

Notes Extra

Christ The King

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MISSION MONTH - REACH OUT

OCTOBER is the traditional month of Universal Mission and is an opportunity for Christians to demonstrate solidarity with their missionary brothers and sisters. Sunday, October 18 marks the annual worldwide Catholic celebration of Mission Sunday, the theme for which is 'Reach Out'. Our prayers and donations on Mission Sunday help to support mission projects and allow Catholic communities worldwide to become self-sufficient and progress according to their own needs and traditions. A special collection will be taken up on this coming weekend by the Society for the Propagation of the Faith in aid of the Church's mission activities. The monthly Diocesan Needs collection will be deferred until the following weekend October 24/25.

UMBRA COLLECTION

A clothing collection for Fr Nicholas Maanzo, Diocese of Kitui, Kenya, will take place on this Saturday, October 17, at Christ the King Church. This is to support education in Kitui. The requirements consist of clean dry ladies, gents and children's clothing, bed linen, curtains, towels and shoes. Bags may be left in the church porch before noon on the day.

BAWNMORE

Carol Fuller, who sings with the Senior Choir in our Church, has recorded a CD for the purpose of raising funds for the Brothers of Charity Services, Bawnmore. Titled 'Just for You' this easy listening CD is now available from Anne-Marie in the Sacristy after the 10am weekday Mass and also after each weekend Mass. The cost is b15.

CANCER CARE CONCERT

Castletroy Lions Club are organising a concert in aid of Milford Care Centre and

parishioners. We wish them a wonderful evening of song in the company of Cara O'Sullivan.

SENIOR HELP LINE - LIMERICK

Senior Help Line is a confidential listening service for older people by older people for the price of a local call anywhere in the country. Volunteers are needed! They received 10,000 calls last year. People call the Help Line because they feel lonely or isolated, lack social contact or have a problem or worry they want to discuss. Some people call for information and can be directed to the appropriate services. Becoming a volunteer means a commitment of three hours every four to five weeks. In Limerick this is on a Thursday from 10am-1pm or 1pm-4pm. All volunteers receive three days initial training. This will take place in Limerick in November. For further information please contact Damian Leneghan, Senior Help Line Training manager on 01-8029020 or 086-3951251 or Anne Dempsey, Senior Help Line Communication and Information Officer on 01-2875304.

BAPTISMS

We welcome into the Christian community Lucy Bourke, daughter of Sean and Sharon, Blackthorn Drive. Baptisms take place on the third Sunday of each month. Baptism families attend noon Mass on the second Sunday where the babies are welcomed to the Christian community. Baptism preparation meetings take place on the Wednesday evening before the second Sunday at 8.30pm in the sacristy. The telephone number is 455514.

AUTUMN TALK SERIES

The Diocese of Limerick has organised a series of talks for Autumn 2009 which will take place in the Pastoral Centre or St Michael's

use the 'weekly envelope' for their church offering and would like to so contribute, are invited to contact the Sacristy for a box of envelopes.

The current box of envelopes runs from October 2009 to December 2010. From then on the box of envelopes will run from January to December - the normal tax year.

The weekly basket collection (which includes envelopes and loose money) is the main source of income for the running of the parish. Priests are paid by way of the dues envelopes only.

FOLK GROUP

Caherdavin Folk Group practice in the Church every Thursday evening at 8pm. They enhance the Liturgy at the noon Mass. They have recruited some new members recently and this has helped the group. They would still welcome anyone who sings or plays a musical instrument.

PRAYER GROUP

The Adult Prayer Group meets on Monday evenings in the Don Bosco Centre at 7.30pm. All are welcome.

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THE SAVOY WILL BE CLOSED ON CHRISTMAS DAY.

ST. STEPHEN'S DAY.

Continuous Performance from 12 Noon.

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SAVOY CINEMA AND RESTAURANT LIMERICK

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NEW PICTURE.

ALBAN CHAMBERS, Mus.B., F.R.C.O., AT THE MAGNIFICENT SAVOY ORGAN.

Commencing Monday, 30th Dec.

GREAT NEW YEAR ATTRACTION.

A FEAST OF SONG AND GORGEOUS SPECTACLE!

JEANETTE MacDONALD in

NAUGHTY MARIETTA

With NELSON EDDY

FROM THE NEW YORK METROPOLITAN OPERA.

