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## Parish Office- The Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time– 29th July 2018.

### Parish News / Parish News / Parish News.

#### Parish Administration and Pastoral Administration.

In many Parishes throughout the Diocese, attempts are being made to shape each month to the needs of the Parish and the availability / energy of the Priest. While unexpected events such as funerals etc. will always affect such planning, this Parish is endeavouring to build such a plan. During July, **First Friday calls** will take place in Bundoran on the First Friday, in the Rock on the second Friday and elsewhere on the Third Friday. Each **Monday morning** needs to be allocated to Parish Finance activity. Each **Monday afternoon** will be allocated to Diocesan activity. On Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday mornings the Parish Priest will generally be in the Parish Office but a phone call will clarify that. **Baptisms for Parish Residents** will take place in the Rock on the second Saturday and in Bundoran on the fourth Saturday of each month. **Wednesday** will be taken as the Priest's rest day. The above does not include school visitation, hospital visitation, parish meetings, preparation of sermons, house calls, building administration and many other activities usually taken for granted. As each month goes by, the shape of Parish activity will clarify itself. It is important for Parishioners to help the Priest and the Parish wherever possible.

#### International Mass at 11am, Sunday 5th August

Families will be contacted next week for a liturgical rehearsal. Families wishing to take part should contact the Parish Office. Rehearsal on Wednesday evening at 8pm.

#### Rock Parish News:

At a very successful meeting last Monday night, those who attended kindly offered to organise a team of 4 - 5 who would open and close the church and prepare the Altar each day. This decision will take some time to put into practise but will ultimately take care of many needs within the Church. We greatly appreciate the contribution made by those who have been helping with these matters in days gone by. Their advice and direction will be of great help to the new teams in days to come. Part of the conversation during the meeting was the contribution of previous and deceased Sacristans who gave so much to the needs of the church. In the coming week on Tuesday 31st July at 7pm the Parish Priest will meet all those who would like to be part in the Altar Society to discuss its activities and at 8pm with the 4 – 5 Sacristans to organise their activities. The meeting also recommended an increase in the number of Collectors, Readers and Altar Servers where this is possible. It was understood that all these activities are greatly dependant on leadership from within the Church community to ensure that they take place, because so many of these activities cannot be arranged in all Churches by the Priest alone.

Once again many thanks to all who attended the meeting.

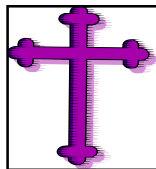
As Parishioners can see, the preparation of the new burial ground is going well and will be completed before the end of August.

All envelopes and cash donations within our Church collection are presumed to be for the upkeep of our Church and Parish needs.

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Saturday (Vigil) Peter O'Keefe (Finner Avenue).

Sunday 8.30am. Private Intentions.

11.00am. People of the Parish.

12.30pm. Private Intentions.

Monday 10am. Private Intentions.

Tuesday 10am. Private Intentions.

Wednesday 10am. Prayer Service.

Thursday 10am. Jimmy & Mary Gallagher (St Bridget's Tce).

Friday 10am. Private Intentions.

Saturday 10am. Kathleen Cassidy (St Colm's Tce).

Saturday 7pm. John & Christine Granaghan (St Bridget's Tce),

Mary Campbell (Ardfarna), Jacqueline McSharry (Sea Road), John

Francis & Margaret Gallagher (Ardfarna), Pat McGuinness (Boyney)

Sunday 8.30am. Seamus Fallon (Sea Road).

11.00am. People of the Parish.

12.30pm. Peggy Kerr (East End).

Sunday July, 29th at 10am

Gerry Gallagher (West Port & Tonragee).

Pat Malaniff (West Rock)

Ciaran Keon (Askill).

Dec Mbs Gilfedder Family (Laughill).

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Wednesday 10am. Mass.

Thursday 10am. Prayer Service.

Friday 10am. Prayer Service

Saturday 10am. Prayer Service.

Sunday August, 5th at 10am.

John & Alice Crawford (East Rock)

Pat & Bridie Cleary

### Special Ministers for August

7.00pm. M. Stuttard, M. Gormley & L. Ryan.

8.30am. M. Mulreany & K. Gallagher.

11.00am. A. Gaye, M. Carty & B. Fox.

12.30pm.

### August Ministers of the Word

7.00pm. Marie Stuttard

8.30am. Mary Mulreany

11.00am. John Fallon

12.30pm.

### August Altar Society:

*Sylvia O'Neill & Mary Mulreany.*

### Weekly Ministers 30/07/2018

Minister of the Eucharist Mary Carty

Ozanam House Fr Munster

Minister of the Word Mary Carty

### Prayer Service Leader 01/08/2018:

Raymond Kerr

### Church Collectors for August.

7pm. Cindy O'Beirne, Kathleen McGrath, Kathleen Connolly.

8.30am. Patricia Brennan, Cormac Meehan.

11.00am. Pat McGovern, Danny Breslin, Joe Smyth, Mary Carty.

12.30pm. Donal Breslin.

### Altar Servers:

**Saturday 4th August:** Ryan & Erin McGloin, Justin Kelly, Mischa & Maria Keenan, Lucy Currid.

**Sunday 5th August:** Bradlee Goodwin McGowan, Bruno Versilo, Grace & Elishia Rodgers, Shannon & Siofra McMahan.

### Liturgy Teams for August

#### Minister of the Word.

Bernie Boyle.

#### Special Ministers of the Eucharist.

Clare Harte & Patricia McInerney.

#### Church Collectors.

Front. Eamon Daly

Back. Patrick Mc Kenna

#### Altar Society.

Fidelma Gaughan & Breege Loughlin.

### Important Future Dates for the Rock.

**Cemetery Sunday:** Sunday September 16th  
after 10am Mass.

Tuesday 31st July at 7pm the Parish Priest will meet all those who would like to be part in the Altar Society to discuss its activities and at 8pm with the 4 – 5 Sacristans to organise their activities.

**We remember all those who have died recently: May They Rest in Peace.**



Alice Carty (Mountain View).

### **Church of Our Lady, Star of the Sea, Finances July 21st & 22nd, 2018**

Weekly Offering 108 Envelopes Returned: **€2,392.00**

**Second Collection - €1,080.00** Thanks to everyone.

Thanks to those who have made separate donations to Church Funds.

### **St Joseph's Church Finances. July 22nd, 2018**

**Offertory Collection: 60 Envelopes Returned  
Envelopes €322.00 Baskets €177.00 Total €499.00**

**Development Fund: 57 Envelopes Returned  
Envelopes €202.00 Baskets €77.00 Total €279.00**

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