



# SIGNAL 27 September 2009

Newsletter of Cobh & Glanmire Parish

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The Bible readings for this morning are:

**Numbers 11:4-6, 10-16** (page 140 in the Old Testament)

**Mark 9:38-50** (page 58 in the New Testament)

Verse:

"Salt is good, but if it loses its saltiness, how can you make it salty again? Have salt in yourselves, and be at peace with each other." Mark 9:50 (NIV)

<b>Sunday 27</b> Trinity 16 (Green)	10.00 am 11.30 am	Morning Prayer, Cobh (with Sunday School) Morning Prayer, Little Island (with Sunday School)
Monday	8.00 pm	Youth Group set up meeting, Rectory
Tuesday	11.00 am	Badminton & Table Tennis, Carrigtwohill
Wednesday		Hilary Fitzgerald's last day at Bellevue School
<b>Sunday 4</b> Trinity 17 (Green)	11.30 am	<b>Harvest Thanksgiving</b> , Glanmire (followed by Christian Aid meal) Joint Parish Service  <i>Joel 2:21-27; Matthew 6:25-33</i>

## Notices:

1. The United Parish **Harvest Thanksgiving Service** is in **Glanmire NEXT SUNDAY 4 October at 11.30 am**. Afterwards there will be **lunch** in aid of **Christian Aid**. It will be in the form of soup and sandwiches. Christian Aid have challenged us to try and raise ten times what it cost us for the meal so please bring along sandwiches or savoury scones which will be pooled for everyone to share. We will also supply homemade soup which Rose Hollow and Jean Ingle will make (if anyone else would like to offer to make soup it would be welcomed). A suggested donation is to give what we would normally spend on our family Sunday lunch. This is so that we can give something to a very worthwhile cause, (and instead of the donation that we usually make around Christian Aid week.)

It would be great if any **children** would like to **bring up items of food** (perhaps in little boxes) as gifts near the start of the service. Any food produce that we have will be given (as always) to Cobh Hospital. Thank you.

2. **Mrs Hilary Fitzgerald** is **retiring** as head teacher of Cobh Mixed National School after over 40 years of teaching. Hilary's leaving Party is due to take place this Wednesday 30th, at the school, (though the exact time is not known at the time of writing).

3. Rose Hollow is doing the **mini marathon** today to raise funds for **Christian Aid**. Please support both Rose and Christian Aid in this endeavour by remembering to give her the sponsorship money you pledged. .

4. "An Invitation to Remember". A **Service of Remembrance** will be held on Thursday 15th October 2009 at 7.30pm In St Joseph's Church (SMA), Wilton (By Cork University Maternity Hospital). All are welcome to attend, especially those who have experienced pregnancy or infant loss.

5. Daniel writes: As you all know, I have been appointed as the new Rector of Kilgariffe (Clonakilty) Union. Although I am happy at the appointment, It is very true to say that Sonja, Caleb, Jacob and myself will greatly miss you all, in particular those we have got to know well. The past 6½ years since we moved here have gone very quickly and we shall take with us many happy memories of these special years. The Owen family's last Sunday will be on the 18th of October and the institution in Clonakilty is on Sunday 1st November at 4pm, to which if anyone would like to attend, they would be very welcome.

### Collect for the Sixteenth Sunday After Trinity:

Lord of creation, whose glory is around and within us: open our eyes to your wonders, that we may serve you with reverence and know your peace at our lives' end, through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.