

Twenty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



Please pray for those who died recently:

Brian Quinless

May he rest in peace



St Vincent de Paul would like to express their appreciation to the parishioners of Churchtown for the recent annual clothing appeal.



Baptisms will be celebrated on the following dates

Saturday September 16th 12:15pm **Full**
Saturday October 28th 12:15pm
Saturday November 11th at 12:15pm
Saturday December 30th at 12:15pm

**September rosters for
Ministers of Communion are
available in the Sacristy**

Collections last weekend

1st Collection (For the support of the priests of the parish and diocese) €1,356

2nd Collection for SHARE : €864

Thank you for your continued support and generosity

Parish Lotto

The Jackpot is €3600

**Results of the draw held on
Monday 28th August 2017**

**6 ♦ 15 ♦ 31 ♦ 32
No Jackpot winner.**

National Grandparents Pilgrimage

- Sunday Sept 10th
- Our Lady of Knock Shrine, Knock, Co. Mayo
- Chief Celebrant Archbishop Eamon Martin.
- Choir & Musicians;
St. Marys Secondary School Choir, Ballina, Co. Mayo Directed by Regina Deacy.
- **Special Guest**
Dana sings 'Our Lady of Knock
- Children Prayer Appeal

An invitation to all children to write a prayer for their Grandparents.

Please send all prayers into Niamh in the office. All prayers will be blessed at the pilgrimage.

Parish Autumn Outing Clonmacnoise Monastic Settlement 12th September 2017

Depart Churchtown 9am

Coffee stop Clonmacnoise 11am

Tour of Clonmacnoise 11:30

Visit Shannonbridge 4pm

Depart Clonmacnoise 1:15pm

Visit Athlone: lunch/ 1:45pm

Shopping/ visit the castle/walk by the river Shannon.....

Return from Athlone 4:45

Arrive in Dublin for 7pm

Bus €20 / Tour of Clonmacnoise €6

Please contact Mary McSweeney or Niamh in the office at 01 2984-642 .

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes

The Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes led by Archbishop Diarmuid Martin begins on Sept 7th. Many thanks to all who became associate members over the past few weeks and for the kind donations received. These will be forwarded onto the Lourdes Office this coming week. For those who still wish to become associate members, you can enrol in the Parish shop until Sunday.

Liturgy Seminar

Clonliffe College

Saturday 30 September 2017
(9.30am to 1.30pm)

Registration 9.00 to 9.30am.

More information next week.

We wish all students returning to school and College every blessing for the school year.

New Testament Studies A Scripture Study and Faith Enrichment Course for Adults Commencing September 2017 Parish Centre

We will study the Gospel of St. Luke.
In St. Luke's Gospel we find a Jesus of sensitivity, compassion and great gentleness.

Course Duration:

September to December 2017 commencing Thursday 21st September finishing Thursday 7th December; twelve sessions.

Course Requirements Participants will require a copy of St. Luke's Gospel 'The Navarre Bible' Edition, cost €9.50

Please contact one of the team below for your copy of the Gospel or for any information you may need about the course.

Course Time: Thursday evenings from 7.30 to 9.30 p.m. with a coffee break.

Venue: Parish Centre, Church of the Good Shepherd, Churchtown

Bookings: by September 7th 2017

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