

Mass Intentions 15th May 2022— 5th Sunday of Easter

Saturday— St Mary's 6pm.,

Sunday, **St Patrick's, 10am** - Pat King (Snr) (A), Thomas & Catherine Megan (A), Tom Megan (A)

St Mary's 11am,

Masses in St Mary's viewable on webcam, .

St Mochonog's 10am Sunday—Norbert Galligan (Rec Dec'd), Vincent Brennan (Rec Dec'd)

To join on Zoom please phone (087 418 9338) or email sally.phalan@gmail.com

If you have retired you are very welcome to join us for the Rosary each morning in St. Mary's at 09.45am and Mass at 10.15am., Mon Tues, Thurs. and Frid, Prayers Services Wed and Sat 10.15am.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION—MAY 2022 .

We wish the children of St. Mary's & St. Gerard's N.S. who made their First Holy Communion in St. Mary's Church yesterday, May 14th every blessing., and we welcome and wish blessings to the children of St. Mochonog's N.S. who will make their Holy Communion on Saturday 21st May at 10.00 in St. Mochonog's Church and the children of St. Patrick's N.S. in St. Patrick's Church on Saturday 28th May at 11.00am.

ENNISKERRY PARISH FUNDRAISER LOTTO

Jackpot increases weekly up to €5,000.

Draw each Thursday.

Join Now. Scan the QR code on our website or go to:

<https://www.ourfundraiser.ie/org/enniskerryparish>

Winners viewable on webcam.

Winner 12th May — Kevin Keogh—€25 Lucky Dip

Jackpot now stands at €750

Thank you all for your support



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Our Archbishop Dermot Farrell has asked us all to pray the hope prayer which has been included in the parish link this week . This is the start of a process in which the Archbishop wants us to re imagine the parish of the future.

Pledge to Plant for Irish Hospice Foundation:

Irish Hospice Foundation is calling on supporters to Pledge to Plant to raise funds for their work in end of life and bereavement care in Ireland. They are asking supporters to grow flowers, plants and vegetables in May and then organise a plant sale in June to sell what they have grown to family, friends and colleagues. Everyone that registers to Pledge to Plant will receive a free supporter pack full of information, planting tips and complimentary seeds to get them started.

To sign up for your pack or find out more see www.hospicefoundation.ie/pledgetoplant or call (01) 6793188

BUILDING HOPE FIRST PHASE BEGINS THIS WEEK

The first phase of *Building Hope* towards parish renewal began last week.

Parish prays the *Building Hope* Prayer as we begin this first phase of *Building Hope* towards parish renewal. The *Building Hope* prayer can be found at <https://dublindiocese.ie/the-building-hope-prayer/>

- Parish team, parish pastoral council and parish finance committee gathers to form together the Parish *Building Hope* Leadership Group. The Chair of the PPC or another person chosen in their place for this role, should chair the Parish *Building Hope* Leadership Group.
- The group reflects prayerfully together on the Archdiocese of Dublin Statement of Mission and the *Building Hope* Task Force Report.
- Then the group reviews the parish profile data and resources provided and, in synodal manner, reaches a broad understanding of the direction of its response. Before coming to a final partnership determination, the parish profile material is shared widely and at a parish gathering. This is a very important part of the process intended to encourage as many parishioners as would wish to join in the dialogue and discernment.

The Parish *Building Hope* Leadership Group invites local animators and asks them to register on buildinghope@dublindiocese.ie.

Together they agree an appropriate date, suggested in the fifth and sixth week of Easter (May 15 to May 28), for a *Building Hope* Parish Gathering

The *Building Hope* resources, including Archbishop Farrell's Easter Pastoral Letter *Living the Hope of Easter*, can be found at <https://dublindiocese.ie/category/building-hope/>. A video of Archbishop Farrell reading from his pastoral letter can be watched at https://youtu.be/TdWLWj_ICEU/.

LAY MINISTRY COLLECTION – MAY 14 AND 15

The Archdiocese of Dublin Lay Ministry Collection takes place on Saturday and Sunday, May 14 and 15. The Lay Ministry Collection will support the development of a variety of lay ministries, providing for more women and men to work alongside the priests and deacons. Our hope is that lay ministry will make a significant contribution to pastoral life into the future.

Donations can be made online at <https://pay-payzone.easypaymentsplus.com/customer/10012/product-list/>.

MISSION IMPOSSIBLE COURSE

Pope Francis is urging all Catholics to understand that they are called to be missionary disciples. This calls for a different vision of what it means to be Church. In this course – ideal for members of parish pastoral councils as they look ahead – we wish to explore together this new vision through reflecting on the signs of the times, the teaching of Pope Francis and a biblical understanding of faith. Our presenters have a wide range of experience in pastoral ministry as well as being theologians, missionaries, and teachers. The course is jointly organised by Spiritan Mission Ireland and the office of Mission and Ministry in the Archdiocese of Dublin. Early registration is advisable as places are limited. For more details, and how to register, see the attached poster.

