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▼ Sunday, March 19 th Third Sunday of Lent	Mass in Dunhill Church at 9.30 a.m. Anniversary Mass for Séan, Joe & John Kavanagh Pray for Jimmy Cullinane
Monday, March 20 th – St Joseph	Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 7.30 a.m. & 10.00 a.m.
Tuesday, March 21st – St Enda	Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 7.30 a.m. & 10.00 a.m.
Wednesday, March 22 nd – Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 7.30 a.m. & 10.00 a.m. Dunhill Church from 11.00 a.m. until 12 noon
Thursday, March 23 rd – St Turibius	Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 7.30 a.m. & 10.00 a.m.
Friday, March 24 th – St Macartan Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 7.30 a.m. & 10.00 a.m. Fenor Church from 11.00 a.m. until 12 noon
Saturday, March 25 th	Mass in Fenor Church at 6.00 p.m. Anniversary Mass for Jimmy & Josephine Gough Pray for Agnes Burns

- During Lent, as part of our Wednesday Service, we will celebrate the **Stations of the Cross** each Wednesday beginning at 11.00 a.m. Why not make an effort to join us for this prayer time?
- A reminder For all Extra- Ordinary Ministers of the Eucharistic. The omit resecule training that Bishop Cullinan has requested for all Ministers to attend for an evening of in-service training, will take place on Thursday 23rd March at 7.30 p.m in St Paul's Parish Centre Lisduggan. This is for existing Ministers and also for those training to become Extra-Ordinary Ministers Eucharistic.
- Fr. Michael Mullins DD will reflect on the scripture readings for Holy Week 'The Readings of Holy Week' in St. John's Pastoral Centre, John's Hill, Waterford this Thursday, 23rd of March, following this there will be another evening on Thursday March 30th, starting at 7.30 p.m. Donation of €5.00 including light refreshments.
- The Julian Walton Winter Lecture Series concludes this Thursday, March 23rd in the Dunhill Multi-Education Centre at the usual time of 8.00 p.m. This last lecture will be a "Surprise". Admission €5.00 includes refreshments.
- Fenor Bingo: Every second Friday night there is Bingo in our Fenor School Hall. It has been running for well over two years and is one of the main fundraising events in our village. It is a chance to win some cash. It is also a great social gathering. Its future depends on your support. The next bingo will take place this Friday night March 24th starting at 8.00 p.m. We thank you for your great support and the very loyal and committed group of volunteers who run the bingo Spread the word about our Bingo, tell your friends about it. All very welcome.
- The colour purple is the symbolic colour used in some churches throughout Lent, for drapes and altar frontals. It is used for two reasons: firstly because it is associated with mourning and so anticipates the pain and suffering of the crucifixion, and secondly because purple is the colour associated with royalty, and celebrates Christ's resurrection and sovereignty.
- Thought for the week If you wouldn't write it and sign it, don't say it.
- Humanitarian Volunteers are looking for volunteers to travel to Kenya on 15th June 2017. 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 086 8520271.
- The Catholic Marriage and Counselling Service 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 visit www.accord.ie.
- Reflection for Families: Children adapt to change. They love the excitement of something new. As parents, however, we'd like to slow down the changes we see – changes in our community, our jobs, government, and even the changes in our growing children. As it was for the disciples, it's hard sometimes for us to understand and accept things changing in front of our eyes. However, change and constant motion are part of the divine plan as we journey to God. Today, instead of digging in our heels to slow the change, try lightening your heart as a child and accept with joy, the changes you face.
- Last week's Parish Collection: Masses €355.15 and Envelopes €451.65. Thank you for your continued support.