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AUTUMN TALK SERIES

The Diocese of Limerick has organised a series of talks for Autumn 2009 which will take place in the Pastoral Centre or St Michael's Church, Denmark Street. The theme for October is - Christian Parenting in Challenging Times. On Tuesday, October 20 at 8pm in St Michael's Church the topic will be - Can we, as a family, develop a healthy, Christian value system? The speaker will be Phyllis Crowe. The cost is b5.

WEEKLY ENVELOPES

Those who currently do not

Baptism preparation meetings take place on the Wednesday evening before the second Sunday at 8.30pm in the sacristy. The telephone number is 455514.

LITURGY WORKING GROUP

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TEA/COFFEE MORNING

It is hoped to resume the Thursday morning tea/coffee and chat after the 10am Mass on Thursday, October 22.

CLASSES

Keep fit classes will take place each Tuesday night in Caherdavin Community Centre and in Na Piarasigh Clubhouse on Thursday nights at 8.30pm in both venues. It is a general keep fit class for men and women of all ages and levels of fitness. The cost is b5 for each session. For further information contact Margaret at 087-6187753.

PARENT AND TODDLER GROUP

The 'Parent and Toddler' group have now resumed their play group on Thursday mornings from 10.30am to noon in the Community Centre. All are welcome.

IRISH DANCING

Irish Dancing classes for children, teens and adults are taking place in Caherdavin Community Centre. Beginners are welcome. For further information contact Carmel on 087-6410180.

LOTTO

Na Piarasigh Results for 12/10/09. The numbers drawn were 5, 6, 15 and 31. The Jackpot was not won. Lucky Dip winners: b30: Gerry McNamara, Joan Hartnett, Donal O'Sullivan and Kevin and Laura O'Connor. Seller's Prizes. b50: Paul Condon. House Draw. b30: Joe O'Dwyer. The Jackpot for next week's draw will be b10,000.

We wish the club senior hurlers and management team well in their first County Senior Hurling Championship Final which takes place on this Sunday, October 18 at 3.30pm in the Gaelic Grounds. We appeal to all members and supporters to come to the Gaelic Grounds and support the team on Sunday and hopefully we will be successful. It is the biggest day so far in the club's 41 year history. So, let's hear it for Na Piarasigh as they attempt to dethrone the current champions Adare. The '45' Drive resumed on Friday October 9 at the club, and continues each Friday starting at 9.30pm.

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Description Of Savoy Cinema

ENTRANCING COLOUR SCHEME

Restaurant And Tea Lounge

TRAINING OF THE STAFF

The Opening Programme

Yet another important chapter in the history of Irish cinema theatre development will be inaugurated on Thursday next (December 19th) when Limerick's superb new Palace of Entertainment - the Savoy Cinema and Restaurant in Bedford Row will be opened by His Worship Mr. J. M. Casey, Mayor of Limerick.

First in the series of the most magnificently appointed cinema theatres the Irish public have known, came the Savoy, Dublin. Then came the Savoy Cinema and Restaurant, Cork, and now after many months arduous work and careful planning comes the latest addition to the splendid group of theatres owned by Irish Cinemas Ltd., in the impressive building now completed in Limerick.

Outside Dublin and Cork the Savoy Cinema and Restaurant Limerick will be the finest cinema in the provinces. In its exterior the new building has an imposing and modern artistic façade, designed by Mr. Leslie C. Norton the Architect of the new Theatre Royal, Dublin, and in practically all its details it follows closely upon that remarkable theatre which has been acclaimed as the finest house of entertainment in Europe. The entire treatment of both exterior and interior is highly decorative and artistic throughout.

