

ENNISKEANE AND DESERTSERGES

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Churches at Ahiohill, Castletown Kinneigh and Enniskeane

22nd September 2024

Morning Mass

There will be no morning Mass from October 7th -10th inclusive. The Diocesan Priests Retreat will take place during those days.

Childrens Rota

We are blessed in Enniskeane parish to have so many children serve in various ways at Mass every Sunday, Church Holy Days and other ceremonies like Christmas and Easter etc.

We are currently seeking new candidates for all 'jobs' i.e. Gift Bearers, Altar Servers, Prayers of the Faithful readers & 2nd Scripture Reading and would like to invite all children to sign up. Fr. Michael has been, and will be, inviting children during Mass but we are also seeking your assistance and encouragement with the task at hand. Not only will children benefit on a spiritual level, they will also gain great confidence and new friendships from participation. You can assure all children that there is a place for them in the church and they will receive practical help and advice before they take to the spotlight (so to speak). And we are always available to assist when required. For further information please contact Fiona Barrett 086 0608935

Gougane Sunday

You are invited to Gougane Barra on Sunday 29th September to mark the Feast

of St Finbarr. Mass at 3pm preceded by the Rosary at 2.30 pm. This year in Gougane Barra, the Diocese of Cork and Ross will be launching the year of prayer, listening and discernment as we plan for the future. Bishop Fintan looks forward to seeing you in Gougane Barra.

Priesthood Education

The annual collection for the Priesthood Education Fund in the Diocese will be taken up on the weekend of 21st / 22nd September. One seminarian continues his studies for the priesthood in St. Patrick's College, Maynooth, and another man is continuing his studies for the Permanent Diaconate. The Priesthood Education Fund finances their studies as well as costs for ongoing training and education for priests.

Thank you for last year's collection which came to €64,903. In the same year, the Fund spent €82,500. Appreciating that these are difficult times financially, you are asked to be as generous as you can to the Priesthood Education Fund annual collection.

Holy Hour

every Thursday in Enniskeane church from 5-6pm. All welcome.



Offertory Collection

September 15th: €1255

Thanks

Cór na nÓg

practice continues in Enniskeane church on Mondays from 7.15pm to 8pm. New members from first class up are very welcome (any child under 8 must be accompanied by a parent). Registration can be done with the coordinating parents at the practice. Enquiries Margaret 086-8632774.

The More The Merrier

in Gort Mhuire on Thursday 26th Sept, starting at the new time of 7pm. Everyone welcome for a cuppa and a chat!

Bingo

Ballymoney National School will hold a BINGO Night fundraiser at the BEDA Hall, Ballineen on Saturday 28th September at 7.30pm. Books are €10 each, and there will be a raffle and complimentary refreshments. Your support would be gratefully appreciated.

BEDA Christmas Fair

Delighted to announce that BEDA Christmas Fair will take place on Sunday 1st December at 12 noon to 4.00 pm. Santa Claus and his elves will be looking forward to meeting all the boys and girls.

Please do come and support the many stalls who will be selling lovely gifts for Christmas and enjoy mulled wine and many festive refreshments while strolling around the stalls. It is a lovely family fun day. If you wish to book a table please text 086 8337598

Bengour Harvest Festival

Tractor & Car run (rescheduled) Sunday 29th Sept. Reg. at 11:30am in Coppeen. All are welcome.

CAHCS

CAHCS recently published Journal 'Coppeen - A Glimpse of the Past' Vol 5, now available in Barrett's Coppeen, Centra Enniskeane & Bandon Books

Active Retirement

meeting Tuesday September 24th at 2.30pm in the BEDA Hall

Ranganna Gaeilge

Irish Language Classes for Adults Club Room, CLG Naomh Muire, Enniskeane. Five Sessions, every second week commencing Tuesday, 24th September @ 8.30pm. Practise your 'Cúpla Focal' and learn new vocabulary & phrases. Fáilte roimh Chách

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Mass times: September - June

Saturday: Ahiohill 7.30pm

Sunday: Castletown 10am

Enniskeane 11.30am

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