



JUNE 22nd 2014
THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD
OF CHRIST
CORPUS CHRISTI



The sacrifice of Christ re-united us with God, once and for all. Every time we celebrate the Lord's Supper and receive His body and blood then through Him our union with God is renewed.

'From this Feast of Corpus Christi have originated many practices of Eucharistic devotion that, under the inspiration of divine grace, have increased from day to day and that the Catholic Church uses eagerly to show ever greater homage to Christ, to thank Him for so great a gift and to implore His mercy.' (Pope Paul VI)

SLIGO PARISHES
CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION
THIS EVENING, JUNE 22nd - 7.30 PM

Gather at: The Cathedral
St. Joseph's Church
St. Anne's Church

Route: Adelaide Street, Wine Street, Markievicz Road, Connaughton Road, Lake Isle Road, Bridge Street, Thomas Street, Abbey Street

To: Sligo Abbey for Prayer & Benediction

LET US UNITE TOGETHER IN SHOWING OUR FAITH, OUR REVERENCE AND OUR GRATITUDE.

All children who recently made their First Holy Communion are especially invited to come along in their Communion outfits with their families.

FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK Tues 24th: The Nativity of John the Baptist; Sat 28th: St Irenaeus, bishop and martyr.

READINGS - SUNDAY JUNE 29th First: Acts 12:1-11. Second Reading: 2 Tim. 4:6-8, 17-18. Gospel: Mt. 16:13-19.

PRAYER FOR THE WEEK Lord, by my sharing in the mystery of the Eucharist teach me to love the things of heaven and to judge wisely those of earth. Amen.

LOUGH DERG God's healing grace is experienced on Lough Derg in an intensity seldom encountered elsewhere; through spiritual exercise, companionship of fellow pilgrims and the sheer holiness of the place. Daily boats to the Island from 10:30 A.M. until 3:00 P.M. 7 days a week until August 13th. No booking necessary. For more contact Maureen or Sharon on 071 986 1518 or e-mail info@loughderg.org

BAPTISMS We welcome into God's family RACHEL AVES recently baptised in our Cathedral.

CATHEDRAL PARISH - 2200 FAMILIES

THANK YOU for your contribution: SUNDAY JUNE 15th
 PARISH ENV: €1,552 PL/STAND.ORD €1,476
 ST MARY'S PRESBYTERY ☎9162670 SACRISTY ☎9161261
 ☪ e-mail us at news@sligocathedral.ie

Episcopal Ordination

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers are needed for a variety of roles and tasks in connection with the Ordination of our new Bishop, Fr Kevin Doran. We invite people who are willing and prepared to help us with this wonderful celebration to a meeting in the Gillooly Hall tomorrow, Monday June 23rd at 8:00 p.m. Tasks will be assigned at that meeting.

SUMMER AREA MASSES - A COMMUNITY CELEBRATION

JINK'S AVENUE AREA MASS - Tuesday June 24th at 7:30 P.M.
 THE PARK, STRANDHILL ROAD - Thursday June 26th at 8:00 P.M.
 If parishioners would like a Mass in their Area please contact your [Area Representative](#) or call the Parish Office on 916 2670.

NOVENA TO SAINT MARIA GORETTI

In Collooney Parish Church from June 28th to July 6th.
 Mass daily at 8:00 P.M. with confessions from 7:30 P.M. The Relic of St Maria will be available for a Blessing on some of the evenings.



WEDDINGS Congratulations to KAREN WHORISKEY and ANDREI KOHUT who were married recently in our Cathedral.

LA VERNA RETREAT CENTRE The Friary, Rossnowlagh
 Irish's Tea Rooms - Open Saturdays and Sundays 2pm-5pm.
 Come to the Quiet Retreat with Sr Teresa Healy - Fri 1st - Sun 3rd August. Kids Activity Summer Camp Mon 4th to Fri 8th Aug (11am-1pm daily) for at 5-8 Year olds. Please call 071 985 2572 to book.

