Holy Family Parish, Askea

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Mass Times: <u>Askea</u> 9.30am Mon-Fri;

Sat 7pm;

Sun 9am, 10.30am

& 12 Noon.

Bennekerry

Sun 11.30am; <u>Tinryland</u> Tues 9.30am,

Sunday 10am

Deadline for items for Newsletter is 5pm on Wednesday by phone to 059 9142565 or email to office@askeaparish.ie

Website: www.askeaparish.ie

I See His Blood Upon the Rose

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I see his face in every flower; The thunder and the singing of the birds

Are but his voice-and carven by his power

Rocks are his written words.

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Keeping in Touch

St Mary's Parish, Bennekerry
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Fr Tom Little PP - Ph 059 9131559. Fr Tommy Dillon PE 059 9164882 Newsletter Items - 059 9143881. <u>Deadline for News items: - 9pm Wednesdays</u> Emergency Number for the Priest on Duty 087 2588118. Parish Office - 059 9142565 087 - 1269709.

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Anniversaries

Sunday 28th March 2021

Timmy O Keeffe, Palatine
John Browne, Ballinacarrig
Jim Woods, Ballinakillbeg
Paddy Bermingham, 16 Kernanstown

Broadcast Mass times:

We continue to broadcast Mass from Holy Family Church, Askea on Monday to Friday at 9.30am. Rosary is recited immediately before Mass at 9.05am.

Weekend Masses will be broadcast at 7pm on Saturdays and 9am and 10.30am on Sundays.

You can access our webcam at $\underline{\text{http://www.askeaparish.ie/our-parish/web-cam/}}$

<u>Eucharistic Adoration</u> takes place in Askea Church on Wednesdays from 10am to 5pm.

K & L Diocesan Lotto Results

for Wednesday 24th March 2021

Numbers drawn were 10, 19, 20 & 24. ONE Jackpot winner. 23 Match 3s winners get €44 each. Askea/Bennekerry had

TWO Match 3s

Winner Promoter

Oliver Fitzgerald William Fitzgerald
Deirdre McGovern Annette Byrne

Next week's Jackpot €10,000.

Jackpot winner William McNamee Rhodes Parish

Tickets for the Lotto

The Lotto draw continues in Portlaoise. We will continue to enter pre-paid tickets in the draw.

Evening Mass in Askea Church will not take place on Monday 29th March as the Chrism Mass for the Diocese takes place in Carlow Cathedral at 7.30pm that evening. Mass will be broadcast from Askea Church at 7pm on Tuesday 30th and Wednesday 31st March. This will be in addition to the 9.30am weekday Mass already being broadcast.

There will be NO 9.30am Mass on Thursday 1st April (Holy Thursday) or Friday 2nd April (Good Friday).

COVID-19 Support Line for Older People

ALONE manage a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or are facing difficulties relating to the outbreak of COVID-19 (Coronavirus). Professional staff are available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary. The support line is open seven days a week, 8am - 8pm, by calling 0818 222 024.

Chrism Mass 2021

This year's Chrism Mass can be viewed via the Kildare and Leighlin Facebook page and iCatholic livestream. We are delighted to be able to share greetings from our parishes from 7:10pm, with Mass beginning at 7:30 pm. Please join Bishop Denis for this celebration of the diocesan family.

HOLY WEEK in Askea, Bennekerry and Tinryland Churches

Holy Family Church, Askea

Holy Thursday - 7pm

Good Friday - 3pm

Holy Saturday - 7pm

Webcam link:

http://www.askeaparish.ie/our-parish/web-cam/

or

https://mcnmedia.tv/iframe/d47935f3857a992c399ab5bd0f9e9a293f5bc9c7

St Mary's Church, Bennekerry

Holy Thursday - 7pm

Good Friday - 3pm

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Webcam can be accessed at:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZyK61r70_2E

or

https://livecamireland.ie/religious-services/st-marys-church-bennekerry/

St Joseph's Church, Tinryland

Holy Thursday - 7pm

Good Friday - 7pm

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https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8iE-R4oXRIk

or

https://livecamireland.ie/religious-services/st-josephs-church-tinryland/

Lost keys A bunch of keys was lost between 10am and 12 noon on Thursday 25th March in the area between Ballinacarrig Roundabout and the junction for Church Lane in Tinryland. There were 3 to 4 keys on the bunch including a key of a Ford Fiesta car. If anyone finds these keys can you please contact Askea Parish Centre at 059 91 42565 or 087 1269709 so that we can reunite them with their owner.

A Palm on your door, Palm Sunday, March 28th 2021.

You are invited to place a piece of palm or any green branch on your front door to let people know it is Palm Sunday. Together, let us begin the greastest week of the Church year. Photos can be sent to Cathriona by Whatsapp to 085 1450321 or emailed to Cathriona.Kelly@Kandle.ie

Webcam services in Bennekerry and Tinryland churches.

The parishes of Bennekerry and Tinryland are very grateful to the Department of Rural and Community Development for financial assistance in installing a webcam system in each church so that services can be broadcast remotely.

You can view the webcam stream by logging on to www.livecamireland.ie and selecting County Carlow and the relevant church.

Alternatively the link for each church is listed below.

The Tinryland Webcam can be accessed at:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8iE-R4oXRIk

The Bennekerry Webcam can be accessed at:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZyK61r70 2E

Bringing Home Holy Week 2021

Is a resource for the home for Holy Week. In it you will find, for each day from Palm Sunday to Easter Sunday, a note on the day, a piece of scripture, some things to look out for when joining a livestream liturgy, a short prayer ritual for use in the home as well as some 'to do' suggestions. Along with visits to the church, we can still celebrate Holy Week well this year despite the restrictions. You can find the complete resources on kandle.ie. The daily resources will also be posted on the kandle Facebook and twitter pages.

An Gairdin Beo is organising four cookery classes on ZOOM.

The classes will be directed by Majella Johnson. Majella will base her recipes on the herbs, fruits and vegetables grown in An Gairdin Beo.

The dates for the workshops are as follows:

Monday 12th April, Monday 19th April, Monday 26th April Monday 3rd May. Each session is from 10 a.m. - 11.30 a.m.

The workshops are free, but you must book your place in advance.

Please send your name, postal address, and email address to:

fdunne@kcetb.ie before 2nd April

THOUGHTS FOR THE WEEK PERSEVERENCE

Consider the postage stamp, my son. It secures success through its ability to stick to one thing till it gets there.

Josh Billings

Positive anything is better than negative nothing.

Elbert Hubbard

PALM SUNDAY OF THE LORD'S PASSION '21

Holy Week begins this Sunday, which joins the foretelling of Christ's regal triumph and the proclamation of the Passion. The connection between both aspects of the Paschal mystery should be shown and explained in the celebration and catechesis of this day. The commemoration of the entrance of the Lord into Jerusalem is celebrated with a solemn procession which will take place only once, before the Mass which will have the largest attendance, even if this should be evening of Saturday or Sunday. In this procession the faithful carry Palm or other branches. The priest and the ministers also carry Branches, precede the people. The Palm or branches are blessed so that they can be carried in the procession. The Palms should be taken home, where they will serve as a reminder of the victory of Christ which they celebrate in procession.

ACTIONS TO HELP TRANSFORM YOUR WORLD.

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOAL 15 LIFE ON LAND



- 43 Encourage wildlife by allowing sections of your garden to grow wild.
- 44. Eat seasonal food, it is cheaper and environmentally friendly.
- 45. Recycle used paper and go paperless where possible.