

Dunhill & Fenor Parish Notes, 19th July 2015

✠ Sunday, July 19th <i>Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	Mass in Dunhill Church at 9.30 a.m.
Monday, July 20th	Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 10.00 a.m.
Tuesday, July 21st – <i>St Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest</i>	Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 10.00 a.m.
Wednesday, July 22nd – <i>St Mary Magdalene</i> <i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 10.00 a.m. <i>Dunhill Church from 11.00 a.m. until 12 noon</i>
Thursday, July 23rd – <i>St Bridget of Sweden</i>	Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 10.00 a.m.
Friday, July 24th – <i>St Declan of Ardmore</i> <i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	Mass in Holy Cross Church, Tramore, at 10.00 a.m. <i>Fenor Church from 11.00 a.m. until 12 noon</i>

- The **Sacristans Collection** for the sacristan in each Church will be taken up this weekend 18th and 19th July. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.
- Thanks to all who joined us for the **Annual Cemetery Mass** in Dunhill on Tuesday, and to those who provided the refreshments. This is a time when we remember in prayer the many people who have been laid to rest over the years. The Mass in Fenor Cemetery will be celebrated this Tuesday evening, July 16th, at 7.30 p.m.
- **National Pilgrimage to Croagh Patrick 2015. Garland Friday – July 24th (Local Pilgrimage)**
Mass on the summit at 10.00a.m. Mass in Croagh Patrick car park at 7.30p.m.
Reek Sunday- 26th July
Confessions on the summit from 7.30a.m – 2.00p.m
Mass on the summit every half hour from 8.00a.m -2.00p.m.
- Thanks to those who have completed and returned their **Tax Refund Scheme** certificates. If you received this appeal from the parish and have not yet returned your forms please do so as soon as possible.
- **Fr Colm O'Brien Memorial Cycle 2015** will take place this year on Saturday Aug 8th The main cycle will start from St Peters and Pauls Church, Clonmel at 11.00 a.m. and go directly to Tramore. There will also be a shorter option, this cycle will start from The Kingfisher, Tramore Road at 13.30p.m. and will go directly to Tramore. This year the proceeds go to Pieta House. To register for the cycle please visit the website; www.frcolmmemorialcycle.com We would like to take this opportunity to thank you all for your continued support for Fr Colm's Memorial Cycle and look forward to seeing you on Aug 8th.
- This year's **Youth 2000 Summer Festival** will take place in Cistercian College, Roscrea, Co Tipperary from Thursday 13th to Sunday 16th August. For young people aged 16-35 years, an opportunity not to be missed to experience the Catholic faith and meet many new people. This Festival has been nicknamed the "Holy Oxygen" with over 1,000 young people from all corners of Ireland attending last year. The festival is donation only. Free buses available from towns throughout Ireland. For more information see www.youth2000.ie or phone 01-6753690.
- **Team Leaders and Collectors Required** Barnardos Children's Charity are looking for volunteers to help collect funds during their national collection day "Buckets for Barnardos" taking place on Friday 18th September. Volunteers can either help with an organised bag pack, or join them on the streets shaking buckets in locations throughout Waterford. All money raised on the day will help disadvantaged children and their families in communities around Ireland. Every hour of your time counts so please give what you can. To get involved please contact Gráinne on 1850 217 217 or email buckets@barnardos.ie
- **Bringing theology home.** Theology matters! Join our enthusiastic student community and study theology from home or in class. Application deadline is 21st September 2015. Phone 01 4048124. E-mail: enquiries@priorsinstitute.com Web: www.priorsinstitute.ie
- **Reflection for Families:** How many times do we shy away from saying what we know to be the truth? We may see a co-worker, a relative, or friend making some poor decisions. Or we may witness injustices in our society. It's easier to turn our heads in the other direction and not get involved. After all, our lives are going fairly well and someone else's mistakes or misfortunes don't really affect us. But don't they? We are answerable first to God, but we also need to keep in mind that our children are watching (and will eventually imitate) our every move. As difficult as it is, it is our responsibility to show them how to be strong and courageous even when our words and actions might be unpopular.
- Last week's **Parish Collection** : Masses €404.17 & Envelopes €432.20 Thank you for your continued support.