

Dunhill & Fenor Parish Notes, 26th June 2016

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✘ Sunday, June 26th <i>Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	Mass in Dunhill Church at 9.30 a.m.
Monday, June 27th – <i>St Cyril of Alexandria</i>	Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 7.30 a.m. & 10.00 a.m.
Tuesday, June 28th – <i>St Irenaeus</i>	Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 7.30 a.m. & 10.00 a.m.
Wednesday, June 29th – <i>Ss Peter & Paul Apostles, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 7.30 a.m. & 10.00 a.m. <i>Dunhill Church from 11.00 a.m. until 12 noon</i>
Thursday, June 30th – <i>First Martyrs of the Church of Rome</i>	Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 7.30 a.m. & 10.00 a.m.
Friday, July 1st – <i>St Oliver Plunkett, Bishop Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 7.30 a.m. & 10.00 a.m. <i>Fenor Church from 11.00 a.m. until 12 noon</i>
Saturday, July 2nd	Mass in Fenor Church at 6.00 p.m.

- **World Meeting of Families 2018:** Last time the World Meeting of Families took place in Philadelphia. Pope Francis has asked the Irish Church to take it on, and has said that he – or his successor – will attend. Thank you for your contributions to last week's collection, which raised €469.63 to help meet expenses for the occasion.
- You are invited to the next session of **Cafe Theology** on the topic of *How to Argue the Case for the Pro-Life Amendment*. This Monday June 27th at 7.30 p.m. in The Granville Hotel, Waterford. There will be three speakers from Family & Life which is hosting the event, Margaret Hickey, Sarah Ekada and Patrick Carr. There will be plenty of time for questions and discussion afterwards. All are welcome and please tell your friends.
- Friday is the **First Friday** of July and Brendan Gallagher will be visiting the sick and housebound with the Blessed Sacrament. If you, or anyone you know, would like to receive Holy Communion please let us know at the parish office (396892) as soon as possible.
- **Fenor Bingo** next Friday 1st July at 8.00 p.m. in Fenor School Hall. Great night and prizes to be had. Please come and support as any money raised will be ploughed back into the community. All are welcome.
- **Training for new altar servers** will begin next Saturday morning July 2nd in Fenor Church from 10.00 a.m. to 11.00 a.m.
- Dates have been set for the **Graveyard Masses this Summer**. It takes place in Fenor on Tuesday July 5th and Dunhill the following Tuesday July 12th both starting at 7.30 p.m. Please spread the word.
- Last week, Bishop Lee celebrated the **Golden jubilee** of his ordination. We congratulate him on reaching this milestone in his Priestly life and wish him many more years of health and happiness.
- Pat and Betty Baldwin would like to say a big **thank you** to all the people of Dunhill parish for sponsoring their trip to Lourdes. A Mass will be offered for everybody.
- **The Youth 2000 Summer Festival** is taking place from Thursday 7th July to Sunday 10th July in the Cistercian College, Roscrea, Co. Tipperary. For young people aged 16-35 years an opportunity not to be missed to experience the Catholic faith and meet many new people, with over 1200 young people from all corners of Ireland attending last year. The festival is donation only. Free buses available from all around Ireland. More information on www.youth2000.ie
- **Interested in joining the Missionaries?** Viatores Christi (VC) are recruiting and are encouraging people to consider giving a year or two to Mission, to help our ongoing mission to serve those in most need at home and abroad. VC does this by recruiting, training and placing skilled people where they are needed and where there is nobody else locally with the required skills or profession. We are looking for an arrange of professions from teachers, community/youth development workers, accountants, business/marketing professionals, IT specialists, OT/Physios/SL Therapists, Farmers, Pastoral Workers with the intention to go and share their skills where they are needed most and train at least one person to take over when they depart. More information visit www.viatoreschristi.com or telephone. 01- 8689986.
- **Why today matters?** "Today is not just any ordinary day. Today is a day that matters. Today you will have the choice to make a difference in your life and those around you. Today you will have the choice to smile rather than frown, be grateful rather than selfish, lift up rather than put down, accept rather than reject and love rather than hate. Today you will have the choice of seeking hope for the future or remain in the hopelessness of the past. Today you have the choice to laugh or cry. Both will make you feel better. Today you will have the undivided attention of the King of the Universe. At that time you can ask Him anything you want. You can ask for help, plead for a friend or just enjoy His presence. It all depends on you. Whichever you choose, today matters. Make the choice to make it a day worth living. And don't forget, tomorrow is another day."
- **Last week's** Parish Collection: Masses €407.83 and Envelopes €487.20. Thank you for your continued support.