

ENNISKEANE AND DESERTSERGES

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Churches at Ahiohill, Castletown Kinneigh and Enniskeane

20th April 2025

Parish Assembly Nominations

Nest weekend April 26th/27th we begin the process of selecting a new Parish Assembly/Council. Members of the Assembly will speak at all Masses about the Assembly and the process of nominating a new group. Nomination forms will be available in all the Churches. Closing Date for nominations is Friday 9th May.

What is a Parish Pastoral Assembly/Council?

A Parish Assembly/Parish Pastoral Council (PPC) is a group of people who are representative of the local faith community in our parish. Working closely with the local priest, they help to create an experience of belonging and participation in the life of the parish. A PPC is set up every three years. The PPC will meet one evening each month from September to June. Part of the time is spent discussing and planning and part is spent in service – in tasks.

What is the Parish Pastoral Assembly/Council about?

The Parish Assembly/Pastoral Council is about the pastoral, spiritual and faith life of our parish. It will try to address the identified needs of the parish and support all age groups in their faith journey. Together members will seek to create a vibrant faith community, in tune with gospel message.

The Parish Assembly/Parish Council is not about finance, buildings, maintenance or fundraising as these issues are looked after by the Parish Finance Committee.

Parish Office

The Parish Office will be closed on Tuesday 22nd & Friday 25th April. Emails & phone messages will be checked intermittently during this time.

Cemetery Masses

The dates of Cemetery Masses in our parish this year are as follows:

Monday June 16th

Mass at 7.30pm in Ahiohill Church followed by prayers in the cemetery and afterwards in Desert.

Tuesday June 17th

Mass in Castletown Kinneigh Church followed by prayers in the cemetery and afterwards in Kinneigh.

Thursday June 19th

Mass at 7.30pm in Enniskeane Church followed by prayers in the cemetery and afterwards in Ballymoney.

A collection will be taken up at all of the Masses to help with the upkeep of the cemeteries.

Parish Assembly Meeting

in the Parish meeting room on Monday 12th May @ 7.30pm.

Morning Mass

There is no morning Mass on Tuesday 22nd & Thursday 24th April.

Divine Mercy Holy Hour

in Enniskeane Church on Sunday April 27th at 3pm. Prayers, hymns and period of silent adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

Offertory Colleccion



April 13th: €2970

Thank You

Coffee Morning

Castletown Ladies Club are hosting a coffee morning on Sunday 27th April in Castletown Hall at 10.30am. All proceeds to West Cork Rapid Response (in memory of Nuala Lordan)

More the Merrier

This month's More the Merrier in Gort Mhuire will be on Thursday 24th April at the usual time of 7.00 pm till 9.30 pm. Please come along and join in the fun, the light refreshments and most importantly, the chat and the singalong! Suggested donation of €3 to help cover expenses.

Staying Fit for the Future,

Better Balance

will commence Wednesday 23rd April @11am in the B.E.D.A hall. Classes

focus on balance, strength and staying steady on your feet. Contact Norma 086-3236745 for more information.

Dunmanway Memory Cafe

Will take place on Wednesday 23rd April in the Parkway Hotel in Dunmanway.

From 10.30am to 12.30pm.

Please come along to this free café which provides a warm and welcoming place for people to meet others also living with dementia/memory loss, and/or their friends & family, as well as health & social care professionals.

This month we will be joined by Tara O'Donoghue from Cork Cultural Companions, who will talk about what they do, and what is coming up in the months ahead!

For more information, please contact Debbie on 083 3943336.

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Mass times: September - June

Saturday: Ahiohill 7.30pm

Sunday: Castletown 10am

Enniskeane 11.30am

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