

CORK CATHEDRAL FAMILY OF PARISHES
South Parish - St Patrick's - Ss Peter & Paul's
Blackpool – The Glen – Ballyvolane - Sunday's Well
Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Cork Cathedral Family of Parishes

Lotto

Lotto Numbers: 06, 12, 14 **Bonus: 08**

Jackpot: No winner

Consolation prize: 2 winners

This week's Jackpot is **€20,000**

Consolation Jackpot **€400**

Lotto tickets are available for €2.50 each after the weekend Masses in all churches in the Family of Parishes.

We thank you for your support in the Lotto

We remember and pray for our
Recently Deceased

Brian Carroll – *The Glen*

Frank Woods – *Cathedral*

Philomena O'Brien – *St Patrick's*

Rachel Ryan - *Cathedral*

Collections Taken Last Weekend

- Cathedral €960
- South Parish €550
- St Patrick's/Holy Family €807
- Ss Peter & Paul's €1,567
- Blackpool/The Glen/
Ballyvolane €2,370

The Cathedral Parish Office is now open again in the Cathedral Visitor Centre, following the completion of renovation works. We thank you for your co-operation and understanding during this time.

Collection for fund which supports seminarians and deacons

The annual collection for the Priesthood Education Fund in the Diocese will be taken up on the weekend of 21st / 22nd September. One seminarian continues his studies for the priesthood in St. Patrick's College, Maynooth, and another man is continuing his studies for the Permanent Diaconate. The Priesthood Education Fund finances their studies as well as costs for ongoing training and education for priests.

Thank you for last year's collection which came to €64,903. In the same year, the Fund spent €82,500. Appreciating that these are difficult times financially, you are asked to be as generous as you can to the Priesthood Education Fund annual collection.

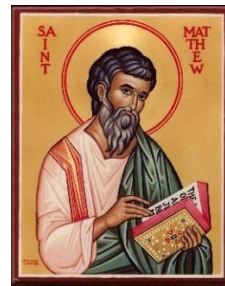
Feast Days of the Week



Ss Cornelius & Cyprian
15 September



*Ss Andrew Kim Taegon, Paul Chong
Hasang and Companions*
20 September



St Matthew
21 September

Autumn Dues
Envelopes are now
available in all
churches in the
Family of Parishes.

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+Canon John O'Donovan, Fr Seán Crowley, Fr. Shinu Varghese, Fr Jilson Kokkandathail, Fr. Marius O'Reilly |

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Prayers of the Faithful

1. That the Pope, Bishops and Church leaders will lead by the example of their self – sacrificing love for Christ and their people. **Lord, hear us.**
2. For civil leaders to protect the rights of conscience and religious liberty; that all people of good will, may work together against the increasing threats to these fundamental rights. **Lord, hear us.**
3. That God may bless teachers and all those who are involved in the work of education, especially to be committed to teaching the Truth of Christ as our Saviour. **Lord, hear us.**
4. That each one of us will hear and take to heart the cry of the earth and of victims of natural disasters and climate change, and that all will undertake to personally care for the world in which we live. **Lord, hear us.**
5. For the grace this week to remain faithful to Christ and to take up our cross each day to follow Him. **Lord, hear us.**
6. We include all of our beloved departed especially Brian Carroll, Frank Woods, Philomena O'Brien and Rachel Ryan, may they experience God's generosity in their heavenly homeland. **Lord, hear us.**

Cork Scripture Group would like to invite anyone who is interested in Scripture to join us for the following course.

“So that you may know the truth” (Luke 1:4) New Perspectives on Luke’s Gospel

4 Monday nights (30 Sept, 7, 14, 21 October) from 7.30-9.30 p.m. in Scala, Blackrock

Presenters: Seán O’Sullivan, Marian Mortell, Phil Mortell, Peter McVerry SJ

Workshop on “Luke the storyteller: Experience the allure of Luke’s Parables” with Luke Macnamara OSB in Sacred Heart, Western Road from 10.00- 1.00 p.m. on Sat.19 October. Cost €50. To book a place please *email* corkscripturegroup@gmail.com

COFFA House are organising a **Film Afternoon.** Andre Riew and ABBA Concerts with Afternoon Tea and Refreshments. Tuesday 17th September 1:45pm to 3:45pm. Great afternoon assured. All Welcome



Preparations for the Cork and Ross Diocesan pilgrimage to Lourdes are well and truly underway with a series of events taking place over the weekend.

The pilgrimage which is fully booked and will take place from Friday 20th to Wednesday 25th September.

On Friday evening last, volunteer Lourdes helpers undertook safeguarding training, which was held in the SMA Wilton. Special thanks to Julie McCullough (Director of Safeguarding with the Irish Province of Carmelites) for providing our volunteers with this important training.

On Saturday, the young adult helpers group gathered in Mardyke House to prepare for the upcoming pilgrimage to Lourdes. On Sunday, a group of young and student nurses who are travelling on this year’s pilgrimage also gathered in Mardyke House.

The two groups began their day by getting to know each other and were introduced to the story of Lourdes and St Bernadette. They then had a sharing session on their hopes and expectations for the pilgrimage, which was followed by Bishop Fintan guiding them in the Examen prayer. The day drew to a close with the celebration of Holy Mass in the Presentation Brother’s oratory.

In his homily, Bishop Fintan addressed the two groups: “They say nobody goes home from Lourdes the same. I would encourage you to open not just your ears and mouth but also your life and your heart to the whole experience and I promise you, that like the blind man in the gospel who encountered Jesus, you too will be transformed by that experience”.