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St. Colman's Parish
The Transfiguration of the
Lord
5th /6th August 2023

Dear Parishioners,

You will find the parish financial report on the back of the newsletter this weekend. I would like to thank you all for your contributions throughout the year. Your continued support is important to ensure the ongoing work of the parish.

Your weekly envelope and offertory collections cover the financial running of the parish, Insurance, Light & Heat, Wages, Office etc. It also covers any repair works that are carried out. The Parish tax back scheme along with our yearly Parish draw are vital in the running costs of the parish. If you have not returned your tax rebate form which would have been posted to you earlier in the year. Can you please sign the form and return in the stamped addressed envelope provided. These forms are only issued every 5 years and it enables the church to claim tax relief on any donation received of €250 and over during the financial year. Boxes of envelopes go to 450 houses each year. Please contact the parish office if you would like to contribute through our envelope system.

The monthly Special Diocesan collections go directly to the Diocese of Kerry. The Christmas, Spring, Easter & November offerings provides a salary for the priest as well as money received from Weddings, Funerals and Baptisms.

Again, many thanks for your generosity, as I am aware that a lot of money is needed for family support also.

Fr. Danny Broderick

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**Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament takes place every Friday in
 Milltown Church from 6:00p.m. -7:00p.m.**

Masses & Intentions

Mon. Aug. 7 th			<i>No Mass</i>
Tues. Aug. 8 th	Listry	7:00 p.m.	<i>Kathleen Buckley, 3rd Anniversary her husband Dan, 20th Anniversary Knocknagowna</i>
Wed. Aug. 9 th	Milltown	10:00 a.m.	
Thurs Aug. 10 th			
Fri. Aug. 11 th	Milltown	7:00 p.m.	<i>Margaret O' Shea, 25th Anniversary Glen Ellen, Milltown</i>
Sat. Aug. 12 th	Listry	6:00 p.m.	<i>Mary P. O' Connor (Months Mind) Coolroe, Killorglin</i>
Sun. Aug. 13 th	Milltown	11:15 a.m.	<i>Elaine Clifford, 2nd Anniversary Tuairin Lin</i>

Eucharistic Ministers

Listry Saturday Aug. 12th Eamon Donnelly
 Milltown Sunday Aug. 13th Dorothy Casey

Readers

Listry Saturday Aug. 12th Michael F. O' Connor
 Milltown Sunday Aug. 13th Joan O' Shea

Last weekend's collection - €990.00

Thank you for your generous and continuing support.

The offertory collection is currently not being taken up during Mass. There are boxes at the front and side entrance of the Milltown church and front entrance in Listry church for your contributions which are greatly appreciated.

Killorglin Pastoral Area
Priest on Duty this Sunday:
Fr. Fergal Ryan (087) 2408540

Flower Arranger: Doris Mangan 12th August – 25th August.

Ordination to the Priesthood of Rev Mark Moriarty.

Rev Mark Moriarty will be ordained to the priesthood for the diocese of Kerry in the Cathedral, Killarney at 3pm next Sunday, 13th August. His ordination is a source of great hope and joy for the whole diocese. Remember him in your prayers.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock. Saturday 26th August is the date of our first diocesan pilgrimage to Knock Shrine. Hopefully it will be an annual event. Pastoral areas / parishes are arranging buses. All are invited, it will give us a sense of our unity and solidarity as a diocese. Mass and the ceremonies commence at 2.30 and conclude around 4.30 pm. Over the next month let us be close to Our Lady in our prayers. The 15th of August is the Feast Day of her Assumption into heaven, a day that renews our confidence that “death is the door to eternal life in God’s kingdom”.

Kerry diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes: On September 1st one hundred and fifty pilgrims depart for Lourdes. Like Knock, Lourdes proclaims that there is a special place in God’s heart for the sick, the bereaved, and anyone for whom life is a great struggle. Pilgrimage is a graced opportunity, to stand back and see the bigger picture, count our blessings, and renew trust in God amid all fears and troubles.

House Mass/Blessings: If any family wish to have a house Blessing or a house Mass, please contact Fr. Danny Broderick directly on (087) 9061255 or the Parish Office (066) 9767312.

Monthly Prayer Meeting: Takes place in the Nagel Rice Community Hall on Sunday August 6th at 8:00p.m. Guest speaker Dan Horan. All welcome.

The Statue of Our Lady of Fatima: will be on Main Street, Killarney on Sunday 13th August. Prayers including the Rosary will be recited at 3 p.m. Everyone is most welcome to come and join us.

CHY3 Tax Forms for Charitable Donations: (CHY3 enduring certificate simply enables the charity to claim tax relief if you donate €250+ in any of the five years covered by the form, which means you will only receive a form to sign every 5 years). Any parishioners that received a CHY3 form, can you please complete and return in the stamped addressed envelope provided. Thank you for your continued support.

Need to improve your reading, writing, maths, or technology skills? We can help. - Kerry ETB offers a free and confidential adult learning service and our courses will start in September. For further details contact Elaine (086)7969625 - elaine.clifford@staff.kerryetb.ie or call into our office at 37 High Street (1st Floor), Killarney V93 NTCO.

2022 Parish Income and Expenditure

Income	2021 €	2022 €
Offertory/Door Collections	41,914	52,246
Shrines, Cribs and Graves	1,600	17,380
Special Collections	3,993	5,431
Parish Draw	7,716	9,245
Other Income	3,411	1,000
Tax rebates	13,082	11,611
Interest Received	1,363	1,373
	73,079	98,286
Expenditure		
Wages & Salaries	16,531	17,034
Rates	1,697	1,443
V.H.I.	3,014	1,559
Insurance	5,622	5,622
Light and Heat	9,912	7,610
Rathmore Fund	1,000	2,000
Maintenance/Repairs/Capital Exp.	9,743	8,739
Admin / Diocesan Levies	7,327	6,287
Altar Requisites	4,021	5,862
Special Collections	3,993	5,431
Printing, Postage, Stationery	1,516	2,095
Webcam Costs	6,150	1,400
Telephone and Internet	2,459	1,998
Mass Missalettes/Books	1,811	1,750
Travel Expenses	4,778	1,757
Courses and Hospitality	528	571
Legal and Accountancy Fees	1,526	1,476
Bank Charges	270	339
General Expenses	1,616	3,188
EWSS Received	(17,871)	(2,946)
	(65,643)	(73,215)
Net Surplus	7,436	25,071