Mass Intentions for this weekend	Mass Intentions for next weekend
10am Curtlestown: Ben Goi (RD)	10am Curtlestown:
10am Kilmacanogue: Paddy Martin (A)	10am Kilmacanogue : Margaret & Robert Draper (A)
11am Enniskerry: Doreen Roe (RD)	Kit & Annie King (A), Liz O'Hanlon A)
Victor Brophy (RD)	Catherine O'Toole (A), Peter Holden (A)
Noel & Paulina Cregan (A)	Kieran Doyle (Birthday Remembrance)
Paul Luizzi (A)	
Richard & Joan Coogan (A)	11am Enniskerry : Maura Culliton (A)
Mary Maguire (5th A)	Jimmy & Rita Barton (A)
Frank Roche (3rd A)	Bill & Gretta Seery (A)
	Peter & Mary McCarthy (A)

St. Mary's—Coming Week - Mon. 18th Feb—Sat. 25th Feb Rosary 09.55am before Mass each morning in St. Mary's Prayer Room Mass - 10.15am Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Prayer Service—10.15am Wednesday. Exposition of Blessed Sacrament after Prayer Service on Friday mornings in St. Mary's. Anointing of the Sick— after Mass on First Friday of the month St. Mochonog's Mass on 2nd, 3rd & 4th Friday of the month 10.00am.

Monthly Meeting of Ministers: Please note time change The first of a series of monthly meetings of Ministers of the Eucharist and of the Word, to facilitate meditation and discussion, will take place in St. Mary's church at 7.00 pm on this Thursday 21st February. All Ministers from Kilmacanogue, Glencree, Curtlestown and Enniskerry welcome

Women's World Day of Prayer will be held in Powerscourt Church of Ireland on Friday, 8th March at 8pm. This year the Prayers are being written by the women of Slovenia. All parishioners are welcome.

Home Visitation: Fr. Bernard/ Fr. Joseph or a Minister of the Eucharist visit the sick and housebound on the First Friday of the month. If you, or a relative or friend would like a visit on the First Friday of each month please contact the Parish Office.



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Dear Parishioner,

The diocese have offered us a special opportunity this year in the form of "A Week of Guided Prayer" which will take place in our own parish. Those of you who were at Mass in the parish last Sunday will already have heard a presentation about this and hopefully you were given an Application Form. Trained, experienced Prayer Guides will be available for us during the week of March 3rd - 9th (Ash Wednesday is on March 6th). The Week of Guided Prayer is described as "a retreat with a difference - sometimes called a 'Retreat in Daily Life', or a 'Busy Person's Retreat', as you don't have to go away to a quiet, beautiful place to find God...you are enabled to find God in your everyday life, in all its ups and downs".

The retreat will involve short, daily, individual meetings with a Prayer Guide as well as putting aside a short time each day for personal prayer. It will also have a communal, parish dimension. We will meet together as a group at both the beginning and the end of the Week, so it should provide an opportunity both for personal spiritual renewal and for building ourselves up as a parish. For those who are interested, there is even the possibility that it might develop into something ongoing, for example, a monthly prayer and/or faith sharing group in our parish.

Because the organisers need to know how many prayer guides will be needed, it is essential to register in advance. The Application Form (see attached) allows you to state your preferred times for meeting with your Prayer Guide and you will be able to finalise a time that will suit you at the Group Meeting at the beginning of the Week.

Please complete the Application Form and return to the Parish Office. They will need to reach the office by **THIS** Tuesday morning, **February 19th** at the latest.

For any further questions, or if you have difficulty returning the forms, please contact Sally at 087 4189 338.

We do hope you will be able to come! (I strongly encourage you to pray about this and commit to it if possible) Please consider passing this email on, particularly to anyone who may have been away last weekend, and consider encouraging your friends to participate.

And please pray for the success of this venture, that the Holy Spirit will draw many of our parishioners to make this retreat and that all who do so will be richly blessed.

Signed: Fr. Bernard Kennedy, Sally Phalan (PPC), Phil Kenna (Liturgy Committee)

ACCORD—Annual Collection . The annual collection for ACCORD Dublin will take place at all Masses today, Sunday 17th Feb, the Diocesan Agency for Marriage and the Family, The collection for ACCORD will replace the usual Share Collection. ACCORD offers Marriage Preparation Courses, counselling for couples and individuals experiencing difficulties in their relationships and a Relationship and Sexuality Programmes for primary and secondary Schools. ACCORD Dublin needs your support. Please give generously.

Collections — Curtlestown, Enniskerry, Kilmacanogue. 10th Feb:: 1st collection: Diocesan and Retired Priests Fund: €416 2nd Collection: Share: €335 Own Parish Collection—Family Offering: €315

Kilmacanogue Cardiac First Responders—Fund Raising Table Quiz

Monday 25th February 2019—Plucks of Kilmacanogue

Contact Sharon Carey 087 416 1706/Caroline McNamara 086 258 6762 Raffle tickets will be sold on the night with some GREAT Prizes.

<u>Kilmacanogue History Society</u> announce the Launch of New Oral History Project to take place in The Boardroom of the Glenview Hotel on **Tuesday 19th February** (*a*) 8pm. with the aim of developing a resource for recording and archiving the memories of living people- memories of the older generation with the view to recording them in the near future and preserving them with the support of the Wicklow County Council Heritage Office. **All welcome.**

Wicklow Hospice Beanies/woolly hats available to buy in The Village Shop, Enniskerry, for €10. Range of colours, they are warm and comfy. All proceeds go to the Wicklow Hospice. The Wicklow Hospice will open its doors by the end of 2019, a truly wonderful achievement by the People of Co Wicklow and beyond. All support is so very much appreciated. If you would like some more information on the Wicklow Hospice please contact Sinead on 0870954137.

Brian White, Chairman of the **Bray Cualann Historical Society**, will be the presenter for the **Thursday February 21st 8pm** meeting of the Bray Cualann Historical Society in the Royal Hotel, Bray, at which he will present his illustrated lecture 'The Maritime History of Bray, County Wicklow' - all welcome, admission €5.

Please note: Only official **Dublin Diocesan Literature and Posters** may be posted on the Noticeboards in our Churches and distributed in our Church Grounds.



Dear Parents of our Young Parishioners,

Our parish enthusiastically welcomes your growing family to fully celebrate with us.

May we suggest:

Relax. God put the energy in little children. Don't feel you have to suppress it in God's house.

Sit towards the front or aisle where it is easier for little

ones to see and hear.

Quietly explain the parts of the Mass.

Sing the hymns, pray the prayers and say the responses.

Children learn from your actions.

If you feel you must leave Mass with your child, please do so and know that you are welcome to come back into the church at any time that feels comfortable for your child. **Please don't stop bringing your child to Mass** - as Jesus said "*Let the children come to me*"

Useful Help Lines: Society of St. Vincent de Paul 01 8550022, Mon–Fri, 900am-5.30pm RECOVERY 6260775, ACCORD: 5053112, Samaritans:1850 60 90 90