### **PASTORAL AREA CLERGY**

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### **THANK YOU**

**Priest Envelopes €830** 

(First Collection)

Parish Envelopes €655

(Second Collection)

## St. Senan's Parish Newsletter

Sunday, 3rd August 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.ie

## **MASS**

### **INTENTIONS**

### Sunday, 3rd August

### Vigil

Kathleen Conway (A)
The Downey & Jordan families

#### 11am

Robbie Cowman (1st Anniversary) Fiona McDonald (1st Anniversary) Martin Nolan (A) Thomas Crean (A) John & Elizabeth Casey (A) Sean Ruth (A)

## Sunday, 10<sup>th</sup> August Vigil

Edward & Mai Cahill (A) Edward Cahill Jnr (A) Sheila Crean (Rem) Ann & Liam Quigley (Rem) Breda Cahill (Rem)

### 11am

Patricia (Pat) Reid (M. M) Kevin & Madge Sheehan (A) Patricia Sheehan (Rem) Maria Whelan (Rem)

#### **Recently Deceased**

We commend to the fullness of eternal life....

William Browne, Killagoley Tce Paddy Connors, Hillside, Shannon Hill

John McDonald, Drumgoold Vs

## SPLIT THE POT

Congratulations to Janine Ormonde - €157 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'. Thank you for your weekly support.

Thanks to our local Centra where envelopes are also now available.

## PATRON DATE Sunday, 10th August at 3pm

## St. Mary's / Enniscorthy Cemeteries

The Cemetery Committee appeals for the co-operation of parishioners and all who visit when using the bins in the cemetery. Our cemeteries are sacred places where our loved ones are buried and it is our duty to care for their sacred resting places, in a manner that reflects the dignity of the human person and our belief. Please note there will be no passes for parking given out this year.

# Ennisocorthy Tidy Towns

Please note the Enniscorthy Tidy Towns group will meet on Thursday, 7th August at 7pm and Saturday/Sunday, 9th/10th August 10am in St. Mary's Cemetery to clean up, weed, sweep etc. for the annual Patron on Sunday. If you can lend a hand you would be most welcome.

### **READERS**

Sunday, 10th August

**Vigil:** Marian Dowling **11am**: Joan Fogarty

# EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS Sunday, 10th August

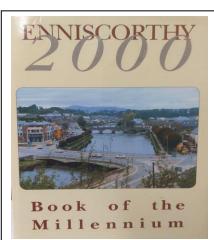
Vigil: Annette McCarthy 11am: James Cosgrave

<u>Castlegardens</u> <u>Eucharistic Minister</u> Sunday, 10<sup>th</sup> August

Martin Cosgrave

## **Church Car Park Update**

As a result of the consistently problematic parking in the Church yard resulting in it being unavailable for all church services, we have been forced to address the issue.



Enniscorthy 2000 was published by St. Senan's Parish to mark the advent of the third Millennium in Enniscorthy, hard to believe its 25 years ago now!!

Copies will be available over the next two weekends so please feel free to take one if you are interested and maybe consider leaving a small donation. Gates have been erected and over the coming weeks will be closed periodically at first but ultimately will then be locked nightly at 7.30pm and opened at 10am in the mornings with the exception of Saturdays when they will remain closed until 5pm.

New signage will be erected on the entrance walls during the week, we would ask you for your patience and support while we find the best way to address the issue and we are open to hearing any suggestions or solutions from parishioners. In the meantime, we would just remind people to be considerate when parking.

## Enniscorthy Pastoral Area Pilgrimage to Our Lady's Island

Monday afternoon 25<sup>th</sup> August at 2.30pm for our Pastoral starting with Rosary at 2.30pm around the Island and Mass at 3pm in the Church. Everyone is invited and encouraged to attend, and we look forward to seeing you there.

### FRIENDS OF LOCAL PEOPLE WITH MS

We wish to thank all who supported our recent Church gate collection at St. Senan's Church and St. Aidan's Cathedral. Your generosity helped raise €842.54. This group depends solely on donations and appreciates the support.

### THE HOOK OF FAITH

'Live life with a light grip' is a piece of wisdom that comes straight from the Gospel for the Eighteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time where Christ warns us not to cling too tightly or lust after what we will be asked to let go of. 'For Mutual Co-Existence' is Pope Leo's prayer intention for August and we include a

message from him to all Catholic digital influencers and missionaries. 'The Priest as Servant' is an article that explores the essence of a priestly vocation that is offered for the feast of St John Vianney, patron saint of priests on 4<sup>th</sup> August. To mark the week of the Fleadh Cheoil here in Wexford, journalist Niamh Ni Bhriain, one of the guest speakers during the Fleadh, offers an article on 'Faith Expressions in Traditional Hymns and Songs'. We focus on the recent Jubilee for the Youth in Rome and mark the feast of the Transfiguration and St Edith Stein. Finally, episode 24

of 'The Desert Fathers in a Year' explores the topic of discernment and how we practise it. Check out these are other resources available at www.thehookoffaith.com

## Story of Catholic Faith

During the Fleadh Members of Wexford Lions Club and Wexford Historical Society will trace the story of the Catholic faith in Wexford town with a tour of churches from ancient ruins to the present day. Monday 4th to Friday 8th August, Meet at Nickey Rackard Statue at 4pm.

### **CHURCH GATE COLLECTION - SAMARITANS**

On behalf of East Coast Samaritans, I want to thank the parishioners of St. Senan's for their generous support of our

recent Church gate collection. €241.07 was raised. It is much appreciated and will help to keep our branch open to provide emotional support to those in need.

## MEN'S JUBLIEE CAMINO Men's Hike

Saturday, 13<sup>th</sup> September 2025 20kms, on greenway, from Dominican Abbey (ruin) in Carlingford to Newry (St. Catherine's) via Newry Cathedral (Jubilee Indulgence). Mass, Adoration, Rosary, Confessions & Fraternity. Registration & details on www.dominicans.ie/events/. 086 8926260 frdenisbrowne@gmail.com For bookings, please contact: Joe Walsh Tours 01-2410800

#### **FERNS PILGRIMAGE TO FATIMA-2025**

Led by Spiritual Directors, Fr. Denis
Browne; Fr. Paddy Banville & Fr. Frank
Murphy 9th OCTOBER 2025 for 7 nights
€899 per person sharing
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