info@anamcara.ie

#### Holy Land Pilgrimage Ex Cork

Walk in the footsteps of Jesus. This trip of a lifetime (fully guided) will take place from 18th-26th August 2022. Highlights include, A boat trip on the Sea of Galilee, visits to Nazareth, Cana, Jericho. The Dead Sea, Jerusalem. The Mount of Olives, Bethlehem, Bethany, and many other important biblical locations. The trip includes return flights ex Cork, a comprehensive daily programme, entrance fees, Excellent 4\* Hotels, dinner bed and breakfast throughout. Spiritual Director: Fr Liam Crowley. For further Information and details please contact GTI Travel 01 8085201 or Jim Keogh 021 4885371 Mobile 087 2678793. You will be most welcome but please note that our places are strictly limited and will be allocated on a first come first served basis only.

## Parish Assembly

Parish Assembly meeting on Thursday March 10th at 8.15pm in Gort Mhuire for the whole Assembly (note change of day).

#### **Baptisms**

If you would like to book a baptism, please contact the parish office. The next dates available are March 19th, April 23rd, April 30th, May 21st and May 28th all at 4pm.