Meals-On-Wheels

Voluntary Drivers needed,

one every 3 months.

If you wish to volunteer your time please contact;-

051 445711 8.00am - 1.00pm.

Scripture Readings for next Sunday 25th September.

1st Reading: Am 6:1, 4-7. Psalm: Ps 145:6-10, R/ V2.1 2nd Reading: 1 Tm 6:11-16 Gospel: Luke 16:19-31.

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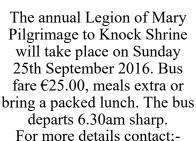
Weekly Collection -Sunday 11th September 2016 Envelopes: 245 Amount: €2,089.40

Sanctuary Lamp €10 per week

The Parish Office & Shop Opening Hours;-Monday - Friday 10.30am - 4.00pm.

PARISH RADIO 104.7FM 10.00AM MASS DAILY

Pilgrimage.



087 7148100 / 086 3100581 or any Legion of Mary Member.

New Ross Parish Bethany Bereavement Support Group: Contact No: 087-3846577

Legion Of Mary - Meetings every Wednesday evening in the Parish Pastoral Centre, Robert St, New Ross. Time: 7.30pm. Contact Des & Marie - 051-420523

Lectio Divina resumes in the Parish Pastoral Centre at 10.45am each Wednesday morning.

National Education Conference.

The future of Faith-Based Schools in a Pluralist Society.

Date: Thursday 20th October 2016. **Venue**: Hilton Hotel, Charlemont Place Dublin 2.

Cost: €45.00 including lunch and refreshments.

What role, if any, should faith play in the educational system? Drawing on experiences North and South the conference will aim to offer a roadmap for the future.

For information, or to book a place contact;Geraldine on 01 6874095.
Email: geraldine@irishcatholic.ie
The event is organised by
The Irish Catholic.



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Twenty –Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time



'Kingdom Economics'

If you think that all the parables which Jesus told were nice stories about people of integrity then today's parable will surely make you think again. This is a parable about a scoundrel, yet it praises him and his wisdom.

The manager has been given notice by his CEO and he decides to even up the tables, while he still can,

for those who are struggling to pay their debts to the company. The manager is praised for his astuteness, he has his priorities straight, he is happy to let debt go, to redistribute the load. Of course, there is self-interest on his part but Jesus is telling us that the only value the money really has is in the way it is disposed of and in doing this the manager wins the hearts and minds of the workers.

The manager won't be the most successful man on the planet compared to the 'children of the light' who are more concerned with accounts than with real people. The manager is free-spirited and can be trusted to value what is really important. He knows that none of this material wealth is permanent and uses the authority that he had to relieve the suffering of those who are indebted to his company. Yes, he is a bit of a scoundrel, but Jesus liked scoundrels, once their efforts were put to good use.

'God's dream for creation is different from Pharaoh's dream or Rome's dream or Wall Street's dream. And at the centre of God's economy is the idea of redistribution... It is an invitation to Holy mischief!'

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New Ross Parish Community strives to be a welcoming, life-giving PEOPLE, nourished by FAITH, WORSHIP of God and SERVICE of all in the example of Jesus Christ.

| MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK. Sanctuary Lamp: Special Intention. | | | | |
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| | | | | Sat 17th |
| Sun 18th | 8.00 | Helena Brennan, Butlersland | Anniversary | |
| | 9.00 | Honor Kavanagh-Martin, Parkfield | Anniversary | |
| | 10.00 | Nellie Connick ,Mount Carmel & deceased Family | Members Anniversary | |
| | 12.00 | | | |
| | 6.00 | Frank Dalton, 31 Barrett's Park | 15th Anniversary | |
| Mon 19th | 8.00 | Special Intention | | |
| | 10.00 | Deceased members of McDermot Family, Liverpoo | l Anniversary | |
| Tues 20th | 8.00 | Roland Vauglan, Inistoige | Anniversary | |
| | 10.00 | Deceased members of The Doyle Family, John St | Anniversary | |
| Wed 21st | 8.00 | Mass for the People of the Parish | | |
| | 10.00 | Jimmy & Una Marsh, Kilrush | Anniversary | |
| Thurs 22 | 8.00 | Johnny Fortune & Deceased Family Members, Cross St. Anniversary | | |
| | 10.00 | Vincent Curran, The Rower | Anniversary | |
| Fri 23rd | 8.00 | Deceased Members of the Whelan Family, Ballymacar, Anniversary | | |
| | 10.00 | Paddy & May Murphy, Arnestown | Anniversary | |
| Sat 24th | 8.00 | The Sisters of Mercy | | |
| | 10.00 | Mass Association | | |
| | 6.00 | Jimmy Callghan, St.Aidan's The Irishtown, | 1st Anniversary | |
| Sun 25th | 8.00 | Michael Drohan, 30 Pondsfields | Anniversary | |
| | 9.00 | Andrew Brennan, An Caislean Maol, | 2nd Anniversary | |
| | 10.00 | Helen Gannon, Hanna Brennan (Grand-Daughter), Dick Murphy (Brother) | Anniversary | |
| | 12.00 | Eamon Rowe | Month's Mind | |
| | 6.00 | Patrick & Bridie O' Farrell, , Southknock Anni | versary | |



Eucharistic Adoration takes place in our Parish every <u>Tuesday</u>
beginning after 10.00am Mass and concluding with Solemn Benediction at 9.00pm

Ferns Diocesan Pastoral Council

presents

Dr Tony Hanna, Director of The Armagh Diocesan Office of the Pastoral Renewal & Family Ministry, he will discuss

THE JOY OF LOVE—POPE FRANCIS

This gathering affords us an opportunity to reflect on what Pope Francis tells us about Modern Family Life.

Venue: Riverside Park Hotel, Enniscorthy. Date: Monday 19th September 2016.

Time: 7.30pm - 9.00pm. Admission €10.00



Diocesan Pastoral Council

The new Diocesan Pastoral Council is being commissioned in St Aidan's Cathedral on this Sunday,18th

September at 11.00am Mass celebrated by Bishop Denis Brennan. The new advisory Council is made up of the Bishop, lay representatives from each of the four deaneries, representatives of the Council of Priests, Bishop's appointees, clergy and religious. The term of office is 2016 to 2019.

Baptisms, Recently Deceased, Anniversaries, Weddings.

Recently Deceased: We commend to the fullness of eternal life the soul of Michael Cullen. May he rest in peace.

Anniversary Prayers: We remember in our prayers this week Jim Sutton, Maudlins.

St Michael's Theatre

Saturday 24th September 2016.

Matinee: FINDING DORY - 3.00pm. Movie: ME BEFORE YOU - 8.00pm.

Box-Office: 051 421255.

First Reading Amos 8:4-7

The prophet Amos was a fervent champion of the poor, the downtrodden and the oppressed of his day. In this reading, he condemns the exploitation of the poor. He warns his listeners to treat others justly and to be aware of the evils of greed– a message which is as pertinent today as it was in the time of Amos.

Second Reading 1 Timothy 2:1-8

Paul encourages us in this passage from his first letter to Timothy to think of others and to pray for them, especially for those in authority—again, this advice applies as much in the world we live in today as it did when Paul wrote this letter to Timothy.

Gospel Reading Luke 16:1-13

In today's Gospel, we hear Jesus tell us frankly that we cannot be slaves of God and money. He invites us to make definite and prudent choices about which master to follow in our lives. Each of us are stewards of the gifts God has given to us and Jesus gently but firmly reminds us that we have a great responsibility entrusted to us to use those gifts properly and faithfully.

New Ross Piano Festival.



The Festival starts on Thursday 22nd September 2016 with the student concert, which is a very enjoyable evening. Lots of other musical events.

Book now 051 421255.