

PARISH OF YOUGHAL

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Thanks to all who contributed to our parish income last weekend:

Parish Collection €2,010.00

Maintenance Fund €1,325.00

Parish Office, 3 The Presbytery, Emmet Place

Open: Mon to Friday 9 am - 1 pm

Thursday, 2 pm - 6 pm

Parish secretary: Ann J. Walsh - 024 91717

Please pray for those who have died. May they rest in peace: *For May Ahern & Jimmy Farrell*

who died recently.

For Bryn Bailey & John (Jackie) O'Brien whose First anniversary occurs at this time.

St. Vincent de Paul Youghal: Anyone who needs a little help phone: 087 127 3448

Eucharistic Adoration: If you are willing to spend an hour in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament every week, contact: Una 087 996 1004.

The following days and hours need cover:

Sun: 3 - 4 pm. Tues: 10 - 11 am. Fri: 5 - 6 pm

Sat: 11 - 12 noon.

Adoration Chapel, Emmet Place, Youghal.

Lectio Divina:

The Art of Sacred Reading

Read • Meditate • Pray •

Contemplate

A monthly meeting (every 4 weeks) in the prayer room, Youghal Parish Office, for Lectio Divina, led by Deacon John Nestor, from 07.30 to 8.30 pm. Lectio Divina is contemplative reading, meditating and praying of the Scriptures. It is the traditional practise of reflecting on the living Word of God. No study or resources needed. ALL ARE WELCOME. Next Meeting – Thursday, 20th February 2020 - 7.30 to 8.30 pm



Spring Stations: If a household wishes to host a Station Mass, please contact the parish office as soon as possible. Station envelopes are in the parish box of envelopes or at the back of the Church.

The **Irish Blood Transfusion Service** would like to thank all those who contributed to the success of this Clinic. **179** Donors attended our Blood Donor Clinic in **Youghal GAA Club**

This generosity and commitment to helping others is very much appreciated.

The precious gift of Blood brings life and hope to our hospital patients and their communities.

Youghal Group of Alcoholics Anonymous will hold their open public meeting on 18th February at 8.30 pm in the rooms behind the Youth Reach Centre (formerly Colaiste Eoin, Golf Links Road). All Welcome - Refreshments served.

Parish Pastoral Council: The next meeting will take place at the Parish Office, 3 The Presbytery, Emmet Place on Wednesday 19th February at 8 pm.

Vocations Afternoon

An afternoon for men considering a vocation to the Priesthood in the Diocese of Cloyne will be held on Saturday, 7th March at the Nano Nagle Centre, Killavullen, from 2.30pm-5.00pm. The afternoon will consist of reflection, prayer and the opportunity to find out more about becoming a priest in our diocese. For more information

Fr Brian Boyle (Vocations Director) at 085 2553787. Email: priesthood@cloynediocese.ie. Those hoping to attend should make contact by phone or email by Thursday, 5th March. There are currently two candidates studying for the Priesthood for the Diocese of Cloyne.

This Sunday 16th February there will be a cake sale in the Holy Family Church Hall after 11am Mass.

The cake sale is to raise funds for four young people who will travel as helpers on the diocesan pilgrimage to Lourdes in May. All welcome and if you wish to donate any cakes you can drop them in before 11am Mass.

AFRICAN COMMUNITY in CORK: A special Mass will be celebrated at St Martin's Chapel in St Mary's Church, Popes Quay T23 X365 on Sunday, 23rd February 2020 at 3:30 pm. For further information contact: 087 652 4721. All Welcome.

Prayer for Priestly Vocations

Lord our God,

you renew the Church in every age by raising up holy priests

to teach and sanctify your people.

Fill the hearts of young men with faith and courage,

that they may answer your call generously.

Give parents the grace to encourage vocations in their family

by prayer and good example.

Raise up, in this Diocese of Cloyne, worthy priests for your Altars

and ardent servants of the Gospel.

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.



Confessions:

Saturday: After 10am Mass - After the Vigil Masses

Thursday before the First Friday after 10am Mass in Our Lady of Lourdes