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NEW WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Saturday Vigil: 6.15pm Sundays: 9.00am and 11.00am

27th Sunday C

2nd October, 2022

2 Tim 1:6-8, 13-14 Luke 17: 5-10

INNOVATIVE and ENDURING PATHWAYS

The adult swallows have all left us seeking warmer climes. Their offspring are on the way too, trusting their instinct to guide them to new fly paths in life.

Third level students from all over the world are back among us in their thousands, seeking to make the most of the precious talents and opportunities with which they have been gifted by their parents and by their God. We joyfully welcome them in the confident expectation that we will all be enriched during the year ahead, as they search for faith based love, inspired creative pathways for life. Many a person would love to see a younger person take up in life where they left off themselves, whether it is in rearing a family or in business, or in a trade or profession or in the service of the Gospel.

St. Paul was no exception. He had spent the most of his life in building up communities of love of Jesus. Now in person, he was sending young Timothy back to look after these young communities. He had great hopes that Timothy would do a good job in keeping faith alive. But just to make doubly sure, Paul wrote letters of guidance and encouragement to his protégé.

Almost two thousand year later, this same advice and encouragement is addressed to each of us. As followers of Jesus, we share the same call and the same gift of the Holy Spirit. We must not neglect these gifts in our own lives, nor fail to foster them in those who come after us.

Hear Paul's encouragement and challenge again in the second reading today.

Fr. Tom Clancy.

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Sunday

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Weekdays 9.30am

Holydays 9.30am & 7.30pm

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PARISH BULLETIN

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FAREWELL AND THANK YOU

A special farewell Mass with Fr. Bertie will be celebrated on Thursday, 13th October, 2022 at 6.30pm. All parishioners welcome. Light refreshments afterwards in the Crypt. (Please note that there will be no 9.30am Mass on that day).

Parish Notices

First Friday:

Next Friday, 7th October is the first Friday of the month. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 10.00am to 11.00am. Please note no evening Mass.

Connect 2:

Almost 100 young adults (18-35 years) from across the Diocese joined Bishop Fintan for Connect in UCC in May. We are delighted to announce that you can now register for Connect 2 in UCC on Sunday 16th October. The day begins at 10am and ends with Mass at 4pm in the Honan Chapel. It promises to be a great day of faith, fun, food and sharing. We will explore how we can all become better Missionary Disciples for the Lord. To register visit www.corkandross.org

CUMH Remembrance Mass:

A service of Remembrance will be held by Cork University Maternity Hospital on Friday, 14th October, 2022 at 7.30pm in the Sacred Heart Church, Western Road, Cork. All who have experienced pregnancy or infant loss are welcome to attend.