

Dunhill & Fenor Parish Notes, 06th July 2014

☒ Sunday, July 06th	Mass in Dunhill Church at 9.30 a.m.
Monday, July 07th <i>St Maelruain, Bishop and Abbot</i>	Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 7.30 a.m. & 10.00 a.m.
Tuesday, July 08th - <i>St. Killian, Bishop & Martyr</i>	Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 7.30 a.m. & 10.00 a.m.
Wednesday, July 09th <i>Ss Augustine Zhao Rong and Companions</i> <i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	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, July 10th	Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 7.30 a.m. & 10.00 a.m.
Friday, July 11th – <i>St Elizabeth of Portugal</i> <i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	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, July 12th – <i>Blessed Virgin Mary</i>	Mass in Fenor Church at 6.00 p.m.

- Thanks to all who contributed to last week's **Annual Collection for the Needs of the Diocese & Peter's Pence**. We raised €642.00 in this parish and your generosity is greatly appreciated as it facilitates diocese in providing services such as Cura, Accord, Family Ministry, Child Safeguarding, and other diocesan ministries and ventures.
- The annual **Mass at St. Declan's Holy Well**, Toor, Aglish will take place on Thursday 24th July. This is an annual Mass in honour of St. Declan and will be celebrated on his feast day. All are welcome.
- The national **Pilgrimage to Croagh Patrick** on Ireland's holy mountain will take place on Sunday 27th July. Around 25,000 pilgrims climb this holy mountain, many in their bare feet. Pilgrims can avail of the Sacrament of Reconciliation on the summit from 7.30 a.m. to 2.00 p.m. Mass will be celebrated every half hour beginning at 8:00 a.m. with the final Mass commencing at 2.00 p.m.
- The **Fr. Colm O'Brien Memorial Cycle** is now in its 5th year and participant numbers continue to grow. The event will take place on Saturday, August 9th, attracting hundreds of cyclists each year who experience a fun and rewarding day, whilst at the same time fundraising for some very worthy causes. To date thanks to your support they have raised in excess of €57,000. The cycle will start at Saints Peter & Paul's Church, Clonmel at 11.00 a.m. and travel directly to the G.A.A. centre in Tramore (60 kms). Participants may choose the shorter cycle from The Kingfisher Centre to Tramore (10 kms). This year all funds raised will be donated to Waterford Hospice and South Tipperary Hospice. Registration and information at: www.frcolmobrienmemorialcycle.com.
- This year's **Youth 2000 Summer Festival** will take place in Cistercian College, Roscrea, Co Tipperary from Thursday 14th to Sunday 17th August 2014. This is a four day celebration of faith for young people aged 16-35. There is an action packed programme of inspiring talks, workshops, testimonies, prayer, music, drama and much more. The main speaker this year will be Fr. John Harris OP who is an excellent communicator, a good character and a priest who really knows how to meet young people. For more information contact www.youth2000.ie.
- **On Wealth** One day an Indian boy found a large pearl which he thought to be priceless. Now he knew his worries were over. He would never have to work again in his life. But when the boy tried to sell the pearl, the buyers put him off. In the days ahead, the boy was attacked several times. Now he knew the pearl buyers were out to rob him and possibly kill him. He had a choice to make, between the pearl and his life. With the pearl buyers looking on, the boy went down to the beach, took the pearl and threw it into the sea as far as he could. *What hold do material possessions have on you?*
Bereavement Support is available in Waterford, Dungarvan, Cappoquin and Clonmel, as part of the services provided by the Family Ministry Office at St. John's Pastoral Centre, John's Hill, Waterford. This service reaches out to all families in the Diocese of Waterford and Lismore. The Bereavement Support Workers are trained in the skills involved in helping people through the bereavement process and work to a strict code of ethics which includes confidentiality. Contact the Family Ministry Bereavement Support Office 051-858772.
- Many gardens are in full bloom at the moment and we would really appreciate **donations of flowers** for use in the churches during the weeks ahead. Just drop them into the sacristy in good time for any weekend.
- **Notices for this Newsletter** are welcome from community groups and organisations (on a non-profit making basis) but must be submitted by Wednesday at 10.00 a.m. Remember also that you can post your notice on our Facebook page at www.facebook.com/DunhillAndFenorParish.
- Last week's **Parish Collection**: Masses €344.13 & Envelopes €574. Thank you for your continued support.