Divine Mercy Sunday in our Parish Church

23rd April 2017.

3.00pm - Devotions.

Chaplet of Divine Mercy
with Confessions.

Holy Hour with Solemn Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction.

The Patricians
(Monthly Catholic Discussion Group)

Topic

LIFE

Thursday 27th April 2017.
7.00pm—9.00pm.

Pastoral Centre, Robert St.,
New Ross.

organised by The Legion of Mary

Refreshments served.
All welcome.

Scripture Readings for Second Sunday of Easter.
1st Reading: Acts 2: 42-47.
Psalm: 117: 2-4, 13-15, 22-24, R/V 1
2nd Reading: 1 Peter 1: 3-9.
Gospel: John: 20:19-31.

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Weekly Collection
Sunday 9th April 2017
Envelopes: 245 Amount: €1739

Parish Office & Shop
Opening Hours
Monday - Friday
10.30am - 4.00pm.
Closed Holy Days &
Bank Holidays.

Sanctuary Lamp €10 per week

PARISH RADIO 104.7FM
10.00AM MASS DAILY

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

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

Legion Of Mary - Meetings every Wednesday evening in the Parish Pastoral Centre, Robert St, New Ross.
Time: 7.30pm.
Contact Des & Marie - 051-420523.
Rosary & Divine Mercy are recited every Friday at 3.00pm on the Quay, next to the Dunbrody Centre.

Mindfulness -
Wexford Mental Health Association.

An introduction to Mindfulness - a tool to help sleep and reduce stress.
This Course will be delivered by Dr Vincent Moloney, retired Psychiatrist on Wednesday afternoons in Wexford Mental Health Association Training Centre from 2.00pm to 4.00pm commencing on 10th May 2017.
For information and bookings, please call Theresa on 053 9140610, Monday to Friday 9.30am to 1.30pm.

New Ross Parish. Church of St. Mary & St. Michael

Newsletter

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Easter Day of The Lord's Resurrection.

RESURRECTION IN OUR DAILY LIVES.

In the midst of darkness, the dawn breaks holding the possibility of new life. The stone is moved. Jesus is risen. His crucified body shines with resurrected light, casting a radiant brightness over the shadows of our lives and our worlds. We live the miracle of Easter when we discover meaning and life in the ordinary "bits and pieces" of our daily lives, when we have a positive attitude to our work, when we make our life a journey of wonder and thanksgiving, when we remove the limits we place around ourselves and others by daring to believe in the incredible power of the divine light which enfolds us and floods our being.

(Sr Antoinette Dilworth RSJ)

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.

HOLY MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK.

N.B. All 8.00 a.m. Holy Masses are in Mount Carmel Monastery Chapel

Sat 15th	**9.00pm**	Parish Church. **Easter Vigil Mass** - Parish Mass Association
	9.00pm	Mount Carmel Monastery, **Easter Vigil Mass**.
Sun 16th	**8.00am**	Friends and Benefactors of Mount Carmel Sisters.
	9.00am	Thomas, Ellen & Michael Fanning, JKL Place, Anniversary.
	10.00am	Catherine Monaghan, Lower William St., Anniversary.
	12.00pm	Deceased Members of Old IRA, LDF, LSF, FCA, & RDF.
	———	**There will be no evening Mass.**
Mon 17th	**8.00am**	Michael & Johanna Cullen, Wexford, Anniversary.
	10.00am	George & Bridie Echlin, Anniversary.
Tues 18th	**8.00am**	Patrick Doyle, Lower Mount Carmel, 6th Anniversary.
	10.00am	Paddy Cleary, Priory St., Anniversary.
Wed 19th	**8.00am**	Mass For The People of The Parish.
	10.00am	Michael Cullen, Riverview, Anniversary.
Thurs 20th	**8.00am**	Deceased Members of The Nolan, Murphy & Grace Families, Anniv.
	10.00am	John Moran, South St., Anniversary.
Fri 21st	**8.00am**	Gary Breen, Anniversary.
	10.00am	
Sat 22nd	**8.00am**	Sr Vera Power, Anniversary.
	10.00am	Parish Mass Association.
	6.00pm	Alan Murphy, Bosheen/Crossabeg, 1st Anniversary.
Sun 23rd	**8.00am**	Vocations.
	9.00am	John Gannon, Nunnery Lane, Anniversary.
	10.00am	James Caulfield, Charleton Hill, Anniversary.
	12.00pm	
	6.00pm	Peter Doyle, Stephanie Marshall, Helen Cummins. Anniversary.

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

Sanctuary Lamp: Special Intention.

Today's Readings.

'God of openness, of life and of resurrection, come into this Easter Season and bless us.'

First Reading
Acts 10: 34, 37-43.

The hospitality that the Roman officer Cornelius provided to Peter was a key to breaking down the apostle's anti-foreigner prejudices. Peter's address follows the pattern of the Easter *kerygma* (proclamation): a summary of the life, death and resurrection of Jesus followed by a call to repentance. While Jesus directed his mission to the Jewish people, the significance of his life is for all humanity.

Second Reading
Colossians 3: 1-4 / Cor 5: 6-8.

Both the suggested reading and its alternative ask the followers of Jesus to set aside their old ways in favour of resurrection newness. Our life is 'hidden with Christ in God' (Col 3:3). It was the Jewish custom to remove all yeast from the household for the Passover. The Resurrection involved only one man, but he has given a remarkable life to creation.

Baptisms, Recently Deceased, Anniversaries, Weddings.

Baptisms: We welcome into our Christian community, Harry Kehoe, Tower Grove. Luke Connolly, Barrett's Park. Holly Holden, Michael St. who were baptised recently.

Recently Deceased: We commend to the fullness of eternal life the soul of James (Jimmy) Doyle, Ard Mhicil. May he rest in peace.

Anniversaries:

Weddings: Congratulations and best wishes to Ann Marie Murray & James Byrne who were married recently.

NOTICES

The 49th Ferns Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes takes place from 17th to 22nd May next. Enquiries regarding booking should be made to O' Leary Travel, Enniscorthy at 053-9233178.

Adult Religious Education Project in Co Wexford.

The Parable Garden Education Project is based in Ballinesker near Curracloe. It offers opportunities and experiences for individuals and groups to reflect on their lives and to draw from spiritual wellsprings. While inspired by Christian and Irish traditions all who would like to discover a deeper meaning in their lives are welcome.
Michael Drumm, who is a diocesan Priest, and Tom Gunning, who is a teacher in Loreto Secondary School in Wexford have developed the Project. Full details available at **www.parablegarden.ie**

Pro Life Talk

"Wexford Pro Life follow-up Talk and training with Paddy Manning and Michael Dwyer of Family & Life on Tuesday 18th April 2017 in the Legion of Mary Hall, Enniscorthy at 7.30pm.

Co Wexford Community Workshop. Community Employment Scheme.

Vacancies are available for a Sports & Leisure Attendant and Support Worker in a Garden Centre. Closing date for applications will be Friday 21st April 2017. For Forms and details contact the Scheme Supervisor on 053 9235514.

We wish all our parishioners and their families and friends every blessing this Easter Season.