

PASTORAL AREA CLERGY

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St. Senan's Parish Newsletter

Sunday, 24th September 2023

THANK YOU

Parish Envelopes
- €555

Priests Envelopes
- €670

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>

New Volunteer Ministries in the Diocese of Ferns

The Diocese of Ferns is developing openings for new lay volunteer ministries in the Diocese. Training programmes will begin soon. These new ministries, open to women and men, will be of interest to those already involved or those wishing to be more involved in the life of their local Church community. They will involve lay people working side by side with priests in key ministries in parishes and pastoral areas.

You are invited to attend one of the following Information Sessions on Lay Ministry

Monday 25th Sept – Camolin Parish Hall 7pm

Wednesday 27th Sept – Seamus Rafter Suite, Riverside Park Hotel, Enniscorthy 7.30pm

Monday 9th Oct – New Ross Pastoral Centre 7.30pm

Wednesday 11th Oct – Pastoral Centre, Rosslare Strand 7.30pm

Thursday 12th Oct – Pugin Room (access through main tower), St. Peter's College, Wexford 7.30pm

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY **St. Senan's Primary School**

Service of Light

Thursday, 29th February 2024

Confirmation

Friday, 8th March 2024

First Confessions

Thursday, 14th March 2024

First Holy Communion 2024

Sunday, 9th June 2024

Sunday, 16th June 2024

SPLIT THE POT

Congratulations to Marie Dunne - €157
last week's winner.

€2 weekly and 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.

PASTORAL COUNCILS AND FINANCE COMMITTEES

There will be a combined meeting of the Pastoral Councils and Finance Committees in the Pastoral Area - Marshalstown, Castledockrell, St. Senan's and St. Aidan's - with Sean O'Leary, Diocesan Director of Pastoral Development, on Thursday, 28th September at 7.30pm in Marshalstown Community Centre.

READERS

Sunday, 1st October

Vigil: John Dunne

11.00am: Peg Doyle

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Sunday, 1st October

Vigil: Dick Walsh

11.00am: Denis Levingston

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, 24th September

Vigil

Aaron Mythen (Months Mind)
Maureen Hogan (A)
Michael Murphy (Rec Deceased)
Anna Doyle (Birth Rem)
Patrick Kehoe & deceased family members, relatives and friends
Kathleen & Roisin (Intention)
11.00am
Matthew (Matty) McDonald (A)

Weekday Masses

Tuesday - 7pm

James Wall (A)

Sunday, 1st October

Vigil

Patrick O'Brien (A)
Anna-Mai Conroy (A)
11.00am
Johanna Ormonde (A)
Paddy Furlong (A)
Deceased members of the Furlong family
Fr. Francis Barron (A)

BEGINNING OF YEAR SCHOOL MASSES

Mass will take place in Colaiste Bride on Tuesday, 26th September 2023 at 12noon.

St. Senan's Primary School Students will celebrate their Mass in the Church on Tuesday, 3rd October at 12noon. Please remember the students and staff in your prayers at this time.

St. Padre PIO Healing Mass

Mass of Healing will take place in St Aidan's Church, Ferns on Friday 29th September 7.30pm. Concelebrated Mass by Fr Bryan Shortall O.F M Cap and the Very Reverend Fr. Paddy Cushen P.P,
*Individual Blessings with Padre PIO Glove
Confessions available throughout. Early attendance advisable.

NEW ROSS PARISH MISSION 23rd-29th September 2023

Full details on notice board in the Church porches. All welcome.

Give blood, save a life!

1 in 4 of us will need a blood transfusion in our lifetime.....and 1 blood donation can save 3 lives.

Call 1800 222 111 to book an appointment.

Check your eligibility at giveblood.ie

RIVERSIDE PARK HOTEL, ENNISCORTHY on Sunday, 24th September 2023 12.00pm– 15.30pm

Mon/Tues/Wed, 25th/26th/27th September - 3.45pm– 8pm

THE HOOK OF FAITH

This Sunday is the 109th World Day of Migrants and Refugees. We include Pope Francis' message which focuses on the freedom, or lack of it, for people to choose to stay in their homelands or to leave. Here in Wexford, we speak with Ms. Tanya Savelieva, a Ukrainian lady who works as translator and SNA at CBS Primary School. In the interview, she speaks of her experience of coming to Ireland and the circumstances that led to it. We have an article by Sean O'Leary, the Director of Pastoral Development and a video on the life of Venerable Jerome Lejeune. As the Synod on synodality begins in Rome, we have prayers that Pope Francis asks every parish around the world to make. We have a focus on St Vincent de Paul on his feast day and have resources that help us to discern what our vocation might be. Check out these and other resources available

at www.thehookoffaith.com

The world is changed
by your example,
not by your opinion

Paulo Coelho



WORLD DAY OF MIGRANTS AND REFUGEES

Sunday 24th September 2023

Lord, make us bearers of hope,
so that where there is darkness,
your light may shine,
and where there is discouragement, confidence in the future may be reborn. Lord, make us instruments of your justice, so that where there is exclusion, fraternity may flourish, and where there is greed, a spirit of sharing may grow.
Lord, make us builders of your Kingdom,
together with migrants and refugees
and with all who dwell on the peripheries.
Lord, let us learn how beautiful it is
to live together as brothers and sisters. Amen