

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON

See, I have God for my help. The Lord sustains my soul. I will sacrifice to you with willing heart, and praise your name, O Lord, for it is good.

GREETING

In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen.**
The Lord be with you. **And with your spirit**

PENITENTIAL ACT

You were sent to heal the contrite of heart: Lord, have mercy. **Lord, have mercy.**

You came to call sinners: Christ, have mercy. **Christ, have mercy.**

You are seated at the right hand of the Father to intercede for us: Lord, have mercy. **Lord, have mercy.**
May almighty God have mercy on us....

THE GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.
We praise you, we bless you,
we adore you, we glorify you,
we give you thanks for your great glory,
Lord God, heavenly King,
O God, almighty Father.
Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son,
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us;
you take away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.
For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High,
Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. **Amen.**

OPENING PRAYER

Show favour, O Lord, to your servants and mercifully increase the gifts of your grace, that, made fervent in hope, faith and charity, they may be ever watchful in keeping your commands.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ,.....

LITURGY OF THE WORD

FIRST READING **Genesis 18:1-10**

A reading from the book of Genesis

The Lord appeared to Abraham at the Oak of Mamre while he was sitting by the entrance of the tent during the hottest part of the day. He looked up, and there he saw three men standing near him. As soon as he saw them he ran from the entrance of the tent to meet them, and bowed to the ground. 'My lord,' he said, 'I beg you, if I find favour with you, kindly do not pass your servant by. A little water shall be brought; you shall wash your feet and lie down under the tree. Let me fetch a little bread and you shall refresh yourselves before going further. That is why you have come in your servant's direction.' They replied, 'Do as you say.'

Abraham hastened to the tent to find

Sarah. 'Hurry,' he said, 'knead three bushels of flour and make loaves.' Then running to the cattle Abraham took a fine and tender calf and gave it to the servant, who hurried to prepare it. Then taking cream, milk and the calf he had prepared, he laid all before them, and they ate while he remained standing near them under the tree.

'Where is your wife Sarah?' they asked him. 'She is in the tent,' he replied. Then his guest said, 'I shall visit you again next year without fail, and your wife will then have a son.'

The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM **Ps. 14:2-5**

R. The just will live in the presence of the Lord.

- Lord, who shall dwell on your holy mountain?
He who walks without fault; he who acts with justice
and speaks the truth from his heart;
he who does not slander with his tongue. **(R)**
- He who does no wrong to his brother,
who casts no slur on his neighbour,
who holds the godless in disdain,
but honours those who fear the Lord. **(R)**
- He who keeps his pledge, come what may;
who takes no interest on a loan
and accepts no bribes against the innocent.
Such a man will stand firm for ever. **(R)**

SECOND READING **Colossians 1: 24 - 28** **A reading from the letter of St. Paul to the Colossians.**

It makes me happy to suffer for you, as I am suffering now, and in my own body to do what I can to make up all that has still to be undergone by Christ for the sake of his body, the Church. I became the servant of the Church when God made me responsible for delivering God's message to you, the message which was a mystery hidden for generations and centuries and has now been revealed to his saints. It was God's purpose to reveal it to them and to show all the rich glory of this mystery to pagans. The mystery is Christ among you, your hope of glory: this is the Christ we proclaim, this is the wisdom in which we thoroughly train everyone and instruct everyone, to make them all perfect in Christ.

The word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.



GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia!
Open our heart, O Lord,
to accept the words of your Son.
Alleluia!

GOSPEL **Luke 10.38 - 42**

The Lord be with you. **And with your spirit.**

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke. Glory to you, O Lord.

Jesus came to a village, and a woman named Martha welcomed him into her house. She had a sister called Mary, who sat down at the Lord's feet and listened to him speaking. Now Martha who was distracted with all the serving said, 'Lord, do you not care that my sister is leaving me to do the serving all by myself? Please tell her to help me.' But the Lord answered: 'Martha, Martha,' he said, 'you worry and fret about so many things, and yet few are needed, indeed only one. It is Mary who has chosen the better part; it is not to be taken from her.'

The Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ.

