

### K.A.R.A.

**Kinsale Active Retired Association**  
Meeting on **Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March** at 2.30pm in the Temperance Hall for exercise, tea and chat.

### INFORMATION EVENING FOR BEREAVED PARENTS

Anam Cara Cork, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Parent Evening on **Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> March** at 7:20pm in the Clayton Hotel, Silver Springs, Tivoli, Cork. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not.

### LENT AT GLENSTAL ABBEY

Journeying with God's People in Exodus! Join us over 5 of the Sundays in Lent, commencing **Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> March**, and explore this journey, theirs and ours, through Exodus. 4.30pm in the Library followed by Refreshments & Vespers  
Contact: [events@glenstal.com](mailto:events@glenstal.com) / 061 621005 / [www.glenstal.org](http://www.glenstal.org)

### VOCATIONS WEEKEND

*"Lord, show me your way,  
that I may walk in your truth"*

The community of Glencairn Abbey Lismore are hosting a vocations weekend for women from the **15<sup>th</sup> - 17<sup>th</sup> March**. Glencairn Abbey is home to the Cistercian Order. If you would like to find out further information please contact Sr Sarah at 058 56168 or [vocations@glencairnabbey.org](mailto:vocations@glencairnabbey.org)

### KINSALE HISTORY SOCIETY

Evening of nostalgia, on **Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March** at 8pm in the Temperance Hall. Terry Connolly will speak with some of our older residents who will recall their younger days and notable events of their lifetimes.

### MARCH CHURCH COLLECTORS

**6.30pm Mass:** Richard O'Driscoll, Con Lane, Denis/Colm Gimblett, Patrick Sheehan.

**10am Mass:** Kieran Canniffe, Joe O'Leary, Tim Buckley, Eilish/Kevin O'Riordan.

**12 Noon Mass:** Phil Devitt, Eileen O'Connell, Gerard Walsh, Owen Corcoran, Pat Morrissey

### ST. JOSEPH'S YOUNG PRIESTS SOCIETY

Meeting on **Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March** at 10.40am in the Sacristy.

### KCEP – KINSALE COMMUNITY ENERGY PROJECT – INFORMATION EVENING

Transition Town Kinsale set up Kinsale Community Energy Project, and became a member of the Sustainable Energy Communities network, early in 2018. KCEP has been set up to facilitate the community to benefit from the Sustainable Energy Authority of Ireland's (SEAI) Community Grant Scheme.

We are inviting the community to an information evening with Xavier Dubuisson, the Sustainable Energy Community Mentor for the area, on **Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March** at 7.30pm in The Friary Centre. All are welcome to come along and find out about the grants available from the SEAI for homes, businesses and community buildings, and why we will get so much more if we work together as a community. We are also looking for a cross section of different properties owners to volunteer to take part in our energy audit for the Kinsale area as part of 'The Energy Master Plan' so if you are interested in being involved please get in touch ([info@transitiontownkinsale](mailto:info@transitiontownkinsale) or ring Donal at [087 641 7924](tel:0876417924)) or come along on the night to find our more and share your ideas for this.

### ANNIVERSARIES

We remember in our prayers:

**Denis O'Donovan,  
Kathleen Cummins,  
Sheila Coughlan,  
Davy Roche,  
Masey O'Driscoll,  
John and Ellen Ryan,  
Jimmy Ryan,  
Catherine Doyle,  
Dr. John Aherne,  
Nellie Buckley,  
William Mulcair,  
Kieran McNamara,  
George Irwin.**

*May they rest in peace.*

### DUNDERROW ICA

Meeting on **Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March** at 8pm in Dunderrow N.S.

### WHIST DRIVE

**Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March** at 8pm in St. Multose Hall. In aid of Famine Relief.

### LOURDES PILGRIMAGE YOUNG ADULT HELPERS

The Diocese of Cork and Ross invites Young Adults 18-25 year olds to come to Lourdes as helpers from 10th to 15th June. As helpers you will assist with the sick and be involved in the full pilgrimage programme. For further details contact Fr. Charlie Kiely 021-4537603, Pastoral Development Office or email: [charliekiely@gmail.com](mailto:charliekiely@gmail.com)

### SPRING STATIONS

- **At the Mercy Convent on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> March at 7.30pm:** For Winter's Hill, Compass Hill, Drumderrig, The Mall, St John's Hill, The Green, The Ramparts, Rampart Court, Rampart Lane, Rampart Manor, Rampart Mews, Hgr & Lwr O'Connell St., World's End, The Wharf, Denis' Quay, The Viking Wharf, Ferryview, Gift House, St John's Tce., Lobster Cottages, Shearwater.
- **At the Friary Centre on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March at 7.30pm:** For Cork St., Barrack St., Catholic Walk, Friary Lane, Friary Ave., Friar's St., Chairman's Lane, The Rock, Stonewell, Barrack Green, O'Brien Tce., The Kennels, The Belfry, Rock St., Carmelite Tce., O'Neill's Villas, Finian Kelly Tce., Friary Court.

