

St Michael's Parish Gorey Newsletter 12 November 2017

REMEMBERING THE HOLY SOULS

During the month of November, we shall be offering Holy Mass for the repose of the souls of our deceased relatives, friends and parishioners and for all those you recommend. The 'Pious List' is available in your church envelope box, or at the back of the church or from the parish office. Please place your list in the envelope provided and return them to the sacristy during mass times only or to the Parish Office.

"It is a holy and wholesome thought to pray for the dead"



MASS OF REMEMBRANCE

in St. Kevin's Church, Tara Hill on Wednesday 15th November at 7.30pm. Please add the name of your loved one to the sheet at the back of the church if you wish to have them remembered during this mass. All welcome.

REFLECTION FOR THE YEAR OF THE FAMILY

Family life is something worthwhile, and a society grows stronger and better, it grows in beauty and it grows in truth, when it rises on the foundation of the family.

Pope Francis, Prayer Vigil, Philadelphia, Sept 26th 2015

Today we often fail to see that the family is the true foundation of society, but that's what the family is. It came before society; the family of part of nature itself, and the more we cultivate a strong family life, the more we build a better and happier society.

From the Diocesan Pastoral Council

GOREY HOSPITAL REMEMBRANCE SERVICE

The Annual Service of Remembrance for the families and friends of all those who have died in Gorey Hospital in the past year will be held in Christ Church Gorey on Wednesday 29 November at 7.30pm. This will be followed by refreshments in Loch Garman Arms at 8pm.



NET MINISTRIES

NET stands for National Evangelisation Teams. We are missionaries who share Jesus' gospel message with young people. Every year we recruit and train young adults to evangelise to over 20,000 youth in churches, schools and parishes across Ireland. Our mission is to encourage young people to love Jesus and embrace the life of the Church.

We are delighted to announce that NET Ministries will be involved in our parish over the next few months - 10 young adults from NET ministries will be here to meet young people from our parish. We are looking for 5 homes to accommodate them over 5 weekends and Holy Week from December to May (preferably homes with teenagers in them). We are also looking for musicians and singers. If you are willing to help, please contact the Parish Office 053 9421117/goreyparish@gmail.com. Details can be found on our Facebook page.

Dates as follows: Dec 15-16, Jan 12-13, Mar 2-3, Mar 26-Apr 1 (Parish Mission), Apr 13-14, May 18-19.

CHURCH ENVELOPES 05 Nov

CHURCH	AMOUNT	NO. ENV
GOREY	€ 1,416.66	217
TARA HILL	€95.90	19
2nd Collection	€ 869.28	

MISSION SUNDAY

CHURCH	AMOUNT	NO. ENV
GOREY	€ 1,197.80	148
TARA HILL	€ 101.00	14

TARA HILL CHOIR: Rehearsal on Monday 13th November at 8pm in St. Kevin's Church. All past & new members are very welcome.

LEGION OF MARY: The Rosary will be recited at the Lourdes Grotto, Courtown Road every Thursday in November for the Holy Souls, at 7.30pm. All welcome.

HOPE CANCER SUPPORT CENTRE CLG: Information Evening in Gorey Library on Thursday 23rd November at 7pm. As the demand for our services continues to grow we want to look at the possibility of providing more support in the Gorey area. While we are based in Enniscorthy, people come to us from throughout the whole county, so it is important we reach out to the wider communities to let people know what we do. We want to hear your voice and from there we will see what the needs are in your area.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL: Community Employment Vacancy in our Clothes Shop in Gorey. Duties include sorting & organising stock on the shop floor, dealing with the public & cleaning duties. The suitable person must be able to lift bags for recycling and must be very discreet and able to be sympathetic as confidentiality is a must. Please drop an up to date CV into the Clothes Shop or call 0872495403 for information.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL: will have 2 church door collections in the lead up to Christmas. The first will take place on Saturday 18/Sunday 19 November at St. Michael's Church, and the second will be on Saturday 16/Sunday 17 December in St. Michael's Church and surrounding parishes. All donations will be used locally to help those in need. We wish to thank the people of Gorey for their continued support.

CHURCH ART CALENDARS: Church Art Calendars 2018 available in the Parish Office. We also have packs of Christmas Cards available (assorted designs) for €5.

GOREY ACTIVE RETIREMENT NEWS: We are celebrating our 15th birthday on 14th November. We are still providing activities for all our members :- Bowling, Go For Life, Cards, Art, Irish language and Walking. We are going to the Waterford Christmas Festival on 7th December price for bus €12. Christmas Dinner Dance on 12th December at Ashdown Park Hotel price €23 tickets available now. New Members are always welcome

St. Michael's Gorey

This week's Masses include intentions for:

Mon 10am: Pious List, Robert McDonald 8th Annv.

Tues 7.30am: John Molloy

Tues 10am: John Murphy

Wed 10am: Danny Grannell (1st anniv), Richard & Annie Nolan

Thurs 10am: Pious List, Mary Ivory, Tom Meyler

Fri 7.30am: Pious List

Fri 10am: Eileen & Paul Kingston, Paddy McDonald

Sat 10am: Marge & Billy Kelly

Next Weekend Mass intentions for:

Vigil 6pm: John Kelly, Michael Dowling (Annv)

Vigil 7.30pm: Denis Coade

12 noon: Billy Griffiths (11th anniv), Gerard Murphy, Jim Doyle

St. Kevin's Tara Hill

Sun 12 Nov 10.30am: Dunne Family, Andy Kinsella

Sun 19 Nov 10.30am: Sally Keogh, Syl Frayne, Theresa Massey