# Prisoners' Sunday

# 32ND SUNDAY

IN ORDINARY TIME



07.11.2021

# St. Patrick's Church

#### Saturday 6th All The Saints of Ireland

6.15 pm Bea McLaughlin, Assaroe View Mary Charles, Market Street Frank McCurtin, The Mall Pat & Sarah Reynolds, Cashel

#### Sunday 7th

9.00 am 11 am

Pro Populo C.C. Maguire, Knather Road Henry John, Kathleen, Eamon, Liz

> and Michael Travers P.J. Branley, St. Benildus Avenue

#### **Monday 8th**

9.30 am Novena for the Dead

#### **Tuesday 9th** The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

9.30 am Novena for the Dead

#### Wednesday 10th - St. Leo the Great

9.30 am Novena for the Dead

#### **Thursday 11th** St. Martin of Tours

9.30 am Novena for the Dead

#### Friday 12th Josaphat, bishop & martyr

9.30 am Novena for the Dead

#### Saturday 13th

6.15 pm Danny, Josephine & Daniel Kerrigan and P.J. & Mary Branley John Larkin, Assaroe View

#### Sunday 14th

9 am 11 am

Pro Populo Priest's Intention

# St. Marp's, Cashelard

#### Sunday 7th

10 am Those who died in Cashelard in last year

Sunday 14th

10 am Sue and Bill Dunne, Cashelard

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# We Pray for the Dead

# Died Recently

Shaun McFadden, The Mall who was buried on Thursday

Kathleen Boyle, Tullymore who was buried on Wednesday

Audrey Sheerin, Cloghore who was buried in St. Joseph's on Tuesday

> Cáit Askin, Coolcholly who was buried on Monday

Anna Daly, nee Gallagher, Belleek, and formerly Cluain Barron

Jim McLaughlin, Churchill Brother of Sr. Gerard, St. Catherine's Convent

Jennifer Greene, Cashelard

Bobby O'Shea, Bridgetown, Ballintra

# Month's Mind

Bridget Bea McLaughlin, Assaroe View

## First Anniversary

C.C. Maguire, Knather Road

Eternal Rest Grant unto Them O Lord

## **Adoration of BI Sacrament**

Wednesdays 10 am - 1 pm & 6 pm - 9 pm Saturdays 10 am - 12 noon

## **Your Contribution to the Parish**

Sunday 31st October: €1,544

Many thanks for your continued support

# Novena for the Dead

The Novena continues this week from Monday 8th up until Friday 12th at the 9.30am Masses

Let us pray during this time for all our deceased relatives and friends by attending Mass at 9.30am or 6.15pm or by praying as family at home.

#### November - A Month to Remember **Our Dearly Departed**

Resource booklet for family prayer at home available from the back of the church or the parish office.

# WORLD DAY OF REMEMBRANCE FOR ROAD TRAFFIC VICTIMS

Sunday, 21st November

- ♦ Praying for Road Traffic Victims & their families
- ♦ Blessing of Emergency Services
- ♦ Blessing of Cars after all Masses that weekend

# At the 6.15pm Mass on Saturday 20th

we will remember and pray for all those who have died in tragic circumstances on our roads. A candle will be lit for each victim. If you would like to have a candle lit for a relative or friend please give their name to any of the priests or call the Parish Office on 98-51295

We also pray for families, friends and communities who continue to live with this grief every day, and for those involved in the aftermath of a tragedy Fire Services, Gardaí, Ambulance Crew, Clergy Medical Personnel and Counsellors.

Let us remind ourselves how precious life is and how vulnerable we all are each and every time we use the roads - as drivers or pedestrians - and ask ourselves:

"What can I do to make sure that fewer families are grieving for their loved ones this Christmas?"

- ♦ We must be fully responsible for our actions
- We must be visible on the roads at all times
- ♦ We must be vigilant of other road users
- ♦ Never ever drink / take drugs and drive
- ♦ Never let anyone under the influence drive
- ♦ Never use mobile phone when driving

## Trócaire Emergency Appeal

Over 30 million people across East Africa are struggling to survive a devastating hunger crisis. A church collection will take place next weekend, the 13th and 14th of November. Please donate what you can to help.

## **Sacrament of Baptism**

Baptisms take place on the first Sunday of the month at 12 noon. Anyone wishing to book a baptism should contact the parish office 071 9851295

#### Seeing your Life through the Lens of the Gospel (Mark 12:38 - 44)

The scribes are presented as ostentatious and devious, acting more out of self-interest in each of us. Perhaps there have been times when you have been disturbed by glimpsing in yourself 'other motives' in your doing good. Recall when you were awakened to this fact. Where was the good news for you in that awakening?

In material terms what the widow had to offer was very little. Recall when you felt yourself called to give and gave even though you apparently had very little. Perhaps you have had the experience of finding that what you thought was little and insignificant meant a great deal to another person. Recall some of those moments.

At this critical moment for the church Pope Francis has called a synod and has invited all believers to make a contribution. It's easy for us to see this as a call to professional church people, clergy and religious. They have always taken care of this kind of thing. Now the call is that the voices of the little ones can also be heard. How can you help this to happen in your church community?

John Byrne OSA

#### Synod

A public meeting regarding the Synod is to be held this Monday, the 8th of November in Kilbarron Pastoral Centre at 7pm. All are welcome.



"The purpose of this Synod is to help the Church become ever more authentically what She is meant to be. My hope and prayer is that our time of reflection will push us to seek in our Church 'all that is good and true' and to grow together as we do so." - Bishop Alan McGuckian

## **Special Mass from Knock**

The pandemic has been a particularly difficult time for those who have lost loved ones and have often had to cope with their grief without the usual spiritual & community supports. On next Sunday, 14 November at

3.00pm, the Bishops of Ireland will undertake a pilgrimage to the International Eucharistic and Marian Shrine in Knock. Mass will be celebrated for all those who have died in our country during the pandemic, and for their families. At the Mass the bishops will also offer prayers of thanksgiving for all those who so selflessly sacrificed so much during the pandemic. This Mass will be live-streamed on www.knockshrine.ie and broadcast on the RTÉ News Now digital television channel and online. The bishops invite everyone to join with them in prayer on this solemn occasion.