



Holy Trinity Abbey Church Founded 1230

Sunday 15th January 2017

Rev. Joseph Noonan, P.P.

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Rev. Frank Moriarty

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Parish Office - 061 396172:

Monday to Friday – 9.30am to 1.15pm - Parish Secretary: Rita Hickey

<u>Eucharistic Ministers: 21/22 Jan. 2017</u>		<u>Mass Readers: 21/22 January 2017</u>
Sat. 7.00pm	Carmel Scanlon Mags Wallace Catherine Hickey	<i>First Holy Communion Parents</i>
Sun. 9.30am	Carmel Collins Mary Reidy	Joe Hannon
11.30am	Margaret Clifford Margaret Shovlin Mary C Ryan	Trish Canty

Daily Mass during the week: 10am

Migrant Sunday – In the Catholic Church no-one is a stranger. The tradition is to welcome the stranger and the church is open to anyone, anywhere. The church is ‘God’s family on earth’ and in God, as we know, there is neither Jew nor Greek, slave nor free; we are all children of the same family.



We are aware that migration can mean enormous hardships and suffering for our brothers and sisters who are migrants – they are deprived of their most basic human rights which we take for granted. Their suffering is a challenge to our faith.

Today is the feast of **St. Ita**, patroness of our Diocese. Today in Kileedy parish her feast is celebrated as a parish feast with the Bishop and all parishioners.

January 18th to 25th - Week of Prayer for Christian Unity. This year as we remember the 500th anniversary of Martin Luther’s 95 theses, the theme chosen for the week is: **“Reconciliation - the love of Christ compels us”.**

The **Social Service Collection** will be taken up at all masses next weekend 21st & 22nd January.

First Holy Communion – We welcome the children preparing for First Holy Communion and their families to our 7pm Vigil Mass next Saturday evening.

Feast Days:

Tuesday 17th January – St. Anthony

Saturday 21st January – St. Agnes

Adare Sheltered Housing Ltd. - Unit 3, Desmond Drive - Unit 3, Adare Sheltered Housing, Desmond Drive, Adare is now vacant. Applications are invited from eligible persons, who are in need of housing and who are on the current Local Authority Housing list. Applications already on file will also be considered. Application forms are available from Mrs. Anne Mordan, Secretary, Adare Sheltered Housing Ltd, Clonshire More, Croagh, Co. Limerick. Tel. 087 2772019. **Closing date for application Wednesday February 8th 2017.**

Adult Art Classes for beginners and intermediate level. 10 weeks starting on Thursday 19th January. Venue: Adare Boys National School. Time: 7pm to 9.30pm. Tutor: Local Artist, Barry O’Riordan – 085 1336643. (Limited places available so book early).

Family Carers Ireland are proving the QQI Level 5 Healthcare Support Award in your area based on demand in February 2017. One Day Workshops on Falls Management, Stress Management & Nutrition also available. For more info contact 0579322920.

Retrouvaille - A Lifeline for Married Couples: Do you feel lost, alone or bored in your marriage? Are you hurt, frustrated or angry with your spouse? Does talking about it only make it worse? The Retrouvaille programme can help marriages at all stages. Next programme starts 10th – 12th February 2017. For information contact Tony & Anne (01) 495 3536, Mike & Anne (01) 450 0922, text or call 086 413 5440, or email info@retrouvaille.ie or visit www.retrouvaille.ie COMPLETELY CONFIDENTIAL

Come and See – 17th & 18th February 2017 – Pallottine House, Thurles. Thinking about the priesthood? Please contact your parish priest or Fr. Muiris O’Connor on 086 6075628.

