

# Dunhill & Fenor Parish Notes, January 15<sup>th</sup> 2017

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<p>☒ <b>Sunday, January 15<sup>th</sup></b> <i>Second Sunday in Ordinary Time</i></p>	<p><b>Mass in Dunhill Church at 9.30 a.m.</b> <i>Anniversary Mass for Joseph &amp; Marian O’Keeffe</i> <i>Pray for Patrick Gooney &amp; the Gooney Family</i></p>
<p><b>Monday, January 16<sup>th</sup></b> – <i>St Fursa, Abbot</i></p>	<p>Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 10.00 a.m.</p>
<p><b>Tuesday, January 17<sup>th</sup></b> – <i>St Anthony, Abbot</i></p>	<p>Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 10.00 a.m.</p>
<p><b>Wednesday, January 18<sup>th</sup></b> – <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><b>Thursday, January 19<sup>th</sup></b> – <i>St Wulstan</i></p>	<p>Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 10.00 a.m.</p>
<p><b>Friday, January 20<sup>th</sup></b> – <i>St Fabian</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><b>Saturday, January 21<sup>st</sup></b></p>	<p><b>Mass in Fenor Church at 6.00 p.m.</b> <i>Anniversary Mass Gay Hearn</i> <i>Pray for James Chapman</i></p>

- The priests would like to **thank you** for your continued support and contribution to the recent Christmas Collection. Your generosity is greatly appreciated. May we also take this opportunity to thank everyone who was involved at our Christmas liturgies, those who decorated and cleaned the churches, and to the sacristans, ministers, readers, servers, choirs, singers and musicians who all enhanced our liturgies. We wish you every good wish and blessing for 2017.
- **The Irish Blood Transfusion Service** will be visiting Waterford with their mobile blood donation clinic, they will be at the Holy Cross National School, Tramore tomorrow Monday 16<sup>th</sup> January from 5.00 p.m. to 8.30 p.m. 1 in 4 people need blood but only 1 in 33 give blood. It is important that we all remember that patients always need our blood and this need never stops regardless of what else is going on in the world. For more information visit [www.giveblood.ie](http://www.giveblood.ie)
- The **Parish Pastoral Council** is actively seeking new members, new faces bring new ideas" If you have thoughts on how we can make our Parish a better unit, a focal point for all the different strands of our community, that would promote the participation of more parishioners in the affairs of the Parish. Then The Parish Pastoral Council wants to hear from you. Our **next meeting** will take place this Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> January at 8.00 p.m. in the Library, of Dunhill Educational Centre. For further information, please contact Martin Middleton on 085-7150090.
- Dunhill Multi Education Centre is delighted to welcome the return of their very popular **Winter Lecture Series 2017** with Julian Walton. The series kicked off last week and will continue this Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> January at 8.00 p.m. with Marianna Lorenc: "To walk the invisible" Lord Hume Tristram De la Poer Beresford (1908-1941).The series runs for ten weeks and will finish on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> March. Full list of all ten lectures is available on [www.dunhilleducation.com](http://www.dunhilleducation.com) or by calling 396934.They look forward to welcoming you back again and hopefully see some new faces too!
- Fenor **Bingo Night** returns this Friday, 20<sup>th</sup> January at 8.00 p.m. in Fenor School. All are welcome to this great night.
- Mass for **deceased members of Fenor Sale of Work** will take place on Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> January in Fenor Church at 6 p.m.
- The Parish Office is now open after the Christmas season. If you need to contact **Dunhill Church** office for any reason the opening hours are: Monday to Thursday from 9.30 a.m. to 2.00 p.m. and Friday 9.30 a.m. to 12 noon. Phone number is 396892. Note that any inclusions to the weekly newsletter must be in before 12 noon on Wednesday.
- You will find an extra yellow envelope in your box at home for next week entitled '**Parish Development Fund**'. It is necessary to have two extra collections again this year, in January and June for the general upkeep and maintenance of both Church buildings.
- Don't forget to keep registering for the **11<sup>th</sup> Anne Valley Challenge** on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> February. There is a special online price of €10. A good day out is guaranteed and there will be lots of prize categories. It has been voted in the top six short races in Ireland. Shower facilities available and refreshments will be served afterwards in Harney's bar. Also each year we have a walking event, so you really have no excuse not to turn up and take part. Registration can be done on the day in Harney's bar from 9.00 a.m. or online at [www.annevalleyrunning.webs.com](http://www.annevalleyrunning.webs.com)
- **The Bank of Time** Every morning of our lives the Bank of Time credits us with 86,400 seconds. Every night, it rules off as lost those seconds we have failed to invest to good purpose. No balance can be carried over. No overdraft is allowed. If we fail to use the day's deposit, the loss is ours. There is not going back and there is no drawing against tomorrow. It is up to each of us to invest this precious fund of hours, minutes and seconds in order to get from it the utmost in health, happiness and success. How immensely valuable is each new God given day!
- **Last week's** Parish Collection: Masses €301.93 and Envelopes €373.60. Thank you for your continued support.