

St. Senan's Parish Newsletter

Sunday, 24th March 2024

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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, 24th March

11.00am

Michael Wildes (A)
Sean Fox (A)
John Freeman (A)
Natalie Freeman (A)
Kathleen O'Dwyer (A)
Eileen Robinson (A)
Jack Dunbar (Birth Rem)
Nancy Treacy (A)
John, Jack, Ciaran &
Neil Treacy (Rem)

Weekday Masses – 7pm

Wednesday

Maura McDonald (A)
Nellie Goodall (A)

Sunday, 31st March

Vigil

Elizabeth Wall (A)
Josie & Patrick O'Grady (A)
Ellen & Tom Jordan (A)

SPLIT THE POT

Congratulations to Kathleen Doran €162 - 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'.

EASTER BOUQUETS

Please note we have a selection of signed Easter Bouquets available from the Parish Office.

ENNISCORTHY PASTORAL AREA

Services of Reconciliation

Good Friday at 12noon in St Aidan's Cathedral

PLEASE NOTE

Reminder due to the Chrism Mass on Tuesday, 26th March which takes place in the Cathedral at 7.30pm there will be no 7pm Mass in St. Senan's.

DIOCESAN PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

God our Father,
We trust in your loving kindness.
Bless our Diocese of Ferns with many priestly religious and lay vocations.
Give the men and women You call the light to understand Your gift and the love to follow always in the footsteps of Your son. Amen.

Our Future Church

Inspiring faith and building hope in our parish communities.

A word of thanks to all those who have donated and returned envelopes to date.

Envelopes are still available, and you can also donate online at www.ferns.ie.

Your generosity will shape the future of parish life. Together let's empower our community and ensure a vibrant and active parish environment.

Enniscorthy Pastoral Area

St. Aidans / St. Senans / Marshalstown / Castledockrell

Easter ceremonies:

Tuesday, 26th March 7:30pm Chrism Mass St Aidan's – please note no 7pm Mass in St. Senans

Holy Thursday Mass

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

Mass 7pm St Senan's followed by Adoration at the Altar of Repose until 9pm

Mass 7:30pm Marshalstown

Good Friday

12noon Reconciliation Service for Pastoral Area St Aidan's

3pm Commemoration of the Lord's Passion St Aidan's

3pm Commemoration of the Lord's Passion Castledockrell

7pm Commemoration of the Lord's Passion St Senan's

7pm Reflective Prayer St Aidan's

Holy Saturday

7pm Easter Vigil St Senan's

8pm Easter Vigil Marshalstown

9pm Easter Vigil St Aidan's

Easter Sunday

6:30am Sunrise Mass on Vinegar Hill
(weather permitting)

9:30am Castledockrell

10am St Aidan's

11am St Senan's

12noon St Aidan's

10th May 2024 10am - 4.30pm in Centre, Blackwater. The speaker will be Thérèse Fitzgerald. Cost €30 (includes lunch) pay on the door. Booking essential: Contact Sara or Catherina @ 056 7722870 9.00 am - 5.00 pm Monday to Friday or e-mail regionaloffice@ssjq.ie before May 7th.

COMMUNITY SINGING

Enjoy Singing for fun? Come and join our Community Singing Group, we meet every Thursday morning in the Community Centre for a cuppa and a chat at 10.30am followed by some singing at 11am. All are welcome.

SOCIAL DANCING

Age Friendly Wexford and Healthy Wexford invite you to dust off your dancing shoes and Dance with Declan – Jive, Waltz, Quickstep and lots more!

Enjoy FREE 1 hour Dancing Lesson once a week for 5 weeks starting Thursday, 11th April 2-3pm in Templeshannon Community Centre.

Booking essential: Community Section of Wexford County Council 053 91 9633386 community@wexfordcoco.ie

THE HOOK OF FAITH

As Lent comes to an end, so too does Trocaire's campaign reach its climax. The campaign this year focused on Malawi and the challenges faced by the people there because of water instability. Our interview this week is with Fr Billy Caulfield, the diocesan representative for Trocaire who talks about his recent trip to Africa and encourages us to make a special effort to support Trocaire's campaign. We have an article by Bishop Ger and Sean O'Leary on Pastoral Development and another poem by Philip Quirke. We have a homily for Palm Sunday and a newsletter insert as we enter Holy Week. 'Does God Exist?' is a question that many grapple with today. We have an article that offers a positive response. Finally, in the spirit of Holy Week, we have two pieces of beautiful music that capture the poignancy and solemnity of the most sacred week of the Church's year.

Check out these and other resources available at www.thehookoffaith.com

Conversations with Women in the Bible

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Centre, Blackwater. The speaker will be Thérèse Fitzgerald. Cost €30 (includes lunch) pay on the door. Booking essential: Contact Sara or Catherina @ 056 7722870 9.00 am - 5.00 pm Monday to Friday or e-mail regionaloffice@ssjq.ie before May 7th.

READERS Sunday, 31st March Vigil:

Kay Doyle
Eugene Doyle
Anne Dobbs

11am:
Orla Byrne

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS Sunday, 31st March Vigil: Nancy O'Reilly 11am: Patricia Hyland

