

CHURCH OF ST

JAMES,

HOESWOOD

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THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

11/03/2012

MASS TIMES

Saturday 7.00pm
Sunday 10.30am
Weekdays 9.30am
Confessions 1st Thursday 7.00pm

ST PATRICK'S DAY- MARCH 17TH PATRON OF IRELAND

Vigil Mass:- Friday March 16th at 7:00pm
St. Patrick's Day:- Saturday, 17th at 10:30am

MASS INTENTIONS

7:00pm Paddy Wall, Kilmokea, anniversary
10:30am Peggy Whelan, Dunbrody, anniversary
Pray for Aidan Parker, Great Island, anniversary
Pray for Ann Murphy, Kilmokea, anniversary
Pray for Jim Murphy, St. James' Villas, anniversary.
Pray for Kitty Shannon, St James' Villas, anniversary
Pray for Willie Molloy, Ballykerogue, anniversary
Pray for Gregory Delaney, Tinnock, anniversary
Pray for Brendan Shannon, Campile, anniversary, for whom Mass will be offered on Friday evening at 7:00pm

Pray for John Foran, Nuke, who's funeral took place in Horeswood on Saturday. Wednesday, 9:30am, Mass for the Parish

WEEKDAY MASSES HOESWOOD

Daily 9:30am
Eucharistic Adoration after Mass every Tuesday during Lent until 10:45am
Stations of the Cross every Thursday at 9:05am before Mass
BALLYKELLY
Tuesday & Friday at 9:30am
Wednesday at 7:30pm

PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS

Monday, Wednesday and Friday 10.00am to 1.00pm
Telephone 051 / 388129

HOESWOOD ST VINCENT DE PAUL

Telephone Number - **086-3340071**

WEEKLY ENVELOPES

04/03/2012 €640
Thank you for your generosity

HYMNS FOR SUNDAY MARCH 11TH 353, 528, 359, 388

Next choir practice Monday, March 12th 7:30pm to 8:15pm

PENITENTIAL SERVICE

There will be a Penitential Service for Lent on Monday, April 2nd at 7:00pm in Horeswood and 8:00pm in Ballykelly

FIRST CONFESSION

Tuesday, March 13th at 7:00pm

ST PATRICK'S DAY PARADE, CAMPILE

The annual St Patrick's Day Parade is starting at Horeswood Church at 11:30am. It is guaranteed to be colourful and full of entertainment. Enter a float or bring your vintage car/tractor or bike. For further information please contact Richard on 087-2518579. All are welcome

ST. PATRICK'S DAY BOX COLLECTION

It was agreed by the Council of Priests, that this year, as an act of solidarity with many of our people who are leaving or who have left to secure employment abroad, monies received in the 'Box Collection' on St. Patrick's Day, be forwarded to the Episcopal Commission for Emigrants to fund the good and increasing work with which they are involved

CRISIS PREGNANCY SUPPORT SERVICES

CURA cares and understands. We provide a free and confidential service. If you wish to talk, Ring, Wexford: 053-9122255:- Mon: 7-9pm, Wed:4-6pm
and Thurs: 11am--1pm.
Gorey: 053948092:- Wed: 4-6pm
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LOURDES INVALID FUND DANCE & DRAW

Thank you to all who supported our fundraiser Draw and Dinner Dance for The Invalid Section of the Ferns Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes, 2012, which was held in Ferrycarrig Hotel on Friday March 2nd 2012. Thank you to all the very generous sponsors of New Ross area for 22 great prizes. Thank you to the ticket printers & sellers & those who bought tickets all over the Diocese. Thank you to the Ferrycarrig Hotel for a wonderful meal and their help on the night and to Theresa and the Stars for their lively music.

RAMSGRANGE ACTIVE RETIREMENT

Social Evening: Tuesday 13th March at 7.30pm in St Louis Day Care Centre.

March Trip: Tuesday 27th March to the National Museum of Ireland, Collins Barracks, Imperial War Memorial, Islandbridge, and Avoca Handweavers, Naas Road, Cost - €12, non-members, €17. Deposit required - €10. Bus leaving Ramsgrange car park at 9.00 a.m. sharp. To book, phone 051 389012 or 087 0544976.

For more information call Julie at 051-388209

RECENT BAPTISM

We welcome in to our Christian community Jamie John Power who was baptised recently.

EUCCHARISTIC CONGRESS – RING OF RENEWAL

Parishes in Ireland are asked to ring their bells for 2 minutes on 17th March at 12noon and at 6pm. This invitation to "Ring for Renewal" is part of our preparation for the Eucharistic Congress, due to take place in Dublin in June. On hearing the bell ringing, you are asked to pray for personal and communal renewal. You might wish to invite a deserving individual to ring the bell. Parishes are invited to send on photos of the event to the diocesan office and we will print a selection of them on the diocesan website.

FR. LIAM LAWTON 20TH ANNIVERSARY TOUR

For twenty years now the name Liam Lawton has been synonymous with sacred and inspirational music. Liam's haunting melodies and lyrical texts have earned him many accolades and praise from many quarters. This special 20th Anniversary Tour celebrates the songs and their stories, many of which have become identified with special and significant events in the history of the last 20 years. Also as part of these celebrations Liam has produced an audio book... "Prayers of Hope and Healing". This is a series of reflections and prayers with beautiful orchestral music based on his book, "The Hope Prayer". This promises to be a moving night of reflection and song and one not to be missed. **Fr Liam Lawton 20th Anniversary Concert to be held at St Michael's Theatre, New Ross on Wednesday 11th April.**

LEARNING ABOUT THE MASS – WE BRING OUR GIFTS

During this part of the Mass we move from the ambo to the altar. We have heard the Word of God and now we come to share in the Bread of Life at the altar. The first part of the Liturgy of the Eucharist is about preparing the gifts that we bring to the altar. The most important gifts that we bring are the bread and wine. The bread is placed on something which looks like a plate. We call this a paten. The wine is in a glass jug. These gifts are placed on the altar. One of the first gifts that you will notice being prepared is the gift of money. You will see people moving through the church with a basket or a bag for the collection. Everyone is asked to put some money into the basket or bag. This money helps to pay for all the things that are done in the parish, including helping those who may not have enough for themselves.