ENNISKEANE AND DESERTSERGES

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Safeguarding Month

October is Safeguarding month in the Diocese. The parish and Diocesan Safeguarding Teams work hard all year to assure our Churches are a safe space for children.

We welcome all children and young people to participate fully in the life of the parish, whether it be attendance at Mass and the Sacraments, as Altar Servers, Choir, Children's Liturgy, Pray and Play, Youth Ministry etc Feel free to contact the parish office for details. We look forward to seeing you."

The Diocese is fully committed to creating and maintaining safe environments within our churches. parishes and ministry. We have a number of polices and guidance in place to ensure that best practice is maintained through our Ministry with children and vulnerable adults. Such as Child Safeguarding, Adult Safeguarding, Garda Vetting, Pilgrimage Polices etc. We also have lots of guidance for ministry within the parishes, as well as general advice around Safe Use of Social Media etc. These policies and more can be found on new safeguarding page on the Diocesan website.

www.corkandross.org/safegurding

Diocesan Needs Collection

The last Diocesan Needs Quarterly Collection in July amounted to \notin 49,098 throughout the Diocese, which is much appreciated.

The next quarterly collection will take place on weekend of 7th/8th October This quarterly collection allows the Diocese to provide ongoing supports to parishes in many areas. It contributes to the day-to-day running costs of the Diocese including the cost of personnel, utilities (light & heat, phone, postage & stationery, repairs & maintenance, insurance), professional fees, primary and secondary school religious advisory costs, safeguarding, data protection, mission and ministry and levies paid by the Diocese for national hierarchy costs in Maynooth.

People continue to be very generous to these quarterly collections over the years and your support would be greatly appreciated this weekend.

Morning Mass

There will be no morning mass from 9th -12th inclusive as Fr Michael will be attending a Diocesan priest retreat. Another priest will be available should a funeral need to be arranged during this time.



Offertory Collection 1st October: €1305

October Building Fund: €1615 Thanks

Church Anniversary

Saturday 7th October will mark 152 year anniversary since Enniskeane church opened. Copies of the the book celebrating 150 years of our parish church are available to buy at the Parish Office & from Ballineen Enniskeane Heritage group members

Ahiohill Choir

are looking for new members. If you are interested please join us Wednesday 11th November at 8.00pm for our next practise.

Connect 3

Faith Gathering for Young Adults (18 to 35 Years)

The Diocese of Cork and Ross is delighted to announce that CONNECT 3 will take place on Sunday, October 15th from 9.30am, in Devere Hall, UCC. It promises to be a great day of fun, prayer, food, talks, Mass, fellowship, and more. There is no charge for attending. To register simply visit corkandross.org

Castletown Choir

always open for new members Next choir practice is Weds night 11th at 8.30pm ALL welcome

Active Retirement

Meeting Tuesday Oct 10th in the BEDA Hall at 230pm

Rosary

on Sunday evenings will move from the Grotto to Enniskeane church at the earlier time of 5.30pm

Coffee Morning

on Saturday the 14th of October from 10am – 1pm in Ballineen Methodist Church Hall in aid if the Team Hope Christmas Shoebox Appeal.

Tommy Fleming Concert

Clonakilty Parish Church Sunday Dec 10th at 8pm. Tickets at €32.50 on sale at the Parish Office, Clonakilty (behind the Parish Centre Mon-Fri 9.30-1.30pm), at O'Donovans' Hotel and onlineat: www.tommyfleming.com/ticket s

FR. MICHAEL KELLEHER Co-PP, Parochial House, Enniskeane. 023-8847769 / 087-9311472 (Calls only) (Off-duty Wed) Parish Office: Tues & Fri 9.30am –12.30pm. Tel 023–8847769 Email: office@enniskeaneparish.ie Mass times: September - June Saturday: Ahiohill 7.30pm Sunday: Castletown 10am Enniskeane 11.30am

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