Particularly striking is the vestibule which is carried out in a scheme of old rose and pink, accentuated with delicate touches of gold and silver and effectively placed decorative mirrors. The auditorium of the palatial cinema theatre will be a revelation of entrancing colour and beauty to patrons. It is carried out in a richly resplendent Moorish style which gives a fine atmospheric effect, pleasing and restful, and luxurious. This impressive interior is well in keeping with the wonderful frontage and gives a fine sense of spacious comfort combined with architectural beauty in all its details. In all its appointments the Savoy, Limerick, will be up to the highest standard and worthy of the great tradition Irish Cinemas Ltd. have already established in the capital and in Cork

Patrons of high-class film entertainment in Limerick and district will be not only be equipped with the very best projection apparatus and a brilliant screen, but in addition the carpets, seating, curtains, and operating room equipment were supplied and installed under the supervision of Pathe Equipment Ltd., Middle Abbey Street, Dublin. The Munster Arcade, Cork, were responsible for the supply of the luxury

While it is very important that a cinema theatre should be attractive and

entific ventilating and heating systems have been installed. While patrons are absorbed in the entertainment the used air is silently extracted by means of powerful fans, expelled, and fresh, purified air of the correct temperature gently sent back through the entire theatre. This is one of the marvels of the modern cinema service, which combined with excellence in projection, have banished the bugbears of headache and eyestrain associated with the cinema in its early days. The lighting is another noteworthy innovation. Here, as in the Royal, Dublin, the very latest in artistic indirect systems have been installed, giving a soft diffused effect.

LUXURIOUS SEATING

In the new Savoy, Limerick, the accommodation is for 1,500 people, and the seating is of the most luxurious and restful kind. From every part of the house, even in the lowest priced seats, there is a clear, unobstructed view of the screen and perfect audibility. The fine stage has been so constructed and equipped that it can be used for stage presentations as well as for screen productions.

When the Savoy Cinema and Restaurant opens on Thursday, Limerick for the first time will have afternoon cinema entertainment similar to the larger Irish cities. Programmes will begin each week-day at 2.30 p.m. and continue to 11 o'clock each night. There will be no cinema performances given on Sundays.

The proceeds of the opening's day's performance will be handed over to the St. Vincent de Paul Society in Limerick for the benefit of the poor of the city. Twice weekly on Mondays and Thursdays

there will be a complete change of programme and film fare of the high quality that has made the Savoy Dublin and the Savoy Cork the premier cinemas in those cities will be available to the Limerick public.

THE MANAGER

Mr. James Shiel (pictured left), who has been appointed manager of the Savoy Cinema and Restaurant, is well known in Limerick where he has just relinquished his position with Messrs. Clevee to take over his new duties. His close association with the life of Limerick and his marked business capacity fit him particularly well for his new appointment. Mr. Shiel was educated at the Carmelite College, Terenure, Dublin, and subsequently went to New York where he gained an extensive business experience and was associated with the Radio-Keith-Orpheum circuit.

THE DIRECTORS

That Limerick today should have such a magnificent theatre is due to the initiative and fine enterprise of Mr. J. M. Pearce who is chairman and managing director of the Theatre Royal, Dublin. Associated through accountancy with the amusement field, Mr. Pearce of Ayesha Castle, Killiney, County Dublin, has also been responsible for the cinematic triumphs of the Savoy, Dublin, and the Savoy, Cork, to which the Savoy Cinema and Restaurant now makes a worthy addition to the series. His ideal is to present the finest entertainment it is possible under perfect conditions. Co-directors with Mr. Pearce in the Limerick enterprise are Joseph X. Murphy, Ashurst, Mount Merrion Avenue, Dublin; Mr. Jas. McCann, Simmonscourt, Dublin; Mr. H. Moore, and Mr. F. W. Moore.

THE RESTAURANT AND TEA LOUNGE

Attached to the Savoy Limerick will be a high-class restaurant and tea lounge, both of which will be laid out in the most tasteful and inviting way. Refinement in its furnishings and decoration, and first-class service both in its cooking and the quality of its food will be paramount features of the restaurant, which occupies two floors. The kitchen has been installed with the very best cooking equipment. A fast service of non-stop electric lifts will operate between the kitchen and each restaurant floor. Chef McKnight from the Regal Rooms, Dublin, will be in charge of the kitchen and Miss Moran who has been assistant manageress at the Savoy, Cork, will be transferred as manageress. The large local staff to be employed in the restaurant will go into training straight away. The slogan: "The nation's host from coast to coast" can now well be applied to the Savoy Restaurant enterprises.

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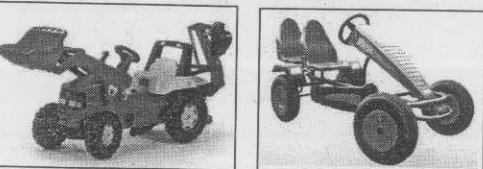


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