## PARISH LINK—12th February —also on website

www.enniskerry parish.ie St Mary's Masses viewable on webcam., www.enniskerryparish.ie

### Mass Times 11th & 12th February

Saturday St Mary's 6pm—Tony Carroll (1st A) James & Margaret Barton (A)

Mary Tuite (A), Joan Phillips (A)

Sunday St Patrick's, 10am - Ellen O'Gorman (1st A)

Sunday St Mochonog's 10am— Fr Michael Nevin (Rec Dec'd), Mary McKeown (A), Jeremiah Cahill (A), Owen Molloy (A) Christy Connolly (A)

Sunday St Mary's 11am— Joan Nolan (1st A), Brigid Acres (A), Fr Eddie Griffin (RD)

#### **ENNISKERRY PARISH FUNDRAISER LOTTO**

Jackpot increases weekly up to €5,000.

Draw each Thursday evening

Join Now. Scan the QR code on our website or go to: https://www.ourfundraiser.ie/org/enniskerryparish

Winners viewable on webcam.

Winner 9th February Sadie O'Connell —€25 Lucky Dip Jackpot now stands at €1,675

Thank you for your support



#### ACCORD COLLECTION

The annual collection for Accord Dublin, the Diocesan Agency for Marriage and the Family, will be made at all Masses this weekend of February 11th and 12th. Accord Dublin throughout the diocese offers Marriage Preparation courses – online, small groups; Counselling for couples and individuals experiencing difficulties in their relationships, currently online or by phone; A Relationship and Sexuality Programme for schools. Accord Dublin needs your support this year more than ever. Please give generously on February 11 and 12th.

## First Communion Preparation

A gathering of **Parents** and **First Communicants** for St. Mochonog's, St. Patrick's and St. Mary's & Gerard's NS. will take place on **Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> February at 2.30 pm in St. Mary's.** The title of this session is looking forward with love and I am looking forward to meeting as many First Communion families as possible.

CHARABANC The Charabanc Social Gatherings for Senior Citizens have recommenced in the Parochial Hall in the Village. They are on every second Friday afternoon from 2.30pm—4.30pm. The next gathering will be on **Friday next 17th February. This** time there will also be live music and entertainment. All Senior citizens are welcome to attend.

#### Date for your Diary!

An eco-awareness evening will take place on **Monday 20<sup>th</sup> of February at 7.30 in St Mary's church Enniskerry.** There will be a showing of the film. *The Letter*. This is a

thought-provoking documentary by pope Francis exploring the relationship between climate change and poverty and displacement in the world. Tina Roche will be our guest speaker. Tina is currently working with Enniskerry Sustainable Energy Community, and Enniskerry Biodiversity Group We will have plenty of time for questions and answers afterwards and, of course,



refreshments. We would love to see as many of you as possible there. Save the date!

#### **Death Notices**

The death occurred on Tuesday, February 7, of Fr Michael Geoffrey Nevin, who served in St. Mochonog's some years ago.

The death also occurred of Fr. Eddie Griffin on Saturday last, February 4th, who assisted in Parish in many ways over he years.

May they both Rest in Peace.

#### **Bray Cualann Historical Society**

Professor Gary Murphy will present 'C.J. Haughey, Saint or Sinner' at 8 p.m. on Thursday February 16th in the Royal Hotel, Main Street, Bray, Co. Wicklow. All are welcome - admission is €8 for non-members.

<u>Kilmacanogue History Society</u> are delighted to announce that our next Talk is on Monday 13th February at 8p.m in Kilmacanogue Parish Hall. <u>Our Speaker is Ms. Catriona Crowe</u> on the subject of "How did we do during the Decade of Centenaries?"- The Decade of Centenaries of our so-called revolutionary period is drawing to a close.

Catriona Crowe is a very well known Academic and an excellent Speaker. She has great knowledge and experience in many fields from the digitisation of the 1901 and 1911 Census and managing the Census on-line Project, when she was Head of Special Projects at the National Archives. She is a former President of the Women's History Association of Ireland. She has also presented many Documentaries on RTE television. All welcome. Admission for non-members €5 payable at the door.

Our A.G.M takes place on the following Monday 20th at 8p.m in Kilmacanogue Parish Hall. All welcome.

#### DAY OF PRAYER FOR SURVIVORS AND VICTIMS OF ABUSE

The Annual Day of Prayer for Survivors and Victims of Abuse is an initiative of Pope Francis and is held on the first Friday of Lent, which falls **on February 24** this year. This year the Office of Mission & Ministry has produced a leaflet – **attached to this email** – with prayers and hymns that can be used either on their own or as a complete (short) service. We ask parishes to announce the Day of Prayer the Sunday beforehand (February 19) and to include a prayer for survivors in the bidding prayers on that Sunday.

## You are invited to attend The St. Patrick's College Maynooth Annual Trócaire Lecture:

# How can Catholic Social Teaching (CST) help us to navigate fragility and lead us to local power and global justice in times of unprecedented crisis?

Registration for this free event during Trócaire's 50th anniversary year is required.

Please register:

- (i) to attend in person at this link; <a href="https://bit.ly/3jdPzvv">https://bit.ly/3jdPzvv</a>
- (ii) to attend online at this link; <a href="http://bit.ly/3Rho3ty">http://bit.ly/3Rho3ty</a>

The event will feature special guests **Dr Ethna Regan CHF** (Associate Professor of Theology and Ethics, Dublin City University) and **Cardinal Michael F. Czerny** (Prefect of the Dicastery for Promoting Integral Human Development) who will co-deliver the annual lecture. **Eileen Dunne**, a well-known broadcaster, will act as moderator.

The event will take place in Renehan Hall, St Patrick's College, Maynooth followed by refreshments. It will also be live-streamed for those who cannot attend in person.

For further enquiries please contact Frances Harnan – frances.harnan@trocaire.org

Best regards,

Caoimhe de Barra

**CEO** 

Trócaire