

Dunhill & Fenor Parish Notes, 4th September 2016

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<p>✘ Sunday, September 4th <i>Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time</i></p>	<p>Mass in Dunhill Church at 9.30 a.m.</p>
<p>Monday, September 5th – <i>St Lawrence Giustiniani</i></p>	<p>Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 10.00 a.m.</p>
<p>Tuesday, September 6th – <i>St Bega & Eleutherius</i></p>	<p>Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 10.00 a.m.</p>
<p>Wednesday, September 7th – <i>St Cloud</i> <i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i></p>	<p>Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 10.00 a.m. <i>Dunhill Church from 11.00 a.m. until 12 noon</i></p>
<p>Thursday, September 8th – <i>The Nativity of the BVM</i></p>	<p>Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 10.00 a.m.</p>
<p>Friday, September 9th – <i>St Ciaran</i> <i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i></p>	<p>Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 10.00 a.m. <i>Fenor Church from 11.00 a.m. until 12 noon</i></p>
<p>Saturday, September 10th</p>	<p>Mass in Fenor Church at 6.00 p.m.</p>

- **Acolyte and Alector** Congratulations to Brendan Gallagher who took a further step on his journey to the permanent diaconate last weekend. Surrounded by family and friends, in a ceremony at The Cathedral of the Most Holy Trinity with Bishop Cullinan, Brendan has committed himself to this wonderful ministry of service in the Church. This is a four year preparation journey, and we wish him well. Brendan will return to study in St Patrick's Collage this September for his final year. Please keep Brendan in your prayers!
- **A Lightfever event** will be held in the Cathedral, of the Most Holy Trinity, Waterford on Saturday the 10th September, from 1.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. It is an afternoon of "Open Church" where street missionaries go in pairs onto the streets of Waterford and invite people to come inside and experience a special atmosphere of music, prayer, confession, and candlelight, allowing us spend some time in prayer and adoration before the Blessed Sacrament. Feel free to come and go as you want. www.nighfever.org. All are very welcome.
- Beginning Experience is a worldwide specially designed support programme for men and women who have suffered **the loss of a spouse by death, separation or divorce** to work through the grief process, and to discover for themselves that merely "existing" in life can be transformed into "living" a new life, though a different one. The next weekend is being held at the Ennismore Retreat Centre, Cork from Friday 7th to Sunday 9th October. More details contact 087-98886480 or email: beginningexperiencecork@gmail.com They hold two weekends per year in April and in October and this voluntary ministry has always been fully supported by the Bishop of Cork & Ross over the past 29 years.
- **Blessing of School Bags** for all primary school children. There will be a blessing of school bags at the weekend parish Masses on the 10th and 11th September. *Antoinette Dilworth rsjon on behalf of Bishop Cullinan.*
- Next **Fenor Bingo** Friday 9th Sept at 8.00 p.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.
- A **Rosary Procession** in honour of our Lady's Birthday will take place on Thursday September 8th leaving Ballybricken Green at 7.00 p.m. and will proceed to the Cathedral for a short prayer service. The Barrack Street Concert Band will perform on the Green from 6.30 p.m. to 7.00 p.m. All are welcome.
- On Saturday 17th September, the diocese will host a **Communications information day**, with input from Ms. Brenda Drumm, National Communications Office, Maynooth. The day will be held in St. John's Pastoral Centre, Waterford from 10.30 a.m to 1.00 p.m. She will focus on the importance of websites, facebook, & twitter accounts etc for parish and diocese, and help us see how these wonderful tools can be used more to promote activities and the work that we do. The diocese will also launch its new look website on that date. Each parish is asked to send representatives who help maintain and update websites and facebook accounts to this important day. Book a place at 051-874199 before September 14th.
- With the support and encouragement of Bishop Cullinan, the diocese is obtaining help from the National Apostolate of Eucharistic Adoration to promote, expand and consolidate **Eucharistic Adoration throughout the Diocese**. An information meeting will be held on Saturday 17th September in Hotel Minella, Clonmel. The meeting will begin at 11.00 a.m and will conclude with tea and coffee at 12.30 p.m. There will be a display of suitable materials for Adoration. Kindly reply to the National Apostolate on 087-2478519 if you would like to attend this event.
- **Waterford and South East Samaritans** are recruiting for volunteers and are holding an Information Meeting on Saturday 10th September at 11.00 a.m. in their Beau Street Centre, Waterford. If you have 3-4 hours to spare each week and would like to be part of our service please come along to our information meeting. Please confirm attendance on 01-8920971 and leave a message or email us onwaterfordsamsrecruitment@gmail.com
- **Last week's** Parish Collection: Masses €406.16 and Envelopes €335.50. Thank you for your continued support.