

Ballineaspaig Bulletin



CHURCH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT
DENNEHY'S CROSS, CORK

14th October, 2012

Twenty-eighth Sunday Ordinary Time

No: 1151

MASS TIMES

Sunday

9.00, 10.30, 12.15
Saturday Vigil 6.15pm

Weekdays

9.00, 10.00

Eve of Holydays

7.30pm

Holydays

9.00, 10.30 &
7.30PM



J.M.I. + F.C.C.

Poor Clares Colettine Monastery,
College Road,
Cork.

PRAISED BE JESUS CHRIST!

Dear Friends,

Twenty-three years ago I became a member of this parish when I joined the Poor Clares! It was the Feast of **Our Lady of the Rosary**, October 7th, 1989. I was very happy with the choice of date for my entrance into religious life, as the Rosary was always part of our family life and part of each day. Even if distractions abounded at times while we were praying, it was still a very special time, as we knelt around the kitchen at the end of the day and prayed for our family and for people suffering in so many ways around the world.

"Peace in the North" was a regular intention; we thank and praise God that He is answering the prayers of His people.

Could I suggest that if you have Rosary beads in your home, maybe you could keep them in your pocket or handbag as a reminder of Our Lady's closeness to you and of her motherly care for you? To pray even one decade will help you to have peace and serenity, knowing you are not alone with your needs and difficulties. If you feel you can't pray, simply hold the beads in your hand and Our Lady will hear the silent prayer of your heart. She will bring all your cares to her Divine Son.

The **Year of Faith**, announced by Our Holy Father Pope Benedict, runs from October 11th (anniversary of the opening of the Second Vatican Council) until November 24th, 2013, the Feast of Christ the King. Let us pray for one another that our faith will put down deep roots and be shown by our deeds of love!

God bless you and may He hold you in the palm of His hand.

You are in our daily prayers,

Sr. Colette Marie.

The Holy Rosary

"There is no problem, no matter how difficult it is, whether temporal or above all spiritual, in the personal life of each one of us, of our families, of the families of the world, or of the religious communities, or even the life of peoples and nations, that cannot be solved by the Rosary. There is no problem, I tell you, no matter how difficult it is, that we cannot resolve by the prayer of the Holy Rosary. With the Holy Rosary, we will save ourselves. We will console Our Lord and obtain the salvation of many souls".

(Sr. Lucy of Fatima)

God's Word

Readings for Sunday
21st October.

First Reading:
Is 53: 10-11

Psalms: 32

Second Reading:
Heb 4: 14-16

Gospel:
Mark 10: 42-45

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"Every human life is beautiful, every human life is precious. Choose life!"

Sunday, 14th October, 2012

From the moment of conception, every human life is beautiful, every human life is precious and every human life is sacred. Choose Life! Visit www.chooselife2012.ie to watch a video presentation on the Choose Life initiative.

NOTICE BOARD

Bulletins to the Homes:

Bulletins will be delivered to all homes in the parish next weekend.

Mission Sunday:

The annual collection for the Missions will take place at all Masses next weekend, 20th/21st October.

Altar Ladies Rota:

The new Altar Ladies Rota for the coming year is now available for collection in the Sacristy.

Pieta House:

Pieta House, Suicide Crisis Centre, Self-Harm Crisis Centre is holding a public meeting on *Thursday 18th Oct* at 8.00pm in the Imperial Hotel, Cork. This is an information meeting to discuss the proposed opening of the Pieta House Service in Bishopstown, Cork. For more information check www.pieta.ie or call (01) 6282111.

Cork University Residents Forum:

Public meetings to deal with the return of 30,000 students to our community will be held in the Lough Community Centre, Greenmount on *Wednesday, 17th Oct* at 8.30pm and at the Bishopstown Community Centre, Wilton Park House on *Thursday, 18th Oct.* at 8.30pm. All residents welcome on either night. For further information contact Barry Keane at (087)7903436 for further details.

Year of Faith Diocesan Meetings Invitation:

Two meetings will be held to introduce the Year of Faith and to discuss how we can engage with it personally, in parishes and in pastoral areas - *Thursday, 18th Oct* at 8.00pm in Douglas Parish Centre and *Monday, 22nd October* at 8.00pm in Clonakilty Parish. For further details contact Anne Francis at (087)2282134. All welcome.

T&YouCat!!

A monthly discussion group for young adults 18-35yrs based on the new catechism - YouCat. Beginning **Thurs.**

18th October. Tea and sandwiches are on offer from 5.30pm with discussion group from 6pm to 7pm. Venue: The Pastoral Development Office in Ballyphehane. Group led by Fr. Charlie (021) 4537603



UNWANTED MOBILE PHONE!!

Jenny Garde is physically disabled and unable to speak. She is looking to collect 185 old mobile phones (with batteries, but no chargers) in order to get an iPad for her communication needs. She would really appreciate it if you would look at home and/or ask your family and friends if they have any old ones lying around. They can be dropped into the box, which will be beside the organ at the 6.15pm, 10.30am and 12.15pm Masses on Saturdays/Sundays.



REST IN PEACE

We offer our sincere sympathy to the families and friends of the following parishioners who died recently.

Kathleen O'Mahony, Wilton Gardens.
Eileen McCarthy, College Road.

Ar dheis Dé go raibh a h-anam dílis.

NO PRAYER GOES UNHEARD



*Often we pause and wonder
When we kneel down to pray -
Can God really hear
The prayers that we say . . .
But if we keep praying
And talking to HIM,
He'll brighten the soul
That was clouded and dim,
And as we continue
Our burden seems lighter,
Our sorrow is softened
And our outlook is brighter -
For though we feel helpless
And alone when we start,
Our prayer is the key
That opens the heart,
And as our heart opens
The dear Lord comes in,
And the prayer that we felt
We could never begin
Is so easy to say,
For the Lord understands
And gives us new strength
By the touch of His hands.*

(H Steiner Rice)

Weekend
Psalm:

28th Sunday in ordinary time - Year B

