#### PASTORAL AREA CLERGY

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# THANK YOU

Priest Envelopes €705

(First Collection) Parish Envelopes €500

(Second <u>Collection</u>)

# St. Senan's Parish Newsletter

Sunday, 25<sup>th</sup> May 2025

#### Safeguarding Representatives

Tina Merriman and Maria O'Shaughnessy Phone 053 92 61729

#### 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.je

# SPLIT THE POT

**Congratulations to Fleur Gillot** -  $\notin$ 151 last week's winner.  $\notin$ 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.

## MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, 25<sup>th</sup> May Vigil John Rigley (A) Paddy (Whack) Dwyer (A) Katie O'Brien (A) *11am* First Holy Communion

#### <u>Weekday Masses – 7pm</u>

**Monday** – Mass in Thanksgiving **Tuesday** – Mass in Thanksgiving **Wednesday** – **7pm** Martin Lambert (A) Bride, Lilian and Theresa Lambert (Rem)

<u>Sunday, 1st June</u> Vigil Karl Cullen (A) 11am Tom & Lizzie Byrne (A)



### HOLY COMMUNION – St. Senan's Primary School

Congratulations to our second group of boys and girls who are receiving the sacrament of First Holy Communion this weekend at 11am Mass.

Thanks to all the teachers and staff who have helped prepare them.

A special word of thanks to the parishioners who facilitated two workshops as part of the Holy Communion Preparation which produced all the lovely Artwork. Please remember them in your prayers.

# CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION

This years Corpus Christi Procession will take place on Sunday, 22<sup>nd</sup> June at 3pm staring at St. Senan's Church. We are looking for some volunteers to join our existing team of men who carry the canopy and the cross, so if you think you would like to be involved please give the parish office a ring 053 92 61729.

# Sing Along with Pete and Aileen

Community Sing Along on Thursday next, 29<sup>th</sup> May at 11am with the fabulous Pete & Aileen in Templeshannon Community Centre (Y21 T8K8). All are welcome. Why not come along to sing and have a chat. Refreshments will be available. Free event but must be booked 053 92 37511.

**ALZHEIMER'S TEA DAY** - A word of thanks to all those who supported the recent Alzheimer's Tea Day in the Community Centre, we raised €495.

# St. Senan's Church Crucifix Restoration

(Erected in 1866)

Total Cost of Restoration €11,700

#### Fundraising to date

- Captain Weafer Hall €3,500

## Parish to date €7,220 thank you

Thank you for your generosity and continued support.

#### <u>REDICATION/BLESSING OF THE CRUCIFIX</u> and PAPAL AWARD

Reminder Bishop Ger Nash will join us in the Parish for the **Vigil Mass on Saturday next, 31**<sup>st</sup> **May to rededicate and bless our newly restored Crucifix and secondly to present a Benemerenti to one of our own.** These Papal Honours are to be given to Dick Walsh in recognition of his many years of service to St. Senan's Church and Parish.

An open invitation is extended to all to come along and join in the celebrations which will be followed by refreshments in the Community Centre.

Anyone wishing to donate confectionary for the occasion could you please leave them into Linda in the Parish Office on Friday, 30<sup>th</sup> May or on Saturday afternoon anytime between 2.30pm – 5pm.

#### PRAYER FOR WORLD PEACE

A Holy Hour will take place on Sunday, 8<sup>th</sup> June in St. Aidan's Cathedral 5 – 6pm. We will pray for World Peace and remember those doing exams. All are welcome.

## **Preparing for Exams**

During the month of June we will remember all those who will be undergoing State examinations in our prayers and at our Masses.

Students who are undergoing Exams are invited to any of the Masses in the Pastoral Area on the weekend of the 31<sup>st</sup>/1st of June where we will be remembering in a special way all who are undertaking their exams at this time.

#### \*All Ireland Rosary Rally in Knock\*

The 40th All Ireland Rosary Rally will take place on Saturday June 7th in Knock. It will include Holy Mass 3pm, Stations of the Cross 2pm and Rosary Procession 2.30pm and a talk at 1pm in the Basilica. The Main Celebrant for the Holy Mass is Bishop Donal McKeown, and singing by Dana. A bus will leave from Clonard, Wexford at 6.30am, Oylegate Bus Stop - 6.45am, Enniscorthy J.Donohoes Garage - 6.55am, Ferns Church - 7.10am, Camolin Bus Stop - 7.15am, Gorey Hospital at - 7.25am, Arklow M11 Bus stop- 7.40am. Return to Wexford at approx 9.30pm Please book your seat early to avoid disappointment ring Eileen 087 9331809 or 087 6846908.

# Eucharistic Encounter: A Journey of Grace and Healing

St. Michael's Church, Gorey Saturday 31st May 2025 9.30am-1.30 pm

#### <u>Silvertones</u> Bealtaine Concert

The Annual Silvertones Bealtaine Concert will take place on Thursday 29th May in St Aidan's Cathedral. Guest artist will be Soprano Emer Barry who performed to great acclaim in St Mary's Church last Christmas. Proceeds will be donated to The Hope Cancer Support Centre. Tickets are €15 each and will be available from any member of Silvertones as well as at the door on the night. Holy Rosary: To Jesus Through Mary
United in Worship: Holy Mass and Introduction to the Encounter: Rev. Fr. Billy
Flynn P.P.
Solemn Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
"The Healing Connection: Sacrament of Reconciliation and Holy Mass." Brendan
Walsh
A Sacred Pause: Adoration
"The Mass: A Journey of Healing" - Brendan Walsh
Angelus, Coffee break (Adoration continues)
A Sacred Pause: Adoration
"Reaching Out - A Touch of Faith "The Hem of His Garment"-Brendan Walsh
Encountering the Healer: Adoration and Prayer for Healing -Brendan Walsh
A Grace Filled Sending Forth: Benediction and Closing Blessing -Rev. Fr. Billy
Flynn P.P. Confession will be available

# SeniorLine

'SeniorLine supports older people at home in Summer 2025. SeniorLine, Ireland's national telephone service will be open daily 10am-10pm., Freephone 1800 80 45 91.'

READERS Sunday, 1<sup>st</sup> June Vigil: Anne Dobbs 11am: Peg Doyle

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS Sunday, 1<sup>st</sup> June Vigil: Nancy O'Reilly 11am: James Harpur

<u>Castlegardens</u> <u>Eucharistic Minister</u> Sunday, 1<sup>st</sup> June Marian Dowling