

Dunhill & Fenor Parish Notes, 11th August 2013

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<p>✘ Sunday, August 11th <i>Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i></p>	<p>Mass in Fenor Church at 9.30 a.m. Mass in Dunhill Church at 11.00 a.m.</p>
<p>Monday, August 12th</p>	<p><i>Mass in Dunhill Church at 7.30 p.m.</i> <i>(First Anniversary of Georgia Smith)</i></p>
<p>Tuesday, August 13th</p>	<p><i>Cemetery Mass in Fenor Church at 7.30 p.m.</i></p>
<p><i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i></p>	<p><i>Dunhill Church from 11.00 a.m. until noon</i></p>
<p>Wednesday, August 14th – St Maximilian Kolbe</p>	<p><i>Holyday Vigil Mass in Fenor Church at 6.30 p.m.</i></p>
<p>✘ Thursday, August 15th – Assumption of the BVM</p>	<p><i>Mass in Dunhill Church at 11.00 a.m.</i></p>
<p>Friday, August 16th <i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i></p>	<p>Mass in Fenor Church at 10.00 a.m. <i>Fenor Church from after Mass until noon</i></p>
<p>Saturday, August 17th – Our Lady of Knock</p>	<p>Fenor Church at 6.30 p.m.</p>

- Thanks to all who joined us for the **Annual Cemetery Mass** in Dunhill on Wednesday, and to those who provided the refreshments. The Mass in Fenor Cemetery will be celebrated this Tuesday evening, August 13th, at 7.30 p.m.
- Thursday, August 15th, is the **Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary** into Heaven and it is a holyday of obligation. Holyday Masses will be celebrated at 6.30 p.m. (Wed.) in Fenor and 11.00 a.m. in Dunhill.
- Best wishes to all the young people of the parish who will receive their **Leaving Certificate results** this week. Celebrate appropriately and remember we will be praying for you as you make important choices for the future.
- **Dunhill Multi Education Centre** will host an information and enrolment evening on Tuesday, August 13th, at 7.30 p.m. for the Recreation & Amenity Trail Development Training Programme 2013, a Fetac level 5 Major Award in General Studies. The course is fully funded by FÁS and no fees apply to participants. Eligible participants will receive a FÁS training allowance for attending this full time 48-week course. For further information email: enquiries@dunhilleducation.com or telephone 051-396934.
- **Waterford Autism** is appealing for household goods, furniture, bric-a-brac, clothes and books, if you have something you would like to donate, please phone 051-373838 or text 086 4004690 and they will collect.
- **Cura** is an organisation which supports women facing crisis pregnancy. Cura was established 36 years ago by the Irish Catholic Bishops' Conference and provides a range of counselling and support services to anyone facing a crisis or unplanned pregnancy. Cura has a nationwide presence, operating 14 dedicated centres and a number of outreach centres as well as a national helpline which operates Monday to Saturday. There are over 180 trained crisis pregnancy counsellors working on a voluntary basis for Cura. The services are free and confidential. Cura is informed by the values of the Catholic Church and does not provide contact details for abortion services. The local office is at St John's Pastoral Centre, John's Hill, Waterford. (051-876452) For more details see www.cura.ie.
- Tramore & Carbally Parish have arranged a **Pilgrimage to Benevento and San Giovanni Rotondo** visiting the home of Padre Pio. It will take place from Thursday, 03rd April, until Tuesday, 08th April, 2014. The cost is €759.00 per person sharing, which includes return coach from Tramore to Dublin, return flights with Aer Lingus from Dublin to Naples and 4 Star hotel accommodation with full board. If you would like more information on the itinerary contact Fr. Toomey on 051-386477 or for bookings please contact Joe Walsh Tours at (01) 241 0800.
- This year's **Youth 2000 Summer Festival** will take place at Cistercian College, Roscrea, Co. Tipperary. The festival is for young people age 16-35, and will take place from Thursday 15th to Sunday 18th August 2013. It promises to be a great opportunity for young people from all around Ireland to experience their Catholic faith, meet new friends, and have some craic! This Festival has been nicknamed the "Holy Oxygen" with over 1,000 young people from all corners of Ireland attending last year. This is a donation-only retreat, so there's no formal charge, and there are free busses. For more information contact www.youth2000.ie, 01-6753690, or on Facebook..
- **Questions people ask** – Fr Silvester O'Flynn OFM Cap. Email silvesteroflynn80@gmail.com
Question: Is it possible to fear God and love God at the same time? **Answer:** One must distinguish between unhealthy fear which causes terror and healthy fear which breeds humility and reverence. The terrifying sort of fear fails to recognise God's love and mercy. Reverential fear is part of true faith which humbly recognises one's unworthiness before God's holiness. This humble fear is the beginning of wisdom. Reverential fear is one of the gifts of the Holy Spirit.
- Last week's **Parish Collection**: Masses €391.89 & Envelopes €509.55. Thank you for your continued support.