# Renagh Parish Rews 7 July 2024

Email: office@nenaghparish.ie

Pastoral Council: nenaghpastoralcouncil@gmail.com Website: www.nenaghparish.ie

067-31272 Office Phone: **Priest on Duty:** 087 2405762 **Pastoral Centre:** 067-37590

#### **Nenagh Parish Mass Times St Mary of the Rosary** Weekend Masses:

Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion | Saturday 10am Saturday Vigil Mass | 6.15pm Sunday 8am | 12 noon | 6pm

Weekday Masses

8am | 11am

Adoration | Weekdays 5-7pm Confessions | Sat after Liturgy Parish Radio: 106.2FM

St John the Baptist, Tyone Saturday | 7.30pm

Sunday | 10.30am Polish Mass | 2nd & 4th Sunday Each Month 1pm

Fr Pat Gilbert

Fr Rexon Chullickal

Fr Lorcan Kenny

Fr Jofin Jose

**Odhran Pastoral Area** 

**Mass Times** 

Friday

Portroe 7.30pm

Curreeney 7.30pm

Saturday

Youghalarra 6.30pm

Puckane 7.30pm

Templederry 7.00pm

Silvermines 8.00pm

Sunday

Carrig 10.00am

Portroe 10.00am

Ballywilliam 11.15am

Killeen 10.00am

Silvermines 11.00am

And Jesus said to them, 'A prophet is only despised in his own country, among his own relations and in his own house'

# World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly 28 July 2024

The IV World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly will be celebrated on Sunday, 28 July 2024. The theme chosen by the Holy Father - "Do not cast me off in my old age" (cf. Psalm 71:9) - is meant to call attention to the fact that, sadly, loneliness is the bitter lot in life of many elderly persons, so often the victims of the throw-away culture.

In this year of preparation for the Jubilee, which the Holy Father wishes to be devoted to prayer, the theme of the World Day is taken from Psalm 71, the plea of an elderly person who reflects on the story of his friendship with God.

By cherishing the charisms of grandparents and the elderly, and the contribution they make to the life of the Church, the World Day seeks to support the efforts of every ecclesial community to forge bonds between the generations and to combat loneliness, in the awareness that - as Scripture states - "It is not good for man to be alone" (Gen 2:18).

# Suggested events and activities for the World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly 2024

- Plant a Tree in Their Memory
- Send or give a Grandparent or Elderly person a "Spiritual Bouquet" - A Spiritual Bouquet can be a card, homemade or store-bought letting a person know what prayers or sacrifices have been offered up for them.

#### Examples to be included in a Spiritual Bouquet:

- A certain number of a specific prayer 10 Hail Mary's
- A Novena
- A Mass
- Rosary

#### Good deeds or sacrifices

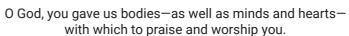
- Shop for clean clothing for a person in need, fast for a meal, or skip dessert
- Enlist a Group to be part of a "Prayer Chain" A Prayer Chain is a group of people committed to praying for a specific reason for a predetermined period of time. Contact can be by phone or online.
- Initiate an Essay Contest for pre-teens and teens Choose a theme, for example, "How have your parents, Grandparents,

- or a significant adult in your life influenced your Faith?" How do you influence others?
- Children's Prayer Appeal: We invite children in schools or parishes to compose prayers in honour of their Grandparents. These are presented at the Offertory during Pilgrimage Masses.
- Book of Rememberance and Forget Me Not Flowers
- Starting a Ministry for Grandparents in your parish. You could launch it on the World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly!



NB: These activities can be carried out at any time of the year and not just on World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly

# This Week We Offer A Special Prayer For ...all those involved in sports



Our sports and exercises are a fitting use of gifts and talents you have given us.

Bless our workouts and the games we play, and those with whom we exercise or compete.

Give us strength, endurance, courage and agility as we compete or train.

Keep us safe and healthy as we celebrate our physical and mental skills in sport.

Amen



#### Feast Days This Week

July 8th St. Kilian Bishop and Martyr 9th SS Augustine Zhao Rong. Priest and Companions, Martyrs 10th St. Etto

11th St. Benedict 13th St. Henry

Dear Lord, we thank You for giving us St. Henry as an example of holiness. Help us to imitate the love of You he showed through his charity towards those in need.

Aidan Byrne, an international speaker engaged on a full-time basis in the apostolate of healing and liberation will give testimony on his experience of the world of spiritual healing and complementary therapies. Tuesday, 9th July at 7.30pm, Nenagh Holy Spirit Prayer Group, Pastoral Centre, Church Road, Nenagh, Co Tipperary E45 YX06. The evening will begin with rosary, music and praise, Aidan's testimony and teaching, followed by prayers of healing, tea/coffee.

# **FAITH ISN'T ABOUT ASKING GOD** TO STOP THE STORM. **FAITH IS ABOUT** TRUSTING GOD TO HELP YOU THROUGH THE STORM. JUST BELIEVE.

# Profile: St Benedict: Feast Day - 11 July

St. Benedict (born c. 480 ce, Nursia [Italy]-died c. 547, Monte Cassino; feast day July 11, formerly March 21) was the founder of the Benedictine monastery at Monte Cassino and father of Western monasticism; the Rule that he established became the norm for monastic living throughout Europe. In 1964, in view of the work of monks following the Benedictine Rule in the evangelization and civilization of so many European countries in the Middle Ages, Pope Paul VI proclaimed him the patron saint of all Europe.

# Those We Remember | Mon 8- Sun 14 July St Mary of the Rosary

Mon 8th 8am Peter & Mary O'Brien (As) &

deceased family members Elizabeth & Martin Ray (As) & deceased family members

Tues 9th 11am Isabella O'Brien (A) Jack & Maureen Maher (As) Weds 10th 11am

Thurs 11th 8am Eddie Sheridan (A) Sat 13th 6.15pm Nora Flynn (A)

Sun 14th 8am Ann & Gertrude Gaffney (As) & deceased family members

Sun 14th 12noon Leo Carey (MM)

Paul Byrne (1st A)

Joe Connell (A) & deceased family

members

Joe & Pauline McMahon (As)

Eamonn Dooley (A) Gerry Slevin (A) Eileen O'Brien (A) Nonie Morris (A)

#### St John the Baptist

Sun 14th 10.30am Bridie Ryan (A)

## **Our Faithful Departed**

Cathy Cullen Patrick (Paddy) Shoer Tomasz Slusarz

### May They Rest In Peace. Amen.

### Readers | 13-14 July 2024

6.15pm **Doley Quigley** 7.30pm Ann Marie McCann Pat Meagher 8am 10.30am Deborah O'Driscoll 12noon Conor De Loughrey 6pm Alice Darcy

Readers Missal: Page 750

## NOTIGE BOARD

#### **Weekly Collection €3,822**

Thank you kindly for continuing to support our Parish. Parish Office Opening Hours Mon-Fri | 9am-5pm

#### **Pioneer Pilgrimage to Knock**

The Pioneer Pilgrimage to Knock will take place on Sunday 21 July.

Mass at 3pm will be followed by Eucharistic Blessing and Procession to the Shrine.

Pioneers along with friends and relations of people who are living "one day at a time" with addiction are welcome.

### **Silver Arch Family Resource Centre Gambling Service Launch**

Bet on yourself, not the cards

16 July @ 10am

To book your place at the launch call 067-31800

www.silverarch.ie info@silverarch.ie 52 Silver Street, Nenagh, Co. Tipperary