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St. Senan's Parish Newsletter

Sunday, 30th March 2025

Safeguarding Representatives

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THANK YOU

Priest Envelopes €590

(First Collection)

Parish Envelopes €455

(Second Collection)

PARISH WEBSITE

Integrated webcam and payment facility

St. Senan's Church has a live webcam streaming 24 hours a day. The Camera is focused on the Sanctuary and front seats of the old part of the church. Compliant with all GDPR requirements.

<https://stsenansenniscorthy.ie>

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, 30th March

Vigil

Pat (The Champ) Canavan
(Months Mind)
John Leacy (First Anniversary)
Baby Kayden (A)
Jack Dunbar (Birth Rem)

11am

Elizabeth Wall (A)
John Freeman (A)
Natalie Freeman (A)

Weekday Masses

Monday – 7pm

Special Intention

Tuesday – 7pm

Mass of Thanksgiving

Sunday, 6th April

Vigil

Eileen Robinson (A)
Kathleen O'Dwyer (A)
Jane Kenny (A)

11am

Mary Whitford (First
Anniversary)

SPLIT THE POT

Congratulations to Callum Hutchinson - €153 last week's winner. €2 weekly, the winner gets half the money raised. Envelopes available in the church, enclose your money, write your name and number, and place it in the box marked 'Split the Pot'. Thank you for your weekly support.

Calling Young People to Serve!

We are excited to introduce a new Altar Service in St. Senan's Parish and invite young people from 3rd Class and up to consider becoming an Altar Server at our weekend

Masses:

Saturday – 7:00pm

Sunday – 11:00am

Safeguarding will be a top priority, and all necessary measures will be in place to ensure a safe and welcoming environment for everyone. For more information or to express interest, please contact the parish office.

Summertime Begins

Don't forget that time springs forward one hour this Sunday 30th of March as Summertime begins. We have one less hour in bed, but we look forward to the brighter and longer spring and summer days ahead.

Jubilee of the Sick

A liturgy for the Jubilee of the sick, people with disabilities, carers and healthcare workers will take place on Wednesday 9th April at 3pm in Clonard Church. The liturgy will include the

Sacrament of Anointing. All are welcome to attend.

FAMILY CARERS IRELAND

Are you caring for a loved one at home with additional needs? A spouse, partner, child, close relative or neighbour? Then you are a family carer! Become a member of Family Carers Ireland, the national charity supporting Ireland's 500,000+ family carers nationwide. Contact 057 93 70221 and hear how we can support you or for more info visit www.familycarers.ie

Easter Enniscorthy Pastoral Area

St. Aidans / St. Senans / Marshalstown / Castledockrell

Sunday, 13th April

Reconciliation Service 7pm St. Aidans

Tuesday, 14th April

Chrism Mass 7.30pm St Aidan's

– please note no 7pm Mass in St. Senans

Holy Thursday

Morning Prayer 10am St. Aidans

Mass of the Lords Supper 6pm St Aidan's followed by Adoration at the Altar of Repose

Mass of the Lords Supper 7pm St Senans followed by Adoration until 9pm

Mass of the Lord's Supper 7:30pm Marshalstown

Good Friday

Morning Prayer 10am St. Aidans followed by Confessions

Commemoration of the Lord's Passion 3pm in St Aidans

Commemoration of the Lord's Passion 3pm in Castledockrell

Stations of the Cross 5pm walking to Vinegar Hill from St. Senans Church (weather permitting)

Prayer around the Cross 7.30pm in St Aidans

Holy Saturday

Easter Vigil 7pm St Senans

Easter Vigil 8pm Marshalstown

Easter Vigil 9pm St Aidans

Easter Sunday

6am Sunrise Mass on Vinegar Hill (weather permitting)

9:30am Castledockrell

10am St Aidans

11am St Senans

12noon St Aidan's

St. Senan's Church Crucifix Restoration

(Erected in 1866)

Total Cost of Restoration €9,000

Fundraising to date

- Captain Weafer Hall €3,500

- Parish to date €5,305 thank you

Envelopes are available and we would ask you to please consider donating.

Mothers Day

We wish all mother's grandmothers and great grandmothers a very Happy Mother's Day. We thank God for all that you do for us, and may God bless you in abundance for all that you do and for all the care and love you give us. We remember in a special way all mothers and grandmothers gone home to God to be with Our Spiritual Mother Mary and her Son in the heavenly kingdom may they rest in Peace.

Prayer

Mother Mary,
you are the heavenly mother of us all.
Today we pray and celebrate our earthly mothers,
Those who are about to become mothers.
Or those who are grieving for the loss of a child.
Or those who cannot have a child,
The foster and adoptive mothers who give so much love,
Aunts who are always there for us,
Grandmothers who spoil us and share their experience,
These are the ones who raised us from birth,
Who taught us love and respect!
Who guided us when uncertain of ourselves!
Who showed us right from wrong?
And shared their faith with us.
Those are the ones who cared for us through sickness,
And stayed up late at night waiting on us to return home,
Who gave all to give us the best!
Today we honour them, we thank them.
For everything they sacrificed, the tears they cried,
The love they gave. Amen.

READERS

Sunday, 6th April

Vigil: Aidan Ryan

11am: Jimmy Gahan

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Sunday, 6th April

Vigil: Nancy O'Reilly

11am: Patricia Hyland

Castlegardens

Eucharistic Minister

Sunday, 6th April

Marian Dowling

New Rotas will be emailed or posted in the coming week.