

<p>☒ Sunday, September 14th <i>Twenty Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i></p>	<p>Mass in Dunhill Church at 9.30 a.m.</p>
<p>Monday, September 15th – <i>Our Lady of Sorrows</i></p>	<p>Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 7.30 a.m. & 10.00 a.m.</p>
<p>Tuesday, September 16th – <i>Ss Cornelius, Pope</i></p>	<p>Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 7.30 a.m. & 10.00 a.m.</p>
<p>Wednesday, September 17th – <i>St Robert Bellarmine</i> <i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i></p>	<p>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</p>
<p>Thursday, September 18th –</p>	<p>Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 7.30 a.m. & 10.00 a.m.</p>
<p>Friday, September 19th – <i>St Januarius, bishop</i> <i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i></p>	<p>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</p>
<p>Saturday, September 20th</p>	<p>Mass in Fenor Church at 6.00 p.m.</p>

- We deeply appreciate the very generous financial support given by the people of the parish to the priests of the diocese and to the **Parish Envelope System** which enables us to keep your churches in the condition in which you would expect to find them. Using the Parish Envelope system to make your contribution has many advantages. It ensures you can avail of a personal receipt annually. It enhances the transparency of our Parish Accounts by ensuring a ‘paper trail’ exists. It qualifies our parish for the ‘Tax Refund Scheme’, but that said, support in whatever form it is received, is very much appreciated. You may be aware that the Minister of Finance introduced in 2001 a new ‘Scheme of Tax Relief for Donations to Eligible Charities’, for which our parish qualifies. The tax rebate can only be claimed by the parish if the donation equals €250 or more in a full tax year. Those of you who have contributed this amount or more during the year should expect a letter during the coming week explaining how we can reclaim money from the Government at no further cost to you. We know you will understand that money dropped directly into the basket cannot be utilised in this scheme as it is not traceable back to the donor. That is why the envelope system (or payment by Direct Debit or cheque) is so beneficial to the parish. If you receive this appeal, please complete the documents and return them to the Parish Office as soon as possible. **This scheme is completely confidential and will not affect your current tax situation in any way.**
- Do you want to learn how to send and receive emails, pay bills on line and use social media? Tramore Education Centre has an **Introduction to the Internet** course starting this Friday 19th September. The course is free of charge.
- **Music Ministry Meetings And Rehearsals** Our Diocesan Liturgical music director, Mary Dee, will begin a series of rehearsals and practices of new hymns, psalms and Mass responses which will be brought into our liturgies in the coming weeks. There will be a number of these gatherings for all members and musicians of our parish choirs and singers. They begin on Wednesday 24th September starting at 3.30 p.m. in Holy Cross Church, Tramore. All members of our liturgical music groups are invited and encouraged to attend. New members also very welcome!
- The annual **Legion of Mary Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine** will take place on Sunday September 28th. A coach departs from the Hypermarket at 6.50 a.m. and the fare is €20.00. For more details contact May on 087-7148100.
- **The Autumn of Life** The Autumn leaves can dazzle us with their magnificent colours; deep red, purple, yellow, gold, bronze, in countless variations and combinations. Then, shortly after having shown their unspeakable beauty, they fall to the ground and die. Likewise, the autumn of life has the potential to be very colourful. Wisdom, humour, care, patience and joy may bloom splendidly just before we die. Let us be grateful for the beauty we saw in nature and wait hopefully for a new spring
- **Beginning Experience** is a specially designed support programme for men and women who have suffered the loss of a spouse by death, separation or divorce to help work through the grief process, and to discover for themselves that merely "existing" in life can be transformed into "living" a new life, though a different one. A weekend is being held in the Ennismore Retreat Centre, Cork from Friday 17th October to Sunday 19th October 2014. This very beneficial weekend to assist bereaved people in their journey through grief. For application forms and further details please contact 087-9886480 or email beginningexperiencecork@gmail.com
- **A Kindergarten teacher** was observing her classroom of children while they were drawing. She would occasionally walk around to see each child's work. As she got to one little girl who was working diligently, she asked what the drawing was. The girl replied, "I'm drawing God." The teacher paused and said, "But no one knows what God looks like." Without even looking up from her drawing, the girl replied, "They will in a minute!"
- **Get the best out of Life** I asked God, "How do I get the best out of Life." God said: "Face your past without regrets; handle your present with confidence and prepare for the future without fear."
- Last week's **Parish Collection**: Masses €359.58 & Envelopes €575.80. Thank you for your continued support.