NICENE CREED

I believe in one God, the Father almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all things visible and invisible.
I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ,
the Only Begotten Son of God,
born of the Father before all ages.
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten, not made, consubstantial with
the Father; through him all things were made.
For us men and for our salvation
he came down from heaven,

All bow for following three lines:

and by the Holy Spirit
was incarnate of the Virgin Mary,
and became man.
For our sake he was crucified
under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and
was buried, and rose again on the third day
in accordance with the Scriptures.
He ascended into heaven and is seated at the
right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory
to judge the living and the dead
and his kingdom will have no end.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord,
the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father
and the Son, who with the Father and
the Son is adored and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.
I believe in one, holy,
catholic and apostolic Church.
I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness
of sins and I look forward to the resurrection
of the dead and the life of the world to come.
Amen.

LITURGY OF THE EUCHARIST

Pray brothers and sisters,
May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your
hands for the praise and glory of his
name, for our good and the good of all his
holy Church.



To pray, to listen to Christ, to have time for friendship and for love,
to care for justice - all these are "the better part" which our busy world
sometimes puts into very secondary places. Not so the gospel.

PRAYER OVER THE OFFERINGS

O God, who in the one perfect sacrifice brought to completion varied offerings of the law, accept, we pray, this sacrifice from your faithful servants and make it holy, as you blessed the gifts of Abel, so that what each has offered to the honour of your majesty may benefit the salvation of all. Through Christ our Lord.

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER

The Lord be with you.
And with your spirit.
Lift up your hearts.
We lift them up to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right and just.

SANCTUS

Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts.
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of
the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

AFTER THE CONSECRATION

The mystery of faith.
We proclaim your Death, O Lord,
and profess your Resurrection
until you come again.

INVITATION TO HOLY COMMUNION

Behold the Lamb of God,
Lord, I am not worthy that you
should enter under my roof, but only say
the word and my soul shall be healed.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

The Lord, the gracious, the merciful,
has made a memorial of his wonders;
he gives food to those who fear him.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Graciously be present to your people,
we pray, O Lord, and lead those you have
imbued with heavenly mysteries to pass
from former ways to newness of life.
Through Christ our Lord.

CONCLUDING RITE

The Lord be with you.
And with your spirit.
May the blessing of almighty
God, the Father, and the Son, ✠
and the Holy Spirit, come down
on you and remain with you
for ever. **Amen**
Go in peace,
Thanks be to God.



Today's Gospel is a Gospel of contrasts, contrasting two ways of knowing and serving the Lord - contemplative and active. Both ways help nourish and sustain our faith. The better food is to listen to the word of God, but it is not the only part.

A principal part of Christian life is listening to the word of God. That's where we learn to find God amid the pots and pans where most of us spend our lives. Someone said - my children have left home, now I can serve the Lord! If she had listened to the Word, she would have known that in loving her children she served God! The word of God - what you do for others you do for me - would have taught her that loving the family was her service of God!

LISTEN IN PEACE

Listen in peace - Martha was warned about fretting and worrying - the quality of her cooking was not in question! The better part is to listen, so that we can work in service of others with love. Love grows at the feet of the Lord as well as in our human loves.

Otherwise, our service can be grudging. We think - Why should I do it all? Or self-serving - look how lovely my tea is! Or fussy - go on, go on, go on, have another cup. Prayer teaches us to serve others with love.

Jesus reveals himself everywhere and in everyone. By spending time in prayer with him we prepare ourselves to hear his call. We must learn his language and how to listen. If we spend time at his feet, we will recognise him in other places.

So, the mother in question - she had served God all her life, but she did not know it. If you give time to the other part - listening in prayer, then you will find the better part in service too.

Donal Neary SJ. (editor, Sacred Heart Messenger)

Jesus' Story

Liam Hickey

Jesus had two friends, Martha and Mary. They invited Jesus to dinner. Martha liked shopping, and getting everything ready. Mary liked chatting and listening to Jesus. One day, a Teacher in school, asked the children, "Why did God give us two ears and only one mouth? One little girl said "I know". God gave us two ears so that we would listen two more times than we talk. To listen to other person's stories is a sign of love, and getting meals ready, is also a sign of love.

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

Parish Office Opening Hours: Monday to Friday 10.30am to 2.00pm. Closed Holy Days & Bank Holidays. Wide range in stock of Mass Cards, General Cards & Gift Ideas for all occasions. Mass Cards are also available in Nugent's Newsagents, Cooney's & Ryan's Funeral Homes.

