

Dunhill & Fenor Parish Notes 27th October 2019



Today in our newsletter as part of Mission month we remember another one of the great people from our parish who served for many years in the Missions

Sr Kathleen Veale, Good Shepherd Sister.

In 1943 Kathleen Veale joined the Good Shepherd Apostolic Centre which prepared young women to work in different countries. In 1950 she made her Profession, spent some time in the Mother House in France, returned to Ireland and studied in UCC for her H.Dip in Education. In 1951 she left for Sri Lanka, for 27 years worked as a teacher in Colombo, then with Sri Lankan Contemplatives, made a foundation in Bolawalana, Negombo. She later led the Community at Nayakakanda in their work with disturbed teenagers.

Sr Kathleen's last mission in Sri Lanka was that of Rural Development with a little Community of Sisters, who pioneered an Agriculture Training Farm at Hanwella. The farm included a Sericulture Project aimed at providing employment after training. Students were trained in the rearing of the silk worm, to finished silk cloth. While on holidays in Ireland in 1978 Kathleen was invited to pioneer a new Mission to Madagascar. The Dunhill Parish supported this venture generously by a Charity walk, having several Cake Sales and even dancing for Madagascar. This financial and moral support from home meant a lot to the new Mission, and Kathleen is eternally grateful. For the next 21 years Kathleen devoted herself to the Malagasy youth. Learning a new language was no trouble and earned a special name locally Rasoamampihavana or simply - "The Lady who makes friends". Many young Malagasy women joined the Congregation over the years so Sr. Catherine decided that she could retire to Ireland in the Millennium Year as the good work she had begun, would be in safe hands for the future. She is now stationed in Waterford Good Shepherd Sisters and helps the Refugees and Asylum Seekers who need to be befriended in Ireland.

Friday is the First Friday of November and Deacon Gallagher will be visiting the sick and housebound with the Blessed Sacrament. If you, or anyone you know, would like to receive Holy Communion contact Brendan on 086-2641547 as soon as possible.

Last week's Parish Collection: Masses €353.96 Envelopes €605.05. Thank you for your continued support.

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Saturday, October 26 th	Mass in Fenor Church at 6.00 p.m. Anniversary Mass for Meave Keating
Sunday, October 27 th	Mass in Dunhill Church at 9.30 a.m. Anniversary Mass for Michael White Pray for Nellie Burns
Thursday October 31st	Vigil Mass in Fenor Church at 6.00 p.m.
November 1st All Saint's Day	Mass in Dunhill Church at 9.30 a.m.
Saturday, November 2 nd	Mass in Fenor Church at 6.00 p.m. Anniversary Mass for Michael & Pauline, Mick & Bridget Hutchinson
Sunday, November 3 rd	Mass in Dunhill Church at 9.30 a.m. Anniversary Mass for Emmie Hartley Pray for the Allen Family

A DFBA Community Alert Meeting will be held on Wednesday 30th October at 8.00 pm in the Dunhill Community Hall.

Guest speakers include: Sgt. Brendan Roche - Crime Prevention Officer and Niall Curtin - Chief Fire Officer. Please support this community event and bring a friend.

Dunhill Multi Education Centre Supervised Study. Mid-term break special offer – Tuesday 29th October to Friday 1st November – available 10am to 4 pm daily – €10.00 per day and bring a friend for free. Advanced booking advised. Contact us for more information on 051 396934 or Facebook@dunhilleducation

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Wednesday Dunhill Church, Friday Fenor Church (both from 11.00 a.m. until 12 noon)

Daily Mass: Holy Cross Church, Tramore at 7.30 a.m. & 10.00 a.m.



Parish Office hours Wed 9.30 am to 14.00 pm. 396892