

NOTICE BOARD

FAMILY MISSION

March 1st. - 15th. 1987
The Mission Fathers have arrived. Please consult the leaflet delivered to each home for times and services.

Briefly Week 1

Masses - Mon. & Tues. 9, 10 & 7.30 PM.

Wed., Thurs. & Fri. 7.30 AM.
9, 10 & 7.30 PM.

Sat. 9, 10 & 7.30 PM

Young Adults - Mon. - Thurs.
Mount Mercy 8 PM.

Parents of Young Children-
Friday 6th. 8 PM - The Crypt.

Missioner in C.P. Centre -
each day 3- 5 (no appointment
necessary) Phone-in service
(41814) 2 - 3 PM

Sacrament of Sick - Sat. 7th.
3 PM.

N.B. Any lay visitors for
Mission who have not received
Second Mission leaflet please
call to Sacristy after Mass
today of tomorrow.

ASH WEDNESDAY Next Wednesday
is Ash Wednesday the start of
Lent. A day of Fast and
Abstinence. Blessed Ashes after
each Mass. We are invited to
deny ourselves in some way
during Lent. e.g. Give to
Trocaire.

First Friday Friday next is
the First Friday of March.
Priests will visit the house-
bound in the usual way.

Catholic Marriage Advisory
Council Annual Church Collection
next Sunday March 8th.

St. Joseph's Young Priests'
Society meets next Thursday
8 PM C.P. Centre.

PRAYERS FOR PEACE

Rosary, Sermon, Benediction
for Peace, Lough Church,
Tuesday March 3rd. at 8:30 PM
The Preacher will be Rev.
Robert Ormond, P.P.

A Peace Vigil will take place
in the Assumption Convent
Church, on Friday March 6th.
8.00 PM until Midnight. Mass
will commence at 10:30 PM.
The Vigil will be conducted
by Fr. Candon, O.P.

Retreat for Lay People

There will be a weekend
retreat for Lay People at
MYROSS WOOD HOUSE, SKIBBEREEN
on the week-end of March
6th - 8th. For full details
apply - Rev. Director.

Bishopstown Community Assoc.

Monthly Council Meeting this
Tuesday evening 8.00 PM at
Wilton Park House.

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Church of the Holy Spirit, Dennehy's Cross.

SUNDAY MASSES:

7.30 (SAT.), 9.00, 10.00, 11.00 & 12.15.

WEEKDAY MASSES:

9.00 A.M., 10.00 A.M. & 7.30 P.M

PASTORAL TEAM:

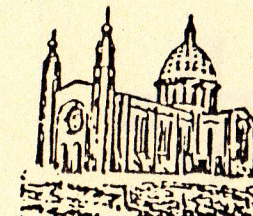
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URGENT CALLS: RING 362906 ANYTIME.



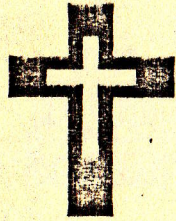
EIGHTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

Lent



All notices to the Editor before Thursday, please!

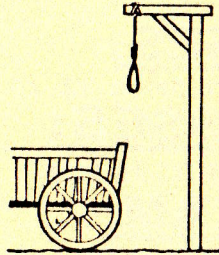
Ash Wednesday



Jesus our Friend
Make the Stations of the Cross often during this Lent.

From 'A Time for Sowing', page 7.

Thursday after Ash Wednesday



Service to the End

Put yourself out for others in your 'State of Life' at least once each day.

From 'A Time for Sowing', page 9.

Friday, after Ash Wednesday



Fasting and Sharing

Give up something for Lent and give the money saved to "Trocaire".

From 'A Time for Sowing', page 11.

EVENT OF THE YEAR

Never let it be said that we lack energy, vigour and verve for that myth was well and truly shattered at the event of year last Monday night at Jury's Hotel when almost 300 parishioners converged !! From St. Clare's to Parkway, all made their way !

Sr. Frances with her usual flair for excellence and organiser of many events in the past, excelled on this occasion; what with the ideal setting of Jury's Hotel, the lovely meal and the lively rhythm of 'Circles'. What an atmosphere it all evoked; Come on now! be honest! did you ever think your neighbours could be so much fun? and wasn't the Canon in great form - and he a teetotaler! Did you notice that while he had us all in good spirits he reminded us to retain some of the vitality displayed on the floor for the forthcoming Mission. They're always on the job behind it all !! We'll come up trumps for that too, lets hope the Redemptorists can keep in step!

What a treat was in store for us when David McInerney took to the stage in magnificent voice to render some rousing songs with gusto - What a wonderful performer you are David, the standing ovation truly merited!

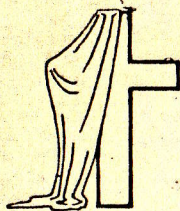
We congratulate the winners of the raffle:

Michael Stone, Summerstown.
Sheila O'Farrell, Barrett's Tce.
Monica Shinnick, Bishops court.
Mary Kennedy, Glasheen Road.
David O'Connell, Woodlawn.

Our sincere thanks to Dennehy's Bar, Lucy Ryan, Hairdressing, Ella's Salon, Kenley, Lee Garage, Nesson and Doyle's Delicatessen, who kindly donated prizes.

It really was a great night, well organised and most enjoyable. Our thanks to all who helped to make it so.

Saturday after Ash Wednesday



Suffering and Repentance
Make a firm resolution at your Confession at the beginning of Lent.

From 'A Time for Sowing', page 13.

Christ told us to take up our cross and follow him. He knew that human life would encounter many crosses. All of us are likely to have some form of suffering in our lives. It may not be physical suffering; but mental anguish is no lesser cross. The true Christian knows how to bear it. Christianity does not lessen the suffering but it does impart strength to accept it.

In these days of Lent, Lord, I ask you to give me patience in time of suffering and strength in the face of temptation.

Purify your people of anything which is unworthy of the name of christian.

Show me how my self-denial can help in the work of salvation which Jesus has achieved for me.