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Date	Time		
Sat 16th July	5.00pm	Mary Dale, Irishtown	Anniversary
Sun 17th July	8.00am	Carmelites Benefactors & Friends	Special Intentions
	9.00am	Mary Foley, Irishtown	11th Anniversary
	10.00am	Ryan & Holden families, Abbey Hall	Anniversaries
	12.00 Noon	Jimmy Connors, Buncloody, formerly New Ross Fr. Paddy O'Brien, Chambersland	Months Mind Months Mind
Mon 18th July	8.00am	Willie Murphy, Priory Street	Anniversary
	10.00am	Claire Dunne, Terrerath & Deirdre Dunne, Portmarnock	Anniversaries
Tues 19th July	8.00am	Margaret O'Brien & deceased members of the Barry family & John Joseph	Anniversary
	10.00am	John O'Byrne, Cushinstown	Anniversary
	10.00am— 8.00pm	Eucharistic Adoration	
Wed 20th July	8.00am	People of the Parish	
	10.00am	Anthony Larkin, Parkfield	4th Anniversary
	7.00pm	Rosary at Grotto in Irishtown every Wednesday over the summer months	
Thurs 21st July	8.00am	Vincent O'Dwyer, Ard Ross	Anniversary
	10.00am	Paddy Foley, Chambersland	Anniversary
	3.00pm— 4.00pm	Divine Mercy Holy Hour & Rosary in Blessed Sacrament Chapel	
Fri 22nd July	8.00am	John Furlong, Ballyrue	Anniversary
	10.00am	Dominic & Ciss Whelan, Late of Mary Street & Southknock & deceased members of the Whelan family	Anniversaries
Sat 23rd July	10.00am	Parish Mass Association	

RECENTLY DECEASED: We pray for the souls of Sister Margaret Mary (Bridie) Morris, Mount Carmel Convent, Kells, Co. Meath & Strabane, Co. Tyrone, Fr. Paddy O'Brien (Months Mind), Chambersland & Paddy (Spud) Murphy, Bosheen, New Ross, who has passed away recently. May they rest in peace.

ANNIVERSARY PRAYERS: We remember & pray for the souls of Billy Sidney, Neville Street & Margaret Maggie Cash (1st Anniversary), Hospital Road, who's anniversaries occurs around this time.

WEDDING: Congratulations to Amanda Mylett, Mount Carmel & John Butler, Gusserane, who were married recently in our Parish Church.

BAPTISMS: Maximum of two candidates per Baptism. Please contact the Parish Office if you wish to book your child's baptism. Minimum two weeks notice required. Copy of Birth Certificate is required for the candidate. Photo ID is also required for the person making / requesting the booking.

Should you wish to have a loved one included in this section, please contact the Parish Office with the details by the previous Wednesday before 2.00pm.

Sanctuary Lamps Intentions:
Available @ €10.00 per week.
Commencing Saturday @ 10.00am.

Our Lady's (Left):

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Altar (Centre):

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Joseph's (Right):
Special Intentions

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Wednesday 20th July 2022 @ 7.00pm: Rosary at Grotto in Irishtown every Wednesday over the summer months.

Sunday 24th July 2022: Grandparents Day

Monday 1st August 2022: Bank Holiday, Parish Office Closed.

Monday 15th August 2022: Holy Day Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. No Vigil Mass on Sunday 14th August. Masses on 15th of August @ 8.00am in Mount Carmel 10.00am & 1.05pm in Parish Church. Parish Office Closed.

Thursday 18th August 2022: Our Lady's Island New Ross Pastoral Area Mass @ 8.00pm. Coach leaving Car Park Opposite the Dunbrody Visitor Centre on the Quay @ 6.00pm Stopping @ Cushinstown Parish Church & Carrigbyrne.

Sunday 4th September 2022: New Ross Parish Sunday School re-launch. Details to be confirmed.

Thursday 8th September 2022: Our Lady's Island closing Mass @ 7.00pm. Coach leaving Car Park Opposite the Dunbrody Visitor Centre on the Quay @ 5.00pm Stopping @ Cushinstown Parish Church & Carrigbyrne.

CHURCH COLLECTION ENVELOPES
New Boxes of envelopes started last Sunday 3rd July 2022.

The two main collections are: -
a) Upkeep up the Church - BLUE envelopes.
b) Priests' Income - YELLOW envelopes.
All other coloured envelopes are for specific collections and are self-explanatory.
Again we acknowledge the generosity of all who faithfully contribute to all the above.



Eucharistic Adoration

Adorers needed to cover one hour between the hours of 4pm - 8pm every Tuesday.
If you have one hour to spare please contact the Parish Office on 051 42148.



PARISH INFORMATION.