The Building Hope Prayer

Pilgrim God, we give you thanks and praise.

You constantly journey with us
even in our darkness and doubts.

We seek your way of loving kindness
to walk together as one family.

Open our eyes to recognise you
in the faces of one another,
in the breaking of bread
and in the splendour of creation.

May the risen Christ sow seeds of hope
and new life deep within us.

May our hearts and minds be filled with your Word,
bringing forth truth, justice and peace.

May the Holy Spirit working in
and through us do much more
than we can dare to imagine
as we live out our baptismal calling
in humble and loving service.

We make this our prayer through Christ Our Lord. Amen.

Mary, Mother of the Church, pray for us.

St Laurence O'Toole, pray for us.

St Kevin, pray for us.

St Brigid, pray for us.

Building Hope

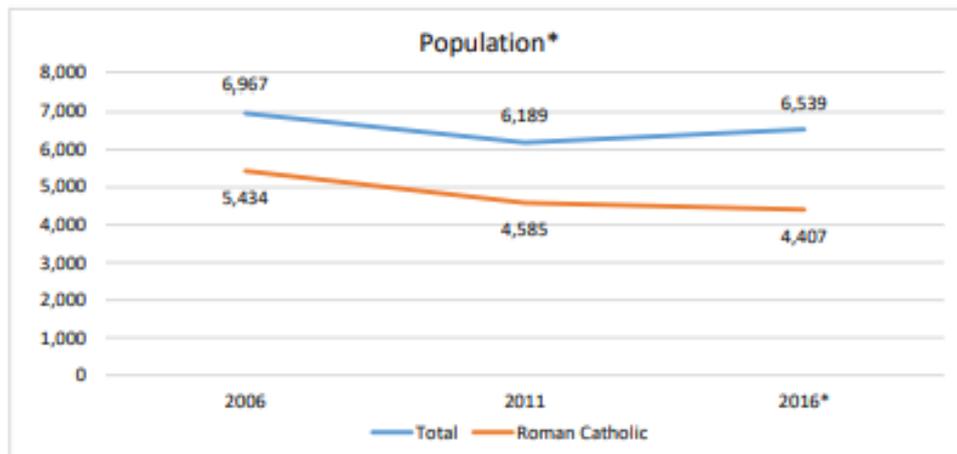
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OUR PARISH AT THE SERVICE OF THE GOSPEL

'The parish is called upon to read the signs of the times, while adapting both to the needs of the faithful and to historical changes.'

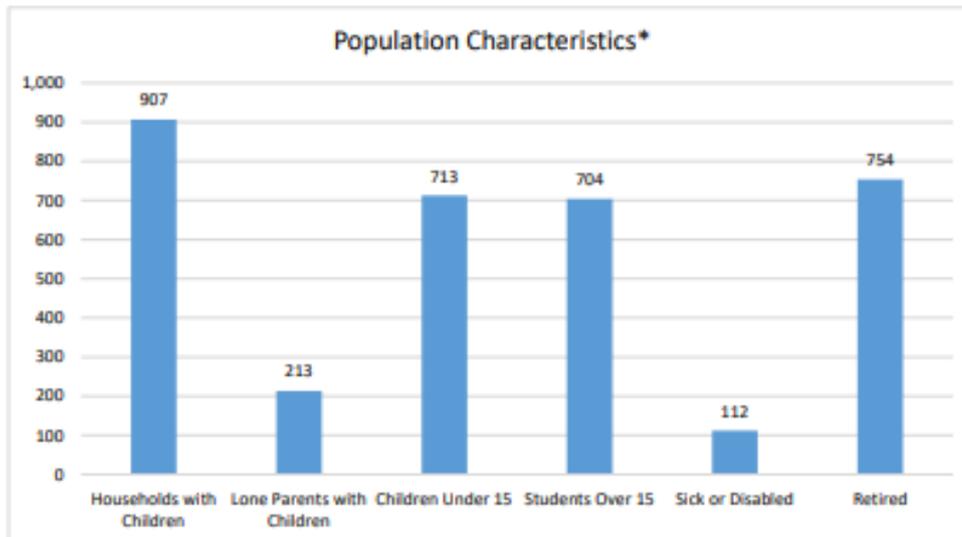
Parish: **Enniskerry**

How our population has changed:



'A parish should be really in contact with the homes and lives of the people.'

