

✘ Sunday, July 31 <sup>st</sup> 18 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time	Fenor Church at 9.30 a.m. Dunhill Church at 11.00 a.m.
Bank Holiday Monday, August 01 <sup>st</sup>	<i>Dunhill Church at 11.00 a.m.</i>
Tuesday, August 02 <sup>nd</sup>	Fenor Church at 10.00 a.m.
Wednesday, August 03 <sup>rd</sup> <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, August 04 <sup>th</sup>	Cemetery Mass in Fenor at 7.30 p.m. with refreshments afterwards
Friday, August 05 <sup>th</sup> <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, August 06 <sup>th</sup>	Fenor Church at 6.30 p.m.

- Thanks for your contributions to this weekend's collection for the relief efforts in Africa. Your donations will be sent to **Trócaire** immediately to help bring relief to the starving people.
- This Monday is a **Bank Holiday** so our Mass at Dunhill Church will be celebrated at 11.00 a.m.
- The **Annual Cemetery Mass** will be celebrated in Fenor Cemetery this Thursday, August 04<sup>th</sup>, at 7.30 p.m. The Mass in Dunhill Cemetery will be celebrated the following Tuesday, August 10<sup>th</sup>, at 7.30 p.m.
- Friday next is the **First Friday of August** and Fr Paul will be visiting the sick and housebound in their homes. If you, or anyone you know, would like a visit with the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Eucharist and the Sacrament of the Sick, please contact the parish office as soon as possible on 051-396892.
- Don't forget that this Saturday (August 06<sup>th</sup>) the **Sponsored Leisure Cycle** will take place in memory of Fr. Colm O'Brien. For further information see [www.frcolmobrienmemorialcycle.com](http://www.frcolmobrienmemorialcycle.com) or contact David on 087-7415999.
- As part of the ongoing developments at Dunhill Church two of the **stained-glass windows** have been removed this week for renovation. While many of the windows need attention, the two that have been removed are in urgent need of repair and protection. We hope to have them restored in about six weeks. The cost of the work is €8,000 so please consider what you can give to the basket and envelope collections to help finance this necessary work.
- **When will we be using the new edition of the Roman Missal?** The texts of the new edition of the Roman Missal are being introduced in two phases to avoid too much change happening at once. From the second Sunday of September many dioceses will begin to use the new translations of the people's prayers and responses at Mass, for example, the Confiteor, the Gloria and the Creed. These texts will be provided on cards for the people coming to Mass. From the First Sunday of Advent the new translations of the prayers of the Mass that are led by the priest will come into use, for example, the opening prayer and the Eucharistic Prayer. The Third Edition of the Roman Missal, therefore, will be fully implemented throughout the English-speaking world on the First Sunday of Advent.
- Thanks to all who contributed to the annual **Sacristans' Collection** last weekend. Your donations are an expression of your appreciation for their work and it is deeply appreciated.
- **Congratulations** to Pat and Patricia Power of Ballynageeragh who are celebrating 40 years of marriage this weekend. We wish them every blessing for the future.
- The **5<sup>th</sup> National Grandparents Pilgrimage** will take place at the Shrine of Our Lady of Knock on Sunday, 11<sup>th</sup> September 2011. The chief celebrant will be Archbishop Michael Neary with guest singers including Fr Liam Lawton, Dana, Ann Marie Gibbons and Daniel Furlong. One of the aims of the Catholic Grandparents Association is to celebrate the important role grandparents play in the lives of their grandchildren. For further information please visit the website [www.catholicgrandparentsassociation.com](http://www.catholicgrandparentsassociation.com).
- **Questions people ask** — Fr Silvester O'Flynn OFM Cap Email [silvesteroflynn@gmail.com](mailto:silvesteroflynn@gmail.com)  
**Q.** Is it true that Pope Benedict is opposed to giving people Holy Communion in the hand?  
**A.** No, he is not opposed to receiving in the hand. However, he is aware that in the large, public celebrations on his travels or in St Peter's Square there have been people who took the host in hand and then put it into a wallet or book to take it away as a souvenir. On these public occasions, to prevent disrespect, he prefers to see people kneel or genuflect in an act of worship and then receive on the tongue. But otherwise, as he stated in a recent book, 'I am not opposed in principle to communion in the hand.'
- Last week's **Parish Collection**: Masses €449.46 & Envelopes €660.70. Thank you for your continued support.