

PASTORAL AREA CLERGY

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St. Senan's Parish Newsletter

Sunday, 22nd October 2023

THANK YOU

**Parish Envelopes
- €415**

**Priests Envelopes
- €505**

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, 22nd October

11.00am

Elizabeth (Bessie) Banville (First Anniversary)
Jim French (A)
Tom O'Dwyer (A)
George Robinson (A)

Weekday Masses

Friday - 7pm

Kevin & Patty O'Leary (A)

Sunday, 29th October

Vigil

Greg Cahill (First Anniversary)
Jim & Josie Doyle (A)

11.00am

Sadie Farrell (A)
Michael Ryan (A)
Paddy Connors (A)
Helen Ryan (Birth Rem)

SPLIT THE POT

Congratulations to Aidan Murphy - €169 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.

Day of Prayer before the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesday 10-7pm Rosary 10.30am/Mass at 7.00pm

If you can help, please enter your initials on the time-sheet placed at the back of the church (old part); each time-slot is a 30 minute commitment.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY - Sunday 22 October 2023

Pope Francis theme for Mission Sunday - Hearts on fire, feet on the move (cf. Lk 24:13-35)

This weekend parishes worldwide celebrate World Mission Sunday. The kindness shown will help overseas missionaries to continue to share the love of God with some of the world's most marginalised and vulnerable people. Thank you for supporting in whatever way you can, and please remember it is more than an appeal for financial help. Missionaries also need spiritual support. On World Mission Sunday missionaries take great strength in knowing that the faithful of the world are keeping them in their thoughts and prayers.

Help right now. **Donate €4.00 by texting the word 'Mission' to 50300. Alternatively donate at www.missio.ie or call Missio Ireland on 01 497 2035. To learn more go to www.missio.ie ***

COMMUNITY SINGING

Enjoy Singing for fun? Come and join the new Community Singing Group and enjoy all the benefits from singing in a relaxed fun atmosphere. No applications or auditions necessary. Make some new friends and have some fun. Join us in Templeshannon Community Centre Thursday mornings for a cuppa and a chat at 10.30am followed by some singing at 11am. All are welcome.

READERS

Sunday, 29th October

Vigil: Marian Dowling

11.00am: Sean Doyle

EUCCHARISTIC

MINISTERS

Sunday, 29th October

Vigil: Jer Moynihan

11.00am: Patricia Hyland

Enniscorthy Pastoral Area

St. Aidans / St. Senans
Marshalstown / Castledockrell

Mass Times

Monday – Saturday

10am St. Aidans

7pm St. Senans

9.30am Marshalstown (Tuesday)

9.30am Castledockrell (Thursday)

Saturday

6pm St. Aidans

7pm St. Senans

7.30pm Marshalstown

Sunday

9.30am Castledockrell

10am St. Aidans

11am St. Senans

12noon St. Aidans

Baptisms

St. Senan's—2nd & 4th Sunday

Contact the Parish Office to book.

St. Aidan's—1st & 3rd Sunday,

one months' notice.

Contact the Parish Office to book.

Marshalstown / Castledockrell

By appointment.

Confession

Confessions for the Pastoral area are available in St. Aidan's Cathedral.

On Friday morning and Saturday morning after the 10am mass in the Prayer Room.

Before the Saturday Evening Mass at 5:30pm in the Confession Box to the left of the altar.

HARVEST THANKSGIVING

This weekend we thank God for the fruits of the Harvest, fruits that nourish and sustain us all through life. We pray to God asking that he will continue to bless all that work in our parish, pastoral area and community.

Creator God,
for daily bread and all who work
to bring your harvest home
we bring our thanks today.

Creator God, provider of all
we bring our thanks today.
And we bless each other
and hope that the beauty of this world
and the love that created it
might be expressed through our lives
and be a blessing to others now and always
AMEN.



REMEMBERING OUR DEAD

During November we will remember our dead, please include the names to be prayed for in the November Offering Envelope which is in the box of Envelopes. If you have mislaid your envelope any envelope will do, please mark it 'November Offering'.

FEAST OF ALL SAINTS

Wednesday, 1st November is the Feast of All Saints and a holy day of obligation. Masses as follows:

Tuesday 7pm Vigil (St. Senans)

Wednesday 10am (St. Aidans)

Wednesday 7pm (St. Senans)

Priest's Assembly

As part of the universal Church's ongoing journey of synodality, the priests of the Diocese of Ferns met together for three days. The assembly of priests worked with

facilitators on pastoral development, Scripture, lay ministry, collaboration, synodality, pastoral area formation and leadership. The work of the facilitators especially the lay participation was deeply appreciated. This work complements the synodal meetings of the wider Diocese.

Priests also reflected upon the first drafts of a pastoral plan for the Diocese, which is being developed by representatives from the Council of Priests and Diocesan Pastoral Council and grew from the synthesis of communal discernment that concluded Stage 1 of the Irish Synodal Pathway. This plan looks at ways of empowering people, priests and religious to work more closely together in the proclamation of the Good News.

As we continue to discern together the way forward in a time of change for parishes, we pray that Parish communities within pastoral areas continue to work together to reflect a reinvigorated communion amongst clergy and laity, an outward pastoral reach and a renewed evangelising mission.