

# Parish of Inistioge

*St Colmcille's, Inistioge | St Brendan's, Clodiagh | The Assumption, The Rower*

## WEEKEND MASSES

**Vigil:** The Rower 7.30 p.m.  
**Sunday:** Clodiagh 9.30 a.m.; Inistioge 11.00 a.m.

## WEEKDAY MASSES *(weekday masses may occasionally change due to circumstances)*

**The Rower:** Tuesday & Thursday 9.30 a.m.  
**Inistioge:** Wednesday & Friday 9.30 a.m.

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time - 07 August 2022

## The Rower Cemetery Mass Next Sunday

Next Sunday, 14th August, at 7.30pm, the Annual Cemetery Mass in The Rower returns after an absence of three years. We trust that families will do their best to have their loved ones' graves as neat as possible, befitting those interred in them. This mass, obviously, is also the Vigil Mass for the following day's feast, The Assumption of The Blessed Virgin Mary.

We thank all those in advance who take responsibility for the sound, the general clean-up, provision of the altar and decoration, the music, stewarding and the collection which aids the maintenance of the cemetery.

Many thanks to all concerned with this great memorial event from all the families from far and wide who have relations interred in The Rower Cemetery.

## Feast of The Assumption of The Blessed Virgin Mary

Monday week, 15th August, is the feast of The Assumption of The Blessed Virgin Mary and is a Holy Day of Obligation. The Vigil (cemetery) Mass, as referred to above, is at 7.30pm on Sunday in The Rower, and masses at 9.30am in Clodiagh and 11.00am in Inistioge on Monday, the feast day itself.

## 'Keep Her Lit'

As advised last week, this new folk and traditional music festival for the village takes place *next weekend*. It's in memory of Johnny O'Donnell and Dave Donohoe at which there will be free traditional music sessions, outdoor concert, food and craft markets, etc. Please follow signs & stewards for parking.

## Epilepsy Ireland

Please support a **Cake Sale and Coffee Morning** in Cois Abhann today, Sunday, after 11.00am mass in aid of Epilepsy Ireland and the Cycle for Shane bike ride.

## Bereavements

**Recently Deceased:** Kathleen Healy, Dublin

**Anniversaries:** Mick Murphy, Ballinabarna and Dick Murphy, Kiltown (7.30pm); Patsy Griffin, Mill Road & deceased members of the Griffin & Nixon families, and Kathleen Cassin, Ballycocksuist (11.00am); Mary Kehoe, The Rower Village;

**Next w/e:** Padraig Walsh, Kiltown (7.30pm); Tom O'Mahoney, Kylemore

## Friends of Calcutta St Teresa Benedicta of The Cross

*(Edith Stein)*

A Clothes Collection supporting Friends of Calcutta (CHY No. 13218) will take place next Friday, August 12th.

Bags of clothing, footwear, curtains etc most welcome and can be left inside the church gate in The Rower or Inistioge up to end of collection at 2pm. All enquiries to Michael Hopkins, 087-9073074. Thank you.

Tuesday next is the feast of St Teresa Benedicta of The Cross, Virgin & Martyr, and Patron of Europe.

Born in 1891 as Edith Stein in Wroclaw, Poland, the youngest of seven children of a Jewish family. She was a brilliant student of philosophy. Became a Catholic in 1922 and a Carmelite nun. Both Jewish & Catholic, she fled to Holland when the Nazis came to power but she was captured and sent to Auschwitz where she died in its gas chamber on 9 August 1942. Canonised by St Pope J.P. II in 1998.

**Office Number: 056 775 8581**  
**Tues & Thurs: 10.30am - 2.30 pm**

**Last Week's Collection**  
**€ 749 - Thank you!**

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