Who we are as a Community:

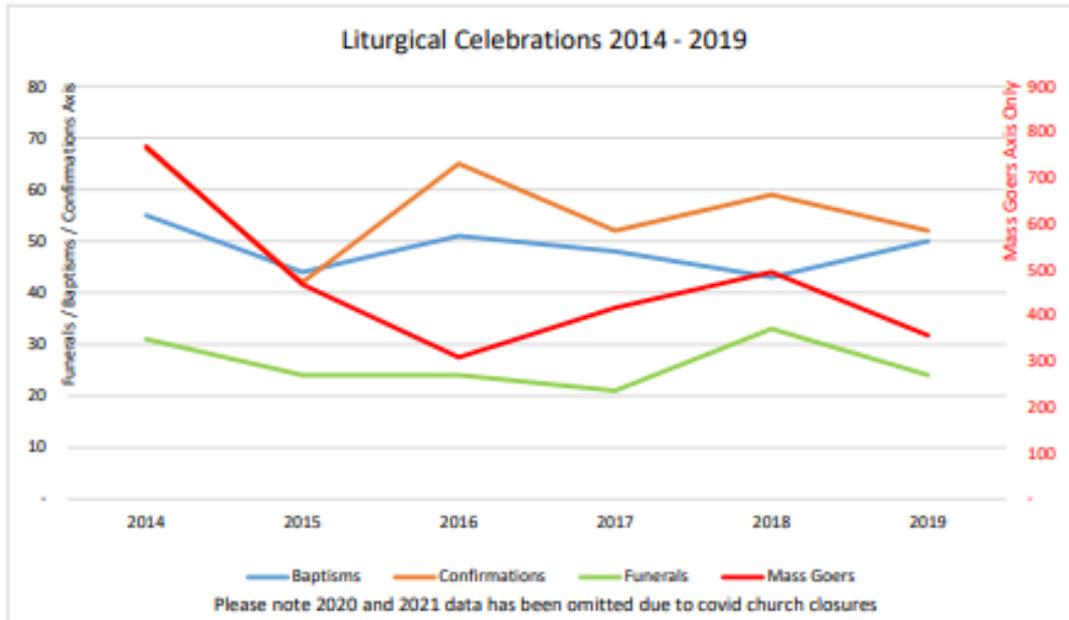


'A place of welcome and compassion.'

* Please note 2016 is the last census data available.

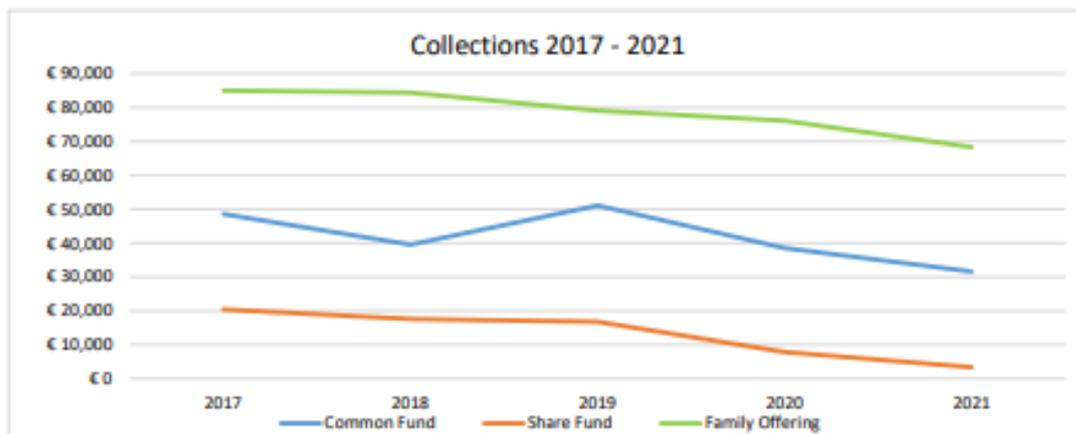
Over recent years our liturgical celebrations have included:

| Enniskerry | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------------|
| Liturgical Celebrations | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | % Movement |
| Baptisms | 55 | 44 | 51 | 48 | 43 | 50 | -9% |
| Confirmations | 68 | 42 | 65 | 52 | 59 | 52 | -24% |
| Funerals | 31 | 24 | 24 | 21 | 33 | 24 | -23% |
| Mass Goers | 769 | 468 | 309 | 417 | 495 | 357 | -54% |



We have also gathered resources to support the work of the parish and the diocese:

| Enniskerry | | | | | | |
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| Collections | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | % Movement |
| Common Fund | € 48,561 | € 39,555 | € 51,095 | € 38,531 | € 31,590 | -35% |
| Share Fund | € 20,418 | € 17,608 | € 16,784 | € 7,806 | € 3,348 | -84% |
| Family Offering | € 85,009 | € 84,394 | € 79,124 | € 76,112 | € 68,314 | -20% |



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Coffee Morning

Please come
along for a
friendly chat
and a cup of
coffee or tea

EVERY
MONDAY
MORNING

10.00 - 12.00

Parochial hall, Enniskerry
(beside Poppies)



Welcome Ukrainian and other displaced people to our
community in Enniskerry and surrounding areas.

Enniskerry Welcomes may be contacted at:
enniskerrywelcomes@gmail.com

Check out our Facebook page:
facebook.com/enniskerrywelcomes