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. You can watch Mass and services live by going to

https://stsenansenniscorthy.ie

All Masses available to view on the Website

St. Senan's Parish Newsletter

Sunday, 21st November 2021 Presbytery 053 92 37611 Parish Office 053 92 61729 Mobile 086 7913919

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MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, 21st November Vigil

Tommy & Matty Connolly (Rem) Larry, Jack, Kathleen, Matthew &

Ellen Connolly (Rem) Breda Cahill (A)

Jim Ryan (A)

Mary & Patrick O'Connor (A)

9.00am

John Murphy (A)

11.00am

Vigil

Breda Kenny (A)

Liam Doyle (A)

11.00am

Tom Morrissey (A)

Paddy Kenny (Birth Rem)

Sarah (Sadie) Larkin (A)

Michael & Pat Farrell (A)

Sunday, 28th November

THANK YOU

Parish Envelopes -€680

Priests Envelopes -€665

East Africa Hunger Crisis TROCAIRE EMERGENCY APPEAL CHURCH COLLECTION

Donations to date amount to €895 following the recent appeal. Thanks to those who contributed so generously.

Confirmation Ceremonies 2022

In light of the uncertainty around Covid-19 the Diocese recommends that Confirmation in 2022 be administered by the Parish Priest. Parish Confirmation date to follow

REMEMBERING OUR DEAD

A word of thanks to those who have returned their

November Offering. Please include the names of those to be prayed for in the November Offering Envelope and it will be placed in the book of remembrance. If you have mislaid your envelope any envelope will do, please mark it 'November Offering'.

THE HOOK OF FAITH

Noelie Hyland (A) RECENTLY DECEASED

We commend to the fullness of eternal

Marks Redmond, 32 Vinegar Hill Vs. Grant them eternal rest, O Lord.

The annual 'Week of Witness' is an initiative of 'Aid to the Church in Need' that highlights the real life experience of thousands of Christians who suffer persecution for their faith. It takes place this year from 22nd to 28th November and we mark the occasion with resources and articles. We have a homily for the Feast of Christ the King where Pilate raises the ever-relevant question for our time 'Truth, what is that?' We have the usual newsletter insert and an article that looks back on 'Science Week' that took place from 7th to 14th of this month. We have a video on the theology of the saints and an article on St Columbanus, one of the greatest Irish missionaries abroad whose feast day falls on 23rd November. Check out these and other resources available at www.thehookoffaith.com

PARISH OFFICE

Monday* Wednesday & Friday 10am - 1pm and 2pm - 5pm (closed for lunch 1pm - 2pm) Tuesday and Thursday 10am - 2pm Parish Office (Linda) 053 9261729

*Linda is in the Presbytery on Monday mornings.

Christmas Cards

Christmas Cards are now available from the Parish Office, pack of 7 mixed cards for €5 or you can choose any of our images.

We also have an extensive range of signed Christmas Mass Bouquets available.

Medjugorje

Occasionally, I ask a question about someone, usually about a serious matter such as a terminal illness or family problem.

In the early days, Our Lady allowed us to ask more questions, perhaps so we could get to know her better.

Later, she still allowed questions, but somehow I knew what I should and shouldn't ask her even before I opened my mouth.

Towards the end of the apparition, she gently raises her hand and says, "In the name of my Son, I give you my motherly blessing."

She puts a slight emphasis on the word "motherly." (Mirjana stresses "slight")

But Our Lady stresses that the blessing of a priest is the blessing of her Son.

Unlike the way a priest gives a blessing, Our Lady does not make the sign of the Cross, she only raises her hand.

She usually concludes by saying, "Pray, pray, pray," and then she rises into the blueness, almost as if being vacuumed away.

Mirjana Soldo describing some of the details of an apparition.

Learn to love
without condition,
talk without bad intention,
give without any reason,
and most of all,
care for people
without any
expectation.

MEDJUGORJE PILGRIMAGE Tuesday, 19th - 26th April 2022

Cost €695 with a €50 discount if booked before 31st January 2022

- Return Day flights from Dublin
- 7 nights air-conditioned accommodation near to St. James' Church
- Freshly prepared breakfast and dinner each day
 - · Luxury coach transfers with local guide
- Full Religious programme operated by Marian Pilgrimages
- Assistance of Marian Pilgrimages rep. with 24hr support throughout your stay.
 - Travel Insurance up to 84 years of age
 - · All airport and local taxes
 - Early booking discount is included in price (prices are per person sharing)

Christmas Raffle

We have launched our raffle to raise much needed funds for the day to day running of the parish. First prize is a trailer load of firewood and four additional prizes of luxury hampers, each valued at €100.00.

Tickets are on sale - €2 each or a book of three for €5. As always, I ask for your gracious support - by buying a ticket or two and by selling as many tickets as you can!



Reminder we will have a number of public events in the town centre in the coming weeks when we're planning to sell tickets and we'll need ticket sellers at each event. Perhaps you might be able to give us an hour

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Sunday, 28th November

Vigil 7pm: Jer Moynihan 9.00am: Patrick Lambert 11.00am: Denis Levingston

<u>READERS</u>

Sunday, 28th November

Vigil 7pm: Kay Doyle 9.00am: John Dunne 11.00am: Peg Doyel or two at one or more event. Please contact the Parish Office, Fr. Paddy, or any member of the Finance Committee: Eugene Doyle, Aidan Ryan, Anne Dobbs, Patrick Lambert, Paddy Gahan and Albert O'Callaghan.