

TODAY MAY 11th 2014
 FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER
 VOCATIONS SUNDAY
 Jesus is the good shepherd and guardian of our souls.
 Today we rejoice in the Lord our shepherd who calls us to himself.
 TODAY - GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY
 DAY OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS FOR PRIESTHOOD
 Today is GOOD SHEPHERD SUNDAY, a day of special prayer for vocations to the work of service in the Church.
 There is the enduring command of Christ to His Church to go out and preach to all people. If you feel called to serve the Church as a Diocesan Priest please contact your local priest or Fr. Jim Murray, Carraroe, Sligo. Tel: 071 9162136.

MONTH OF MAY
 The Rosary will be recited before the 10.30 a.m. daily Mass. All are invited to attend from 10.00 a.m. for this traditional prayer.
 YOUTH MASS – EXAM PREPARATION
 Each Sunday during May our evening Mass at 7pm will be offered for all students undertaking Second & Third Level Examinations.
CHILDREN'S ROSARY 13th MAY 2013 7PM
 Children, their families and friends are all invited to this special celebration.

READINGS - SUNDAY MAY 18th First Reading: Acts 6:1-7. Second Reading: 1 Peter 2:4-9. Gospel: Jn. 14: 1-12.

FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK Mon 12th Ss Nereus & Achilleus and St Pancras, martyrs; Weds 14th: St Mattias, Apostle; Thurs 15th St Carthage, bishop; Fri 16th St Brendan, abbot.

PRAYER FOR THE WEEK Lord, open my eyes to the revelation of salvation you have gained for us. Amen.

FR FLANAGAN PRAYER GROUP In place of the May monthly meeting there will a Mass in Summerhill College on Wednesday May 14th at 1pm, as part of the schools Fr Flanagan Day celebrations. Tom Lynch from Boys Town who is working alongside Fr Gerard Cryan, is expected to attend and share progress on the Fr Flanagan cause, which 'is moving at a brisk pace'. All are welcome to attend.

NEW URSULINE SAINT Saint Marie of the Incarnation, O.S.U.(28 October 1599 - 30 April 1672), beatified by Pope John Paul II in 1980. Pope Francis canonised St Marie on 2ND April 2014, the Anglican Church of Canada also celebrates her life and works with a feast day on 30 April.

CATHEDRAL PARISH – 2200 FAMILIES
 THANK YOU for your contribution: SUNDAY MAY 4th
 PARISH ENV: €1,507 PL/STAND.ORD €1,660
 ST MARY'S PRESBYTERY ☎9162670 SACRISTY ☎ 9161261
 ✉ email us at news@sligocathedral.ie.

SLIGO PARISHES CLUSTER
 FESTIVAL OF FAITH MAY 19 - 23 2014
 LED BY THE VINCENTIAN ORDER'S 'EMBER TEAM'
 "OUT AND ABOUT FOR JESUS"
 CATHEDRAL OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION
 Festival Mass will be celebrated each day at 7:15 A.M. with a member of the Ember Team. Daily Masses as usual at 8 AM & 10:30 AM
MONDAY 19TH
 'NEW TIMES, NEW CHALLENGES. LIVING IN FAITH TODAY'
 EVENING SESSION - 8:00 P.M. - OUR CATHEDRAL
TUESDAY 20TH
 'THE SIGN WE GIVE - THE JOURNEY OF MINISTERING TO EACH OTHER IN LOVE'
 EVENING SESSION - 8:00 P.M. - ST ANNE'S
WEDNESDAY 21ST
 'FORGIVENESS & GROWTH - OUR NEED TO BE RECONCILED'
 EVENING SESSION - 8:00 P.M. - ST. JOSPEH'S
THURSDAY 22ND
 'HEALING - THE JOURNEY TO WHOLENESS'
 EVENING SESSION - 8:00 P.M. - ST ANNE'S
FRIDAY 23RD
 'HOW TO SPEAK OF NEW EVANGELISATION - COME & SEE, GO & TELL'
 EVENING SESSION - 8:00 P.M. - OUR CATHEDRAL
FOR FULL DETAILS PLEASE COLLECT A FLYER AT THE CATHEDRAL ENTRANCE

