



Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

St Joseph's Church	St Michael's Church		
Mon – Fri 10.00 am	Thursday & Friday 9.20 am		
Saturday Vigil 6 pm Sunday 9.00, 10.30; 12.00	Sunday 10.00 am		

St Joseph's Church Adoration Mon night 8.30 pm – 9.30 pm. Fri 10am – 10 pm. St Michael's Church Thursday 10 am – Noon

The Divine Mercy Chaplet will be prayed at 3 pm Friday in St Joseph's Church.

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"I've got good news and bad news."

A cartoon in a national magazine shows Moses with two tablets under his arm coming down a mountain. "I've got good news and bad news," he says. "The good news is I got Him down to ten. The bad news is adultery is still in there." Danish theologian Søren Kierkegaard once said: "Most people believe that the Christian Commandments are intentionally a little too severe, like setting a clock half-an-hour ahead to make sure of not being late in the morning." Founder of Cable News Network (CNN), Ted Turner said that the Ten Commandments are out of date. I wonder which ones he would scrap. "Thou shalt not kill?" or "Thou shalt not steal?" or "Thou shalt not commit adultery." The Ten Commandments will never be obsolete. Jesus did not intentionally make his teachings a little too severe. He knew that happiness comes from living according to God's will. Breaking God's law, or sinning, brings unhappiness and even death. The life of integrity, or righteousness, is the life God intends for us to live. So according to the Sermon on the Mount, integrity is not an optional extra on the journey of life."

## SPRING STATIONS

Ballyphilip West: at the home of Martin & Sue Kelleher on Fri. 17<sup>th</sup> Feb at 8 pm. Ballinaparson/Templeisque: at the home of Loughlin & Maura Ryan on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> February at 8 pm.

If you would like to host a Station Mass in your area, please contact the office.

Next Adoration meeting Thursday, 16th February at 7.30 pm in the Pastoral Room.

A meeting of the collectors in St Joseph's church will take place on Monday 20th February at 8.00pm in the Parish Room.

Ministers of the Word Rota is now available in the sacristy.

Do This in Memory New Inn School in St Joseph's Church 6pm (Vigil) Mass, St Joseph's N.S. 10.30 am Mass in St Joseph's Church and St Michael's School in St Michael's Church 10 am Mass.

At the 12 noon Mass, Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> February some of the prayers and readings will be in Irish. First Communion children from Gaelscoil Uí Drisceoil will attend.

## Vocations to Priesthood Weekend

An invitation is extended to men between 18 and 40 who are interested in the Diocesan priesthood as a way of life, to join with others for a weekend from **Friday 17th 6pm to Saturday 18th 3pm February taking place in Thurles.** There is no charge to attend the weekend – please contact Fr Charlie Kiely on 021 4537603 or at <u>charliekiely@gmail.com</u> for further details.

Viatores Christi, an association of Catholic lay missionary development workers, was founded in 1960 and recruits lay people who wish to serve in areas of need in Africa, Asia and South America. Members of Viatores Christi will speak at all Masses 18<sup>th</sup>/19<sup>th</sup> Feb.

2<sup>nd</sup> Collection today is for the Lourdes Invalid Fund.

Offertory Coll. St Joseph's	€1,194	St Michael's	€187	€1,381
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**Lourdes 2017 – Young Adult Helpers.** The Diocese of Cork and Ross invites Young Adults 18-30 year olds to come to Lourdes as helpers from 11th to 16th June. As helpers, you will assist with the sick and be involved in the full pilgrimage programme as well as time for prayer, for making new friends and sharing in the story of Lourdes. Closing date for applicants is 28<sup>th</sup> February 2017. For further details contact Fr. Charlie Kiely 021-4537603, Pastoral Development Office, Parochial House, Ballyphehane, Cork or email: <u>charliekiely@gmail.com</u>