

✘ Sunday, June 19th <i>Trinity Sunday</i>	Fenor Church at 9.30 a.m. Dunhill Church at 11.00 a.m.
Monday, June 20th	Dunhill Church at 10.00 a.m.
Tuesday, June 21st	Fenor Church at 10.00 a.m.
Wednesday, June 22nd <i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	Dunhill Church at 10.00 a.m. <i>Dunhill Church from after 10.00 a.m. Mass until 12.00 noon</i>
Thursday, June 23rd	Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 10.00 a.m.
Friday, June 24th <i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	Fenor Church at 10.00 a.m. <i>Fenor Church from after 10.00 a.m. Mass until 12.00 noon</i>
Saturday, June 25th	Fenor Church at 6.30 p.m.

- The third National Collection for the **50th International Eucharistic Congress** will take place next weekend and there's a yellow envelope provided in your box at home for this collection. We thank you for your generous support to date and we ask you to give what you can to assist us in the preparations and the hosting of the 2012 Eucharistic Congress. Further information on the 2012 Congress preparations is available at www.iec2012.ie. This year's Peter's Pence Collection has been postponed for a few weeks.
- One of the key moments in the pastoral preparation for the 50th International Eucharistic Congress is the celebration of a short **National Eucharistic Congress** at the end of June. On Saturday 25th, pilgrims will travel from every corner of Ireland to Our Lady's Shrine at Knock. There will be workshops on Communion and Eucharist presented by Fr. Kieron O'Mahony OSA, Prof. Robert Enright, Rosemary Swords and Fr. Tom Norris. The heart of the National Congress at Knock will be the celebration of the Eucharist, preceded by the anointing of the sick. During the Mass, a large candle with the Eucharistic Congress Logo will be blessed for each of the twenty-six cathedrals in Ireland. These will be brought back to each diocese to be placed at the centre of a diocesan celebration the following day. Our diocese has organised a bus for anyone interested, leaving Waterford at 7.00 a.m. and costing €40, which this includes morning coffee and a three course evening meal. On Sunday 26th all parishes will send a family whose child received their First Holy Communion this year to the 12 noon Mass in the Cathedral. The Bishop will present them with a Eucharistic Congress Candle, which they in turn will present in their parishes the following weekend.
- **Friday Penance:** Why not make an opportunity for yourself to visit someone who is sick, old, or lonely.
- The final **Do This in Memory Mass** for this year will be celebrated in Fenor Church at 6.30p.m. next Saturday evening, June 25th, which is the feast of Corpus Christi.
- "God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him might not perish but might have eternal life." Has the thought of following Jesus as a diocesan priest ever resonated in your heart? To explore the possibility of a **vocation to the priesthood** in the Diocese of Waterford & Lismore please contact Fr Billy Meehan at 052-61 22954 / 086-2478866 or any priest.
- The **Irish Cancer Society** would like to express heartfelt thanks to all who contributed to their recent church gate collection. The amount collected was €131.00, this will help provide cancer patients and their families with the care and support they need.
- This year's **Summer Cemetery Mass** at Fenor will be celebrated on Thursday evening, August 04th, and the Cemetery Mass in Dunhill will be celebrated on the following Tuesday, August 09th.
- **Questions people ask** – Fr Silvester O'Flynn OFM Cap Email silvesteroflynn@gmail.com
Q. Science teaches people to deal with facts rather than fictional myths. How could anybody with a scientific training believe in the Bible or religion? **A.** One fact to consider is that many great pioneering scientists have been religious believers, from Copernicus to Newton, Darwin, Pasteur and many others, including Francis Collins who played a huge role in mapping the human genome. Moderate scientists deal with measureable facts only whereas great, innovative scientists also use imagination and intuition. Religious symbols, stories and beliefs develop fertile imaginations. Nobel Prize winner, Werner Heisenberger, said that the first sip from the cup of the natural sciences makes atheists, but at the bottom of the cup, God is waiting.
 Last week's **Parish Collection:** Masses €438.73 & Envelopes €629.51. Thank you for your continued support.