

☩ Sunday, June 15 <sup>th</sup> <i>The Most Holy Trinity</i>	<b>Mass in Dunhill Church at 9.30 a.m.</b>
Monday, June 16 <sup>th</sup>	Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 7.30 a.m. & 10.00 a.m.
Tuesday, June 17 <sup>th</sup>	Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 7.30 a.m. & 10.00 a.m.
Wednesday, June 18 <sup>th</sup> <i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 7.30 a.m. & 10.00 a.m. <b>Dunhill Church from 11.00 a.m. until 12 noon</b>
Thursday, June 19 <sup>th</sup> - <i>St Romuald, Abbot</i>	Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 7.30 a.m. & 10.00 a.m.
Friday, June 20 <sup>th</sup> <i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 7.30 a.m. & 10.00 a.m. <b>Fenor Church from 11.00 a.m. until 12 noon</b>
Saturday, June 21 <sup>st</sup> – <i>St. Aloysius Gonzaga</i>	<b>Mass in Fenor Church at 6.00 p.m.</b>

- Thank you for your contribution to the recent **Parish Development Fund Collection** which raised €475.00.
- **Happy Father's Day** today to all our Daddies, Time seems to fly in this busy world, and our warm thoughts of the special people in our lives too often go unspoken even though the feelings are always in our hearts.
- **Announcement on Permanent Diaconate** Before his retirement, Bishop William Lee introduced the Permanent Diaconate in the Diocese of Waterford & Lismore. The first candidates commenced training in September 2010. This ministry is open to men between the ages of 25 and 60 (for single men); and 35 and 60 (for married men). The training consists of a preparatory year, followed by three years' academic, spiritual, pastoral and human formation. Those who are ordained as Deacons will preside at baptisms, weddings, funerals and other public prayer occasions. They will preach the homily and assist at Mass. They will be involved in many pastoral works and in Christian education at all levels. They will be given a special role in the area of social justice and works of charity. When ordained they will be assigned for service to a parish or group of parishes, or to Diocesan responsibilities. The ordination of Deacons is a restoration of a significant ministry which was a feature of Church life in the first five centuries. For more information contact Fr Pat Fitzgerald on 051-372257 or email [pat7fitz3@eircom.net](mailto:pat7fitz3@eircom.net).
- A **Tiny Tots Open Day** will take place this Tuesday June 17<sup>th</sup> from 12.30 p.m. to 2.00 p.m. Enrolments are now been taken for Sept 2014 and Jan 2015. All are welcome. For more information contact 085-7612985.
- As part of National Bike Week the **Annual Fenor Playpark Family Cycle** takes place next Sunday, 22<sup>nd</sup> June, starting at 12.00 noon. Registration begins at 11.00 a.m. in the village. There will be a Kiddies course, 10km & 20km family cycle routes. A great day's family entertainment and exercise for all so come along and enjoy.
- Next weekend the **Irish Kidney Association** will be holding their Annual Church Gate Collection at Dunhill Church. Your support would be greatly appreciated.
- **Does your spouse have dementia?** A new study in Trinity College Dublin is looking to gain an insight into the health and well-being of those who care for their spouse/partner with dementia. If you are a caregiver aged over 50 years and living with a partner who has Alzheimer's disease or another form of dementia you may be interested in taking part. For more information please phone Alan Galvin or Maria Pertl on 01-896 8414.
- **The Breeze that is the Holy Spirit** There is a gentle breeze if we can but catch it, which blows all the time to help us on our journey through life to our final destination. That breeze is the Holy Spirit. But the wind cannot be caught or used unless the sail is hoisted, and the hoisting is our task. We must be on the watch, ready to recognise it and play our part. God does not hold us and will lead us if we want it; but we must want it.
- Many gardens are in full bloom at the moment and we would really appreciate **donations of flowers** for use in the churches during the weeks ahead. Just drop them into the sacristy in good time for any weekend.
- **Questions people ask** – Fr Silvester O'Flynn OFM Cap. Email [silvesteroflynn80@gmail.com](mailto:silvesteroflynn80@gmail.com)  
**Question:** I am terrified that God has this big ledger with my sins in one column and any good deeds I did in the opposite column. My fear is that the sins far outnumber the good. **Answer:** You are burdened with a totally false idea of God. How have you forgotten the extraordinary compassion and mercy of Jesus towards sinners? Even before the time of Jesus the prophets taught the people: 'Though your sins are like scarlet they shall be made white as snow' (Isaiah 1:18); 'as far as the East is from the West, so far does he remove our sins' (Psalms 103:12). Jesus is the Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world. Your temptation is to doubt God's forgiveness. When this temptation comes, go in the opposite direction by thanking God for his mercy and forgiveness.
- Last week's **Parish Collection:** Masses €401.76 & Envelopes €499.70. Thank you for your continued support.