

PARISH OF KENMARE Fr. Tom Crean, Parish Priest

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Sunday, 20th August 2017 ~ 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Recent Death.

We remember in our prayers **EILEEN HARRINGTON (née Moriarty)** Killaha East, Kenmare, who died during the week. We also remember all whose anniversary occurs at this time.

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE.

Direendaragh: Sat: 6.30pm.		The People's Mass	
Templenoe Church: Mass at 10.45am.		George Rice, Greenane Anniversary	
Holy Cross Church		Mass Intentions this week	
Sat	8.00pm	Jeremiah 'Darby' & Nora Lynch, Claddanure	Anniversary
Sun	9.30am	James & Annie O'Sullivan, Dromcahan	"
Sun	12noon	Jimmy & Kathy Lehane, Dromatouk	Anniversary
Mon / Tues	10.00am		
Wed	10.00am	Danny & Mike Moriarty and Mickey Lynch	Anniversary
Thurs	10.00am		
Fri	10.00am	Dan McCarthy, Tulloha	Anniversary
Sat	10.00am	Michael Lynch, Railway Road	"

13 th Aug	Offertory	Parish Development Fund - Weekly Envelopes	Total
Direendaragh	€ 146	€ 80	€ 226
Templenoe	€ 109	€ 96	€ 205
Kenmare	€ 1,016	€ 1,408	€ 2,424

Church Notices:

- ◆ **CONFESSIONS in HOLY CROSS CHURCH - next Saturday (26th) will be at 10.30 a.m.**
- **HOLY CROSS PARISH PILGRIM WALK TO LOCAL HOLY PLACES:** This year's walk will take place on Saturday, 9 September. Leaving the church ground at 1.00 p.m. visiting sacred sites that tell the story of Christianity in our parish. Please walk with us or join in along the route.

Know Mary, Know Jesus, Dare to Believe.

This is the title of a Catholic Young Adults Conference which is being held on September 2nd & 3rd in All Hallows, Dublin. This is a fantastic weekend packed full of interesting events and open to all 18-40 year old. The Legion of Mary in the Kerry Diocese wish to sponsor two young people to attend. They will cover the travel and the full residential accommodation. If you are interested, please contact Patricia ☎ 0879048659.

Today's Readings:



1st READING: The house of God has a welcome for all, and salvation is open to all.

PSALM: All nations find reason to praise the God who guides all people.

2nd READING: Paul chooses to be the apostle to the Gentiles so that all may hear the divine call.

GOSPEL: A distressed outsider seeks the help of Israel's healer and teacher.

Sunday Funerals in the Diocese of Kerry

From the 1st September 2017, "No funerals (Mass, Liturgy or Burial) will take place on a Sunday in the parishes of the diocese."

- ◆ **This applies from Saturday mid-afternoon.**
- ◆ **Removals to the church can take place on either Saturday or Sunday evening.**



Leaving Cert Students:

*Congratulations to all students who received their results this week
- we wish you all the best in your chosen career.*

...Build a Door

If opportunity doesn't knock, 'build a door' goes the old saying. Wouldn't it be great if everything happened the way we want? Life, however, is rarely like that. We must often take the first steps to make things happen. So it is with those students who received Leaving Cert. exam results during the past week.

We congratulate those who achieved the points they sought. Well done! To those who were disappointed, remember God gives each person a reserve of potential. There is plenty of possibility and everyone has the power within to make things happen for themselves.

Lord help each one to recognise the opportunity and potential you offer every day especially when the way is neither clear nor obvious.



"The dignity of the human person and the common good rank higher than the comfort of those who refuse to renounce their privileges. When these values are threatened, a prophetic voice must be raised." The Joy of the Gospel. [218]



Community Notes:

- **Amergin Steiner School** – Information Evening on Tuesday, 22nd August, 7pm – 8.30pm at Tempelenoe Community Centre.
- **Pilgrimage to Knock on 24th September:** A bus will leave Castletownbere for Knock on Sunday, 24th Sept., with a pick-up stop in Kenmare. Further info: please phone 027-70101.



***Holiday-makers - - - we pray for all who are on holidays at this time.
May you return home safely and refreshed.***

Chers amis qui venez passer vos vacances chez nous, nous sommes heureux de vous accueillir parmi nous. / Liebe Freunde, Sie kamen um Ihre Ferien hier zu verbringen. Wir freuen uns, Sie bei uns aufzunehmen. / Quiero dar una bienvenida muy especial a los visitantes españoles. Deseo que tengan unas vacaciones felices entre nosotros.