Dunhill & Fenor Parish Notes, 21th August 2016

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▼ Sunday, August 21 st Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time	Mass in Dunhill Church at 9.30 a.m.
Monday, August 22 nd – Queenship of the BVM	Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 10.00 a.m.
Tuesday, August 23rd – St Rose of Lima	Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 10.00 a.m.
Wednesday, August 24th – St Bartholomew Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 10.00 a.m. Dunhill Church from 11.00 a.m. until 12 noon
Thursday, August 25th – St Louis of France	Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 10.00 a.m.
Friday, August 26th – Dominic of the Mother of God Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 10.00 a.m. Fenor Church from 11.00 a.m. until 12 noon
Saturday, August 27 th	Mass in Fenor Church at 6.00 p.m.

- Next <u>Fenor Bingo</u> Friday 26th Aug at 8.00p.m in Fenor School Hall. Great night to be had with fun and great prizes. A night not to be missed. Come along and support your community in this fun filled night. All are welcome.
- <u>Power Clan Gathering 2016</u> Powers, friends of Powers and all the rest are invited to take part in some or all of the events which will run next weekend 28th, 29th & 30th August. Full details on the website: www.powerclangathering.com Come along and meet Powers from around the world.
- <u>National Grandparents Pilgrimage</u> 10th Anniversary on Sunday 11th September in Our Lady of Knock Shrine, Knock, Co. Mayo. Chief Celebrant - Archbishop Michael Neary Patron of the Catholic Grandparents Association. There is a Children's Prayer Appeal to all children to write a prayer for their grandparents. All prayers will be blessed at the pilgrimage. Send prayers to Knock Office, Castlebar St, Westport, Co. Mayo.
- <u>South East Simon Community</u> Want to give something back to your Community? We are currently looking for volunteers to organise and help with various fundraising activities throughout 2016. At South East Simon, we listen to people who turn to us for help and do everything we can to support them to move out of homelessness and into independent living. If you are interested, call Sarah on 051 872693 or email: <u>sarah.byrne@southeastsimon.ie</u>.
- Family Carers Ireland are providing the <u>**OOI Level 5 Healthcare Award**</u> in September based on demand, this qualification is for employment in Nursing Homes, hospitals and as homecare workers. To express interest contact 057-9370221.
- <u>Humanitarian Volunteers</u> are looking for volunteers to travel to Kenya on 26th Nov 2016. The volunteers will work on a humanitarian project for two weeks. No experience required and no age restrictions. Support and supervision provided. Volunteers will also visit the resting place of the Venerable Edel Quinn. No large fundraising. Volunteers will pay their own costs. If you can assist teaching English, or assist with sports, games, arts, crafts or more, then you can make a real impact on the lives of the poorest and those without hope. Contact Denis Humanitarian Volunteers on 086-8520271.
- <u>Tax Rebate Forms Closing Date</u> There is still a small number of CHY4 forms for 2015 not returned yet. If you still have not returned your form please do so before 1st Sept. We can then submit our claim to Revenue. The Parish benefits greatly from this scheme. We once again thank everyone sincerely for your generous contributions.
- <u>The Catholic Marriage and Counselling Service</u> Accord offers marriage and relationship counselling to anyone who is going through a difficult time. Their fully trained counsellors are there to listen in complete confidence and help to find your solutions to your problems. For more information contact Accord at St John's Pastoral Centre, John's Hill, Waterford, on 051- 878333 or visitwww.accord.ie.
- <u>Good wishes to exam students</u> This is an important time for students, families and those receiving C.A.O. places. We pray that the Holy Spirit will guide you in the decisions you must make. Remember that this is only one stage in the journey of your life and no matter what the results that you receive there are lots of options to bring you to the next stage. *Below is a prayer you may like to say....*

Dear Lord, as I receive these exam results, with my friends and so many others;

I thank you that our value is not based on how we did in this test, but on your Eternal Love for us.

We can walk through this time together. May the breath of your Loving kindness, the Holy Spirit, be my helper and guide in the decisions that lie ahead of me, knowing that no matter what happens today you are always with me. Help me to relish the particular talents you have given me and to embrace your gift of life in all its fullness.

With you there is help and patience. The path ahead may not be easily seen but I trust that you'll find the Way for me through Christ our Lord. Amen Our Lady, Seat of Wisdom, pray for us.

• Last week's Parish Collection: Masses €267.34 and Envelopes €343.00. Thank you for your continued support.