BOUNDARY WALL - ESSENTIAL WORK CONTINUES

The boundary wall at St Mary's is nearing completion. We apologise for any inconvenience caused and we thank you for your understanding. Although the rebuilding of the wall has been partially grant aided by Sligo Borough Council the cost of these repairs to our Parish remain considerable. Any financial help towards defraying the cost would be sincerely appreciated.
In the interest of safety please continue to use the footpath on the opposite side of Temple Street. Thank you.

WWI - 1914 **THE GREAT WAR** 1918 - WWI
 Sligo Cathedral will host an exhibition detailing the 500+ names of Sligo people known to us who died during the First World War. This exhibition has been prepared with the assistance of Sligo Military History Society and the 'Men's Shed' Sligo and will give us an opportunity to remember and pray for those who died. It also gives us an opportunity to reflect on the horror of war and to pray for peace throughout the world.

AN ECUMENICAL SERVICE WILL BE HELD IN THE CATHEDRAL ON FRIDAY, JULY 18th AT 7:30 P.M. TO LAUNCH THE EXHIBITION WHICH WILL BE ON DISPLAY UNTIL DECEMBER.

Dates to remember

NORTH WEST STROKE GROUP next meeting Wednesday June 25th at 8 P.M. at the Irish Wheelchair Association premises in Abbeyville, Sligo. **DONATIONS NEEDED AT OXFAM IRELAND, SLIGO SHOP.** Good quality clothes, books, bric-a-brac, small electrical, linen, cds & more! Drop them into 17 Grattan St or call 9138913 for more information. Thank You **FLOWER ARRANGING DEMO** Sligo Park Hotel, June 24th, 8pm. Come along and support Irish Kidney Association & Transplant Team Ireland. **HAS YOUR CHILD RECEIVED THE PRE-SCHOOL BOOSTERS?** Children aged 4 to 5 years require a booster 4 in 1 (Tetanus, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough & Polio) & MMR (Measles, Mumps & Rubella) for continued protection. These vaccines are free from your GP. If your child hasn't received these vaccines please book an appointment with your GP before school begins. More @ www.immunisation.ie
MCR AFTERSCHOOL 4 WEEK SUMMER CAMP for children aged 5-12 years. Starting July 7, 14, 21 & 28. Mon-Fri from 12.30-4.30p.m. except each Weds. when there will be a longer day trip away. €50 per child per week. For further information or to book a place, call 914 6512.

URSULINE ASSOCIATES - Next meeting will be held on Wednesday June 25th in the Convent (opp. Cathedral entrance) at 7:00pm. New members always welcome.

BINGO - GILLOOLY HALL

Tonight, June 22nd at 9:00 P.M. with a JACKPOT of €1,050. Raffle at interval with refreshments available. All welcome!!

SLIGO & LEITRIM 'HOME TO HOME' SCHEME This short break holiday scheme seeks host families and carers willing to welcome a child or adult with a disability into their home. No particular experience is needed - all training and ongoing support will be provided with Garda vetting essential. For more please come along to the Sligo Launch Event on Wednesday June 25th at 8:00 P.M. in The Sligo Park Hotel or contact Una McDermott on 071 913 5064 or 086 818 8716.

anniversaries & remembrances



DAY	8.00 A.M.	10.30 A.M.
MON JUNE 23 rd	DECEASED MEMBERS OF THE MURTAGH FAMILY	--
TUES JUNE 24 th	--	BRIDGET CASSIDY
WEDS JUNE 25 th	--	MONTH'S MIND MARTIN BURKE
THURS JUNE 26 th	--	EMMETT O'CONNOR BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCE
FRI JUNE 27 th	--	1st ANNIVERSARY JACKIE McDERMOTT
SAT JUNE 28 th	--	MONTH'S MIND MARY BREHENY

Rest in peace Your prayers are asked for the repose of the souls of: **BABY ODIN FOWLEY**, Great-Grandchild of Kathleen Fowley, Jink's Avenue and **HENRY TORSNEY**, late of Dominic Street.
May God grant them eternal rest and comfort and console their bereaved families and friends.