CHILDREN AT PRAYER
 TUESDAY - MAY 13 at 7:00 P.M.
 Children, their families and friends are all invited to this special celebration of the Rosary in our Cathedral.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2014
 We congratulate the pupils of GAELSCOIL CNOC NA RÉ who on this Sunday receive the Sacrament of First Holy Communion Scoil Ursula, Sunday, 18th May - 10.30 am.
 St John's & Carbury, Sunday, 25th May - 10.30 am.
 CONFIRM OUR CHILDREN
 The final preparation Mass for our young people preparing to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation takes place today, Sunday, at 7:00 P.M. All are encouraged to attend.
 SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION 2014
 St John's & Carbury, Thursday 29th May - 4.00 pm.
 Gaelscoil Chnoc na Ré, Wednesday 4th June - 11.30 am.
 Scoil Ursula, Pentecost Sunday, 8th June - 12 noon.

WEDDINGS Congratulations to MELISSA CLEARY & PATRICK FARRELL who were married recently in our Cathedral.

BINGO - GILLOOLY HALL
 Tonight, May 11th at 9:00 P.M with a with a JACKPOT of €2,700.
 Raffle at interval with refreshments available. All welcome!!

SLIGO ACTIVE RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION Next meeting at 2.30pm in Presbyterian Hall, Church St. on Tues May 13th. New members welcome.
 SLIGO VOLUNTEER CENTRE Host an evening providing information about National Volunteer Week on Monday May 12th in Sligo Park Hotel at 7pm. Light refreshments served & all invited.
 FLEADH TERAD GATHERING In Southern Hotel ,Sligo Saturday 17th May at 8pm. Come along and enjoy a Meitheal of Sligo's best traditional musicians. Adm: €10

ST. JOSEPH'S YOUNG PRIESTS SOCIETY Next meeting tomorrow, Monday, May 12th after the 10.30am Mass in the Upper Room of the Cathedral Sacristy. New members always welcome.

THE BAND OF AN GARDA SÍOCHÁNA CONCERT In association with Sligo Garda Station & accompanied by the Ursuline Choir & 'Something to sing About', Thursday the 22nd of May at 8pm in the Clarion Hotel, Sligo with funds raised in aid of Sligo Social Services. Tickets with limited availability & selling fast €15 can be purchased at Sligo Garda Station, the Clarion Hotel or Sligo Social Services, Charles Street.

BAPTISMS We welcome into God's family ZACK SIMPSON and COREY WALKER recently baptised in the Cathedral.

SLIGO ORPHEUS CHOIR IN OUR CATHEDRAL
 in association with
 SLIGO CHAMBER ORCHESTRA
 present their
 39th ANNUAL SPRING CONCERT "GLORIA"
 Friday May 16th at 8:00 P.M.
 With Schubert's mass in E flat major, Mahler's, Aufersteh'n, the music of Mascagni, Clannad, & the Chieftains, Sligo Orpheus choir join Sligo Chamber Orchestra, leader Niamh Crowley, Conductor Austin McManus and the Korean soprano Eunjoo Goh. Tickets €15 & € 12 (con) from the Hawk's Well Theatre, Sligo 9161518 / Liber Bookshop, O'Connell St, 9142219, Sligo Tourist Office, O'Connell St. Tel: 9161201 online @ myticketsireland.ticketsolve.com/shows/873514119/events.

ANNIVERSARIES & REMEMBRANCES		
DAY	8.00 A.M.	10.30 A.M.
MON MAY 12 th	PAULINE KELLY	PAUL McMANUS (Recently Deceased)
TUES MAY 13 th	--	PETER & MARY GUNNING
WEDS MAY 14 th	--	JOHN McDERMOTT
THURS MAY 15 th	1st ANNIVERSARY MAURA CORCORAN	PACKIE KEEGAN
SAT MAY 17 th	CHARLES STEWART	MONTH'S MIND JIMMY O'GRADY

REST IN PEACE Your prayers are asked for the repose of the souls of: SEAN McMORROW, Cairns Drive and ANNE CLINTON (nee McMorrow) late of Limerick and formerly 'Glenallen', Strandhill Rd. May God grant them eternal rest & comfort & console their bereaved families & friends.