### OBITUARY

**Sr. Margaret (Peggy) O'Leary  
Ballyregan and Wales**

The death took place, unexpectedly, in St. Augustine's Priory, Colwyn Bay, Wales, on Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> January 2019 of **Sr. Peggy O'Leary**. Sr. Peggy was born in Riverstown, near Glanmire in January 1946. Her parents John and Ursula were working there at the time. The family moved back to Ballyregan a year later. She went to school in Dunderrow and the Convent secondary school. Her aunt Kit was friendly with the Sisters of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and Mary in Blackrock and Peggy entered the congregation in 1965, made final profession in 1974, celebrated her Golden Jubilee in 2014. Sr. Peggy lived and worked in various houses of the congregation in Cork, Wales, London and Scotland. A great family person, she made a huge contribution to the work of her congregation in caring for people. The funeral Mass was celebrated by Fr. Robert accompanied by Fr. Lar. The burial was to St. Mary's, Inishannon. We extend sincere sympathy to her religious community, sister Elizabeth, brothers Joe, Michael, John, Robert, Christy and Gerard, in-laws, nieces, nephews, grand-nieces, grand-nephews, relatives and friends.  
*May she rest in peace.*

## LENT IN KINSALE

### LENT MASS TIMES:

#### Monday to Friday

Parish Church: 8.30am

Carmelite Friary: 7.30am & 10.00am

#### Saturday

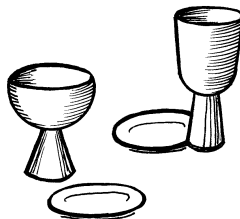
Parish Church: 11.00am & 6.30pm Vigil

Carmelite Friary: 10.00am

#### Sunday

Parish Church: 10.00am & 12 Noon

Carmelite Friary: 8.30am & 11.00am



### CONFESSION TIMES:

Parish Church: Saturdays after 11.00am and 6.30pm Masses.

Carmelite Friary: Saturdays at 10.30am and 3.30pm

### EXPOSITION OF BLESSED SACRAMENT:

Eucharistic adoration is in the

#### Parish Church:

Mondays from 9.00am to 1.00pm

Tuesdays from 9.00am to 8.00pm.

### SPECIAL COLLECTION

There will be a special collection next weekend (9/10<sup>th</sup> March) for the Bishops' Commission. This collection helps fund the work of the Irish Bishops' Conference and its agencies and commissions.

### FIRST CONFESSION DATES

The dates for First Reconciliation for children preparing for First Communion are:

**For Summercove, Dunderrow & Scoil Naomh Eltin:**

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March at 7pm

**For Gaelscoil:**

Monday 11<sup>th</sup> March at 7pm

### READINGS FOR NEXT SUNDAY

#### First Sunday of Lent

Deut 26:4-10. Ps 90:1-2, 10-15, R/v 15. Rm 10:8-13. Lk 4:1-13.

### ASH WEDNESDAY 6<sup>th</sup> March

Ashes will be blessed and distributed at all Masses on Ash Wednesday

**Parish:** 8.30am and 7.30pm

**Friary:** 7.30am and 10am

Ashes will also be available throughout the day in the churches.

### 'DO THIS IN MEMORY' MASS

The 'Do This in Memory' Mass for the First Holy Communion children takes place next weekend (9<sup>th</sup>/10<sup>th</sup> March)

**For Scoil Naomh Eltin & Summercove:** Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> March at the 6.30pm Mass.

**For Dunderrow N.S. and Gaelscoil:** Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> March at the 10am Mass.

### PRIEST ON DUTY

**Fr. Robert Young Tel: 4773700**  
**EMERGENCY NO: 086 3339063**

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## COMMISSIONING OF MINISTERS OF THE WORD AND EUCHARIST

In the years following Vatican II the liturgical ministries of lector (reader) and extraordinary ministry of Holy Communion have become common in most parishes. The preparation for these ministries includes an opportunity to deepen the person's understanding of the Eucharist. Such an opportunity needs to be extended to everyone in the parish. As our Parish prepares to welcome and commission new ministers of the Word and extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion perhaps we should pause and reflect as a Parish Community on the contribution we all make to this Eucharistic family. The Church's liturgy is indeed source and summit (SC, 11), and serving the liturgy is a great privilege. But habit and doing things by rote has a way of creeping into even the holiest and most important events and actions of our lives. Habit can be a particular risk for any of us and indeed for liturgical ministers, leading us into what Pope Francis has called "spiritual Alzheimer's" —when we forget why and for whom we got involved in the first place, and find ourselves serving out of bland routine, or to be with friends, or because we feel we have to, or for any number of other reasons that are not the first and most important reason: Jesus Christ. The commissioning of our new ministers invites us all to explore new ideas, and helps to create a habit of reflection on ministry that allows us to participate and celebrate more intentionally. The Council Fathers dreamed of more than liturgical ministers able to "perform their functions in a correct and orderly manner." They envisioned lay ministers "deeply imbued with the spirit of the liturgy" (SC, 29), engaging our hearts, minds and souls (Pope Benedict XVI). May this be a time for all of us to do the same as we engage our hearts, minds and souls in our Sunday Eucharist.

(SC) 'Sacrosanctum Concilium', Constitution on the Sacred Liturgy 1964