

# St. Nicholas' Parish News

# 10th July 2022 Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



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# Prayer for when you can't receive communion

My Jesus,
I believe that You are present
in the Most Holy Sacrament.
I love You above all things,
and I desire to receive You
into my soul.

Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You.

Never permit me to be separated from You.

Amen.

# NEWSLETTER PARISH NEWSLETTER

We encourage local groups to avail of the newsletter to promote upcoming events, pray for the sick etc.

We also welcome local GOOD NEWS stories or messages you want to share.

Items for the newsletter can be given to Maura 086 0429952 or Grace 086 8296193

E-mail: Stnicholaspnewsletter@gmail.com



WEEKEND St. Nicholas Church: Sat.6pm, Sun.10.30am, St Munchin's College Chapel: 12 noon,

WEEKDAY NB For July and August, there will not be a Week-day mass in St Munchin's College Chapel. All are welcome to join us in St Mary's for 10am mass daily

# Seeing your Life through the Lens of the Gospel

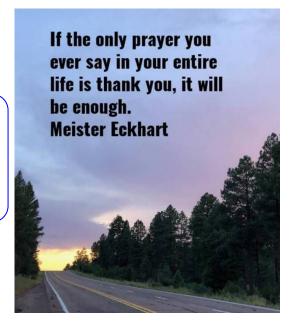
- 1. Today's gospel brings us right to the heart of what a Christian life involves: love of God and love of neighbour. Jesus tells us that having life both now and in the future is the fruit of living in a spirit of love. How have you experienced love given and received as a source of life and vitality?
- With media today we are brought face to face with suffering, poverty and hunger so vast that it can engender a feeling of helplessness and hopelessness. The parable challenges us about how we react when we come face to face with a person in need. We may sometimes try to avoid getting involved. Recall when you overcame this reaction and reached out to help. What did that do for you, and for the other person?
- 3. In **The Joy of the Gospel** Pope Francis comments that it is a temptation for some religious people to claim they are too busy to get involved with the poor and says 'none of us can think we are exempt from concern for the poor and for social justice.' Who are the people whose commitment to these causes inspire you.

John Byrne OSA Email jpbyrneosa@gmail.com



For the church contribution for the week ending 3rd July 2022.

It is very much appreciated. Thank you.





# **Parish Office Opening**

**hours** Tues 2pm—4pm. Thurs 9.30am—1.30pm for anyone who may need to book Masses get certificates or any other church related enquiries. Entrance to the office is through the

Adoration Chapel opposite the priest's house.

Phone: 061-341300



Baptism time will be on 1st & 3rd Saturday at 4.30pm and on the 2nd & 4th Sunday at 1:00pm.

Contact the church office 061-341300

#### Remembering those who are Sick



Let us continue to pray for those who are ill at this time, those preparing for and awaiting results of tests, those in hospital. Continue to pray for Brian, Paddy, Vera, Ailish, Frank, Ger, Bernadette, Fiona, Niamh, Jesse, Eoin, Mary, William, Méabh, Amy, Agnes, Dympna, Muirinn, Orla, Carmel, Ruby, Michelle, Aoife, John, Ralph, Karen, Pat, Martina, Ciara, Bobby, Shane, Anna and Michael.

Lord Jesus, you are the true friend of all those who suffer anguish and pain in spirit, mind or body. Please share with them now the gift of your consoling love.

If you know of anybody needing prayers etc, please let Maura/Grace know by E-mail: stnicholaspnewsletter@gmail.com or Tel. Maura 086 0429952 / Grace 086 8296193



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Pope Francis

The existence of the human person is but a breath, his or her affairs are fleeting, but those who pray know they are precious in God's eyes. #Prayer



#### WELL DONE!

ACE awards are given to pupils who excel in school life through Attainment, Community Spirit or Effort.

Well done to our June ACEs.

VI: Nolan: Isobel Bresnan VI: Heaney: Dylan Hickey VI: Boland: Megan Creagh

### Children's Newsletter



Download this week's Children's Newsletter to find out about next Sunday's Gospel. We have our Saint of the Week, Video of the week as well as a picture to colour!

https://www.limerickdiocese.org/resources/childrens-newsletter101/

St, Nicholas Pastoral Parish Council meets on a monthly basis. The meetings generally take place early each month. If you would like ot raise any items/issues at a meeting you could email your item to the following email: saintnicholasparishoffice@gmail.com