ST. VINCENT DE PAUL—NEW ROSS: 085 8313073

Radio & Live Stream Mass: 104.7FM & New Ross Parish Website Live Stream, for all Masses including Funeral Masses except 8.00am in Mount Carmel Monastery Chapel.

Mass Bookings: We are currently taking Mass Bookings up to and including December 2022.

Next Weeks Readings: SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY
TIME Gn 18:20-32. Ps 137:1-3,6-8, R/ v 3. Col 2:12-14. Lk 11:1-13.

Confessions: Saturdays after 10.00am Mass & before vigil Mass. Mon — Fri on request after 10.00am Mass. Please notify the priest before Mass in the Sacristy.

Meals on Wheels: Avail of our high quality meals available five days a week. To order just call 051-445711, Sr. Aidan Centre, Cross St.

Safeguarding Representative: Mairin Jackson - Contact No: (051) 421348 - Any queries in relation to working with children or adolescence within our parish please contact the above.

Bethany Bereavement Support: If you need support please ring 087 3846577. Drop in Centre in St. Michaels Pastoral Centre on the first Thursday of every month.

Weekly Collection and Supporting the Parish: Collections 10th July 2022 @ € 1,731.00 (Envelope No. 167) You can donate via. The Ferns Diocesan Website (www.ferns.ie) by clicking the big pink button. Thank you for the support. **Please make all cheques payable to St. Mary & St. Michael Parish Church New Ross.**

St. Michael's Pastoral Centre: Available for Parish based activities, please contact the Parish office.

Intentions for the living: Intentions for the living will be announced as "Special Intentions" unless the person who the intention is for signs the GDPR Regulation Slip. Please advise at time of booking.

Certificate Requests: Request forms are available from the Parish Office. Certificate fees at €5.00 each. Photographic ID is required for the candidate including Photographic ID for the person who has been authorised by you to collect it. Collection on Fridays only.

PRIEST ON DUTY (051) 421214: Visitation of Sick / Housebound (First Friday Calls) We are anxious to visit those who cannot celebrate Mass with us due to illness, aged or infirm. Arrangements can be made to receive the sacraments at home by calling the Parish Office.

Lectio Divina: Every Wednesday morning at 10.45am for one hour in St. Michaels Pastoral Centre.

Legion of Mary: Meetings every Thursday afternoon @ 12.00 noon in St. Michaels Pastoral Centre. Contact: Alex Doyle, Tel: 087 273 8703.

Radio Maria Ireland: Radio Maria Ireland is an Irish run Catholic Talk-Radio Station. Prayer, Catechesis, uplifting music, Talks, Interviews and Testimonies—all Commercial free-Listen via Free App "RADIO MARIA IRELAND", streaming on www.radiomaria.ie or via. PHONE — get live radio feed by calling +353 (0) 1 437 3277 (no extra charges apply). Please join our growing faith Family!

Irish Catholic Newspaper: Available in the Parish Office @ € 2.50 each

NATIONAL GRANDPARENTS PILGRIMAGE

Celebration of the World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly 2022
3.00pm on Sunday 24 July 2022 in Knock Basilica



www.catholicgrandparentsassociation.com

Principal Celebrant: Archbishop Francis Duffy, Archbishop of Tuam and Patron of the Catholic Grandparents Association who will lead the pilgrimage and the celebration of the second World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly at Knock Shrine.

Music at the Mass: The combined choirs of Knock Parish directed by Una Nolan, Director of Music at Knock Shrine.

Reflection: Catherine Wiley, Founder of the Catholic Grandparents Association.

Children's Prayer Appeal: Inviting all children to write a prayer for their grandparents and send it to Knock Shrine Museum.

2.30pm: Anointing of the Sick

3.00pm: Pilgrimage Mass followed by the Rosary.

THOSE UNABLE TO JOIN US IN PERSON CAN TAKE PART ONLINE AT WWW.KNOCKSHRINE.IE/WATCH



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Our Lady's Island 2022

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Coach leaving Car Park Opposite the Dunbrody Visitor
Centre on the Quay @ 6.00pm

Stopping @ Cushinstown Parish Church & Carrigbyrne.



8th September, Closing Mass @ 7.00pm

Coach leaving Car Park Opposite the Dunbrody Visitor
Centre on the Quay @ 5.00pm

Stopping @ Cushinstown Parish Church & Carrigbyrne.

If you wish to attend either one or both, please contact
the New Ross Parish

Office to book a seat on **051 421 348.**

Cost @ € 10.00 per trip.

Thank You.

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.