



The Parish of Mungret ✠ Crecora ✠ Raheen

Twenty-Eight Sunday in Ordinary Time.

15th. October, 2017

Mission Sunday 22nd October.

Next Sunday is World Mission Sunday



"Next Sunday, the Holy Father invites all Catholics to contribute to a special collection. Every person in every parish in every country where the Church is present will be celebrating together and sharing what they have, no matter how little. It is the one Sunday in the year when the Mass is celebrated exclusively for missionary activity. Donations are collected at these worldwide Masses and they go to support churches, hospitals, schools and vocations in countries where the Church is new, young or poor. It is also the one Sunday in the year when your generosity goes directly to help mission parishes overseas and reach out with Jesus' message of hope and love. World Missions Ireland is the Holy Father's official charity for overseas mission. It is responsible for coordinating Mission Sunday in Ireland and, through local bishops, churches, and missionary congregations around the world, ensures that resources are distributed equitably and justly on the basis of need. In offering our prayers, we join with missionaries everywhere in communion and compassion to support them in spreading the Good News, and by giving a donation we respond to Christ's call to feed the hungry and clothe the naked so please give what you can. Thank You."

A special Mission Collection will be taken up at all Masses in our churches throughout the Diocese next Sunday 22nd October, to support the Missions.

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MASS TIMES IN THE PARISH :

Raheen: Vigil 6pm Sun 11am & 12.30 pm Mon to Fri 10am. Eucharistic Adoration 10.30am–10 pm

Crecora: Sunday 10 a.m. Tue. Wed. Thurs 9.15am. **Eucharistic Adoration:** Thurs 10 – 11 a.m. 6p.m. - 10 pm

Mungret: Sunday 11.30 a.m. Wed & Friday 9.30 a.m. Saturday 11.30 a.m. **Eucharistic Adoration:** Wed 10am–12 noon.

Mass Times 14th/15th October.

Vigil 6 pm Tim Treacy (A)
& Bobby McNamara (A)
11. a.m. Special Intention.
12.30 pm. Séan Ryan (A)
Mungret:
Sunday: Special Intention
Crecora:
Sunday: Donal O'Riordan (A)

Week ahead 16th/20th Oct Raheen

Mon: Pro Pop.
Tue: Special Intention.
Wed: Special Intention.
Thurs:
Fri:
Raheen: Weekend 21st/22nd Oct.
6 p.m. Rachel Meaney (A)
11 a.m. Michael Cooke (A)
12.30 p.m. Pat O'Connor (A)
Crecora: Mike Reidy (A)

Diocesan Needs Collection:

Second Collection at all Masses this Sunday.

Feast Days this Week: October the month of the Rosary.

16th Oct. St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, visionary and ascetic, revived devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

17th: St. Ignatius of Antioch, urged Christians to unity in and through the Eucharist and around our local bishops.

18th: St. Luke the Evangelist, was a physician and was with St. Paul on his second missionary journey and during his imprisonment in Rome.

Limerick City Guild I.C.A. Coffee Morning:

Coffee Morning & Cake Sale will be held in the Augustinian Church on Friday 20th October at 10 a.m. in Aid of the National Council for the Blind. Please support this worthy cause.

KNITIVITY:

A little girl from our parish is being treated at Beaumont Hospital after brain surgery. To thank the hospital for all their care, the family would love if people were able to knit some Christmas figures which will be sold to raise funds for the hospital. www.beaumontfundraising.ie for details or talk to Fr. Richie.

'The dynamic Word of God can not be moth balled.'
Pope Francis on the 25th Anniv. of Catechism.

Eucharistic Ministers Rota available in the Sacristy (Raheen).

St. Nessian's National School , Mungret, Co. Limerick. Applications for the school year 2018/2019 will open on Monday October 2nd 2017. The last date for receipt of completed applications will be Monday February 5th, 2018 @ 1pm . Enrolment forms must be completed online @ www.stnessans.ie/admissions & clicking on Enrolment Registration Form.

St. Nessian's National School Fashion Show fast approaching!!!

Maranatha Prayer Ministry invites you to our Healing Retreat on Sunday, 22nd Oct. at 2.30pm at St. Pauls Church, Dooradoyle, through Ministry of Fr. Pat O'Sullivan, Limerick and Janice and Moss Carrig, Spirit Filled Praise and Worship Music and Song, Confessions, Rosary, Divine Mercy Chaplet, Talk, Mass and Adoration and Laying on of hands for healing. Tea after in hall. All welcome.

Family Funday: 3,000 Gather to Celebrate and Launch WMOF 2018! Family Fun Day goes down a treat as thousands gather to kick off Limerick Diocese 'World Meeting of Families' programme. Reflecting on Sunday's hugely successful launch of the Limerick Diocese programme to build up to next year's event, Bishop Leahy said that the World Meeting of Families will be a missed opportunity if we do not embrace family in all its variety. Over 3,000 young and old gathered yesterday at Mary Immaculate College in Limerick for the 'Family Fun Day' organised by the diocese to kick-off its build-up to next year's event in Dublin that will be attended, it is hoped, by Pope Francis.