

Dunhill & Fenor Parish Notes, October 23rd, 2011 www.dunhillandfenorparish.ie

✘ Sunday, October 23rd 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time – Mission Sunday	Fenor Church at 9.30 a.m. Dunhill Church at 11.00 a.m.
Monday, October 24th	Dunhill Church, at 10.00 a.m.
Tuesday, October 25th	Fenor Church at 10.00 a.m.
Wednesday, October 26th <i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	Dunhill Church, at 10.00 a.m. <i>Dunhill Church from 10.30 a.m. until 12.00 noon</i>
Thursday, October 27th	Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 10.00 a.m.
Friday, October 28th <i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	Fenor Church at 10.00 a.m. <i>Fenor Church from after 10.30 a.m. Mass until 12.00 noon</i>
Saturday, October 29th	Fenor Church at 6.30 p.m.

- Today is **Mission Sunday** and we unite on this special day with all Churches worldwide, “Together in Faith”, to celebrate our faith and the spreading of God’s love to far distant missionary lands. Let us individually and as communities assist the missions by prayer and financial help so that they may continue their tremendous work of bringing people to Jesus, as in today’s Gospel. The 1,762 Irish missionaries across the globe greatly appreciate your loyalty and support to their work in the spreading of the Good News, God’s word, to all corners of the world. On this special day they unite with us spiritually. We appreciate that in these very difficult economic times there are many pressures on our personal finances and ask you to please give as generously as you can. A little goes a long way – universally it will make a difference to World Missions. May we all enjoy and share the comfort of God’s Word! Mission Sunday Annual Collection held in all Churches today or, alternatively, donations can be sent to: World Missions, Ireland, 64 Lower Rathmines Road, Dublin 6. Thank You for your continued support. Lots more information is available at www.wmi.ie.
- There’s a **Eucharistic Adoration Retreat** being held today (Sunday) at the Glencomeragh House of Prayer, Kilsheelan, from 2.00 p.m. until 5.30 p.m. The retreat will include the Rosary, a Retreat Talk, Tea, Eucharistic Adoration and Holy Mass celebrated by Bishop Lee. The cost is €8.00 and all are welcome.
- The **Holy Souls Novena** will begin on Wednesday, November 02nd, and will continue for nine consecutive days between both churches. Your box of envelopes at home includes a sheet on which to write the names of the deceased loved ones you would like to have remembered during the Novena. Please return the list in the envelope provided as soon as possible.
- An **Evening of Remembrance** will be held in St. John’s Pastoral Centre, Waterford, on Thursday, 3rd November, from 7:30 – 9:00 p.m. The evening will provide a sacred space to honour family, friends and all who have died. We invite you to a time of prayerful reflection during this special month. This evening will include Scripture Reading, Personal Prayer, Silence, Music and a Celebration of Light (with candles provided). All are welcome.
- **The Collect or Opening Prayer** The Introductory Rite concludes with the Collect or opening prayer. This prayer changes from week to week, even from day to day. All of these prayers contained in the old Missal have been retranslated. People will notice a difference in how this prayer sounds. The sentences are longer and more complex because they follow more closely the structure of the original Latin text. This prayer will demand our attention. Over time the pattern of this prayer will come more familiar to us and will more easily sit on our ear.
- Youth 2000 will be hosting a **Youth Retreat in De La Salle College**, Waterford City, from Friday, 4th to Sunday, 6th November. This is a donation only event for people aged 16 – 35 years, with newcomers very welcome. The weekend will consist of a programme covering youth Masses, talks, music etc. It is a residential – so please bring a sleeping bag! For more information contact John on 086 3301766 or check out the website at www.youth2000.ie. Please book online, under 18’s please download booking form and bring to retreat.
- **The Irish Wheelchair Association** is the national organisation of people with physical & sensory disabilities with over 20,000 members and service users nationwide. The role of the IWA is to provide services and advocate for change, locally and nationally by representing the issues and concerns of adults and children with physical & sensory disabilities. During the month of November their Angel Campaign generates essential funds for the Association and in 2010 they raised a fantastic €408,000. This was achieved through the sales of angel pins and pencils which cost €2 each. Please support the Angel Campaign during the month of November.
- Last week’s **Parish Collection**: Masses €500.40 & Envelopes €615.20. Thank you for your continued support.