## Dunhill & Fenor Parish Notes, 20th November 2016

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| ★ Sunday, November 20 <sup>th</sup><br>Our Lord Jesus Christ – King of the Universe            | Mass in Dunhill Church at 9.30 a.m.<br>Month's Mind Mass for Father Paul Keane<br>Pray for Eddie Ryan<br>Birthday Remembrance for Georgina Smith |
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| Monday, November 21 <sup>st</sup> – Presentation of BVM  | Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 7.30 a.m. & 10.00 a.m.  |
| Tuesday, November 22 <sup>nd</sup> – St Cecilia  | Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 7.30 a.m. & 10.00 a.m.  |
| <b>Wednesday, November 23<sup>rd</sup></b> – St Columban<br>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament | Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 7.30 a.m. & 10.00 a.m.<br>Dunhill Church from 11.00 a.m. until 12 noon                                    |
| Thursday, November 24 <sup>th</sup> – St Andrew Dung Lac                                       | Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 7.30 a.m. & 10.00 a.m.  |
| <b>Friday, November 25<sup>th</sup></b> – St Catherine<br>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament   | Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 7.30 a.m. & 10.00 a.m.<br>Fenor Church from 11.00 a.m. until 12 noon                                      |
| Saturday, November 26 <sup>th</sup>  | Mass in Fenor Church at 6.00 p.m.<br>Anniversary Mass for John Power   |

- Today the 20<sup>th</sup> November, Mezzo Soprano, Christina O' Flynn with the 60 member choir 'The Deise Singers', will perform a concert of Sacred Arias and songs in Mount Melleray Abbey entitled <u>'His Eye Is On The Sparrow'</u>. Starting at 3.00 p.m. the concert is a special event, marking the close of the Jubilee Year of Mercy, on the feast of Christ the King. Christina will also be launching a C.D. of sacred music. Tickets are on sale at the reception in Mount Melleray. Tickets are €10.00 it is advised that you buy your tickets early.
- Dr Michael Mullins over two evenings will look at the Advent & Christmas readings entitled <u>Opening the Word.</u> The talks will take place in St. John's Pastoral Centre, Waterford, this Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> and Wednesday week 30<sup>th</sup> November starting each evening at 7.30 p.m. All are welcome.
- <u>Fenor Sale of Work</u> will take place next Sunday, November 27<sup>th</sup> in Fenor National School. Donations of items for the spinner and also cakes will be gratefully received as well as books and unwanted items for the bric-a-brac stall. Items can be left into Fenor National School or the Sacristy in Fenor Church anytime until the week of the event. Tickets are now on sale for the Fenor hamper worth €1500. If anyone can help in any other way, please contact any committee member.
- <u>Tramore & Carbally Parish Afternoon Tea Dance</u> In- aid of the Church Restoration Fund next Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> November from 3.00 p.m. 6.00 p.m. in O' Sheas Hotel, Tramore Sandwiches, cakes, tea and coffee will be served. Music and dancing to Pat Daly & Special Guest. Plus! you could win some lovely raffle prizes Tickets costing €10.00 are available from the Parish Office in Tramore.
- <u>Priory Institute</u>: For those who are interested, we are delighted to offer an Online Advent Retreat this year featuring a series of four online reflections given over four weeks in preparation for Christmas. A different speaker will offer each reflection online. Application deadline is this Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November. Cost: €30.00 Further information 01 404 8132 E-mail advent.retreat@priopryinstitute.com Web: <u>www.prioryinstitute.com</u>
- The <u>Annual Community Care Christmas Party</u> takes place on Sunday, December 11<sup>th</sup> starting at 1.30 p.m. in the G.A.A. Centre, Dunhill. It is always a great occasion when the seniors in our community come together. We hope that all the usual volunteers will help out and new volunteers are always welcome.
- Is Someone Else's Gambling Affecting Your Life? <u>Gam-Anon</u> is a fellowship of men and women who have been affected by the gambling problems of a loved one. Meetings take place every Thursday night at St. Brigid's Centre, Lower Yellow Road, Waterford starting at 7.30 p.m. Come join with them. People have been too alone, afraid, and unable to cope but through Gam-Anon they have found their way back to a normal way of thinking and living. Contact 086-1245811 for more details.
- <u>A Blessing for Our Families</u> May our family be a home to love, kindness and affection. May we learn, grow and be proud of each other. And when we're older, may we always remember the warmth of our family and keep in touch no matter where we are.
- <u>Live the Word</u> In the build up to the festive season, remember Christmas is a symbolic tradition. It is not centred on the pressures of having everything done and the list ticked. Rather, Christmas is a season where we have the opportunity to meet old friends, spend time with family, connect to those around us, and embrace the happiness. Christmas is a time to slow down, reflect and be present to the joy that surrounds us.
- Last week's Parish Collection: Masses €367.47 and Envelopes €417.40. Thank you for your continued support.