

**TODAY 2<sup>nd</sup> NOVEMBER 2014 - ALL SOULS  
THE COMMEMORATION OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED**



**“CONFIRM OUR CHILDREN” - MEETING**



Our Parish based Confirmation Programme - *Confirm Our Children* is about to begin for all children who wish to receive their Confirmation in 2015 in our Cathedral. We will have a meeting for parents/guardians in the GILLOOLY HALL on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November at 8 pm at which a short presentation on the Programme will be given. Attendance on the night is essential. Thank you.

**FIRST FRIDAY NOVEMBER** Friday next November 7<sup>th</sup> is the First Friday of the Month. Mass at 7:00 P.M with confessions before the 8am, 10.30am and 7pm Masses. All are welcome.

**ADVENT COMMENCES SUNDAY 30th NOVEMBER 2014**

**WAY OF GENTLENESS** - a celebration of the coming of the Christ Child, in the CATHEDRAL on **TUESDAY 25th November, 2nd, 9th, 16th and 23rd December at 8.00 p.m.** The call to focus on Christ's coming into our hearts and homes is the only true meaning at Christmas. Everyone is welcome to join in this hour of guides prayer, silent time and music in preparation for Christmas.

**CHRISTMAS CATHEDRAL CHOIR CAROL SERVICE**

Sunday 21st December at 8.15 p.m.  
Please reserve date in your diary.

**“KEEP THE HOME FIRES BURNING” with Sligo Orpheus Choir, Sligo Chamber Orchestra and Soprano Eunjoo Goh** is a winter concert to honour Sligo's WWI fallen and takes place on **Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> Nov. @ 8:30 P.M.** in the *Gillooly Hall*. 566 candles will be lit to remember each of the fallen. Tickets €12 from Hawkswell Theatre 916 1518; Liber Bookshop: 35 O'Connell St 914 2219 or 087 743 0684 & online [www.myticketsireland.ticketsolve.com](http://www.myticketsireland.ticketsolve.com)



**SLIGO CHORAL FESTIVAL**

In our Gillooly Hall Friday 14<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> November full details at [www.sligochoralfest.com](http://www.sligochoralfest.com). Saturday Nov. 15th competitions in the Cathedral. Choirs to sing all day in The Johnston Court & Quayside Shopping Centres. Choirs will sing at the 10.30am and 12 Noon Mass on Sunday, 16<sup>th</sup> November.

**READINGS Sunday, 9<sup>th</sup> November** First Reading: Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12.; Second Reading: 1 Cor 3:9-11, 16-17.; Gospel: Jn 2:13-22.

**PRAYER FOR THE WEEK** O Lord, into your hands we commend the souls of our loved ones who have died. Amen.

**FEAST DAYS THIS WEEK** Mon 3 St Malachy, bishop; Tues 4 St Charles Borromeo, bishop; Fri 7 St Willibrord, bishop

**ANNUAL MASS OF REMEMBRANCE  
TODAY, November 2<sup>nd</sup> at 7:00 P.M.**

At this Mass, we pray especially for all those whose funerals we celebrated in our Cathedral during the past year, all are welcome to join us and pray for their beloved dead. This well attended liturgy allows us once again to mourn our loss with others who are also grieving. Together we look with hope to what our loved ones have gained and seek strength and comfort as we continue our own journey.

**CEMETERY ROSARY** The Rosary will be recited in Sligo Cemetery on all five Sundays during the month of November at 3:00 P.M.

**ETERNAL FLAME CANDLES** which may be placed on the graves of loved ones during November are available at the Cathedral entrance and Sacristy priced €7. Battery operated lights also available at €4 each.

**NOVEMBER - MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS**

Many choose to abstain from alcohol for November and offer this sacrifice up for their deceased loved ones. You can do likewise! Take the Short-Term Pledge, visit [www.pioneerassociation.ie](http://www.pioneerassociation.ie) or call 01 874 9464.

**THE NEXT PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING WILL BE HELD ON WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 12TH AT 8.00 PM IN ST. MARY'S.**

**A CANDLE LIT CEREMONY** to remember those we have lost to cancer and pray for those still on their journey, **THURSDAY, Nov. 6th at 7.00 pm.,** in **CATHEDRAL OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION**, Sligo featuring **Sligo Gospel Choir**, Candles €5 from Sligo Cancer Support Centre. Tel: 071 9170399 for further information.

**PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING on GAMBLING ADDICTION in St.**

**MICHAEL'S FAMILY LIFE CENTRE, Church Hill, Sligo on Monday Nov. 3 at 8.00 pm. All welcome.**

**PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE** September 16th 2015 for 7 Days from Knock. €699 per person sharing, inclusive of Group Travel Insurance. Early booking offers: €150 off if paid in full by 10th December, €100 off if paid in full by February 2nd, €50 off if deposit only is paid by February 2nd. Please contact Marita Concannon on 098-64017/089-4146331.

**ST BERNADETTE'S CHAPEL** Rockwood Parade. Mass will be celebrated tomorrow, Monday, Nov. 3<sup>rd</sup> at 5:15 P.M. All welcome.

**LIVING THE SCRIPTURES JOYFULLY** the final talk in Galilee Community, Tintagh, Boyle on Tuesday next, November 4<sup>th</sup> from 8pm -9.30pm. Tea & coffee provided, suggested donation €5.

**BINGO - GILLOOLY HALL** Tonight, Nov. 2nd at 9:00 P.M. JACKPOT **€1,950!!** Raffle at interval with refreshments available. All welcome!!

**SLIGO CATHEDRAL PARISH – 2200 FAMILIES**  
**SUNDAY 26<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER PARISH ENV: €2034 PL/STAND. ORD: €1427**  
THANK YOU for your contribution.  
**ST MARY'S PRESBYTERY ☎ 071 916 2670 SACRISTY ☎ 071 916 1261**  
✉ e-mail: [news@sligocathedral.ie](mailto:news@sligocathedral.ie) We welcome your comments

**Dates to remember**

**NEW FLOWER ARRANGING COURSE** starting early November for 5 weeks on Thursday nights from 7.30 p.m. - 9.30 p.m.. Contact the Merville centre office for further information or to register on 071-9150029.

**VOLUNTEER TUTORS NEEDED** for English conversation classes with migrants Thursdays from 10.30 a.m. - 12.30 p.m. in a location in Sligo town. Please contact Josette at Sligo Leader Partnership on 071-9141138 or 086-2325951. Thank you.

**SLIMMING WORLD** Sligo - meets every Wednesday at **Gillooly hall, Adelaide St @ 9.30 am, 11.30am, 5 pm & 7 pm** drop in or call Sarah on 087 6398085.

**EXHIBITION OF PAINTINGS - *Rising Tide*** - by Tina Brooks, Hyde Bridge Gallery, Yeats Memorial Building, Tuesday, Nov. 4 at 6.00 pm. All welcome.

**ANNUAL ST MARTIN NOVENA** In Holy Cross Friary concludes today Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> November at 3.30pm with Preacher Fr Ciarán Dougherty O.P. All welcome.

**THE BIG PICTURE:** Rethinking Dyslexia film/documentary in the Methodist Hall, Wine St, Sun 9<sup>th</sup> Nov @ 2.30pm. Toby Lee of Dublin Dyslexia will talk afterwards with a question and answer session. See poster at Cathedral entrance.

**CHARISMATIC PRAYER MEETINGS** Next weekly meeting on Wednesday, November 5th in the Gillooly Hall at 8:30 P.M. All welcome.

**ANAM CARA “A Parent's Grief & Loss”** Bereavement Information Evening on Wednesday November 5<sup>th</sup> @ 7:30-9:30pm in Ballybane Enterprise Centre, Co. Galway with guest speaker Peter Hanlon. All welcome with all Anam Cara Services free to bereaved parents. To book a place RSVP to [info@anamcara.ie](mailto:info@anamcara.ie) by Tues 4<sup>th</sup> Nov, call 01 404 5378 or visit [www.anamcara.ie](http://www.anamcara.ie)

**ECUMENICAL REMEMBRANCE SERVICE** Will be held at the War Memorial, Pearse Rd on Saturday November 8<sup>th</sup> in memory of the men and women of Sligo town and county who served and died in the 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> World Wars. All gather at 10:30am in the Market Yard & walk to the Cenotaph where the service will commence at 11am. Please come to honour memory of all our fallen.

**anniversary & remembrances**

DAY	8.00 A.M.	10.30 A.M.
MON 3 <sup>rd</sup>	JACK MC LOUGHLIN	—
TUES 4 <sup>th</sup>	CARMEL, DON, NEIL & PADRAIG MORAN	NORA GILMARTIN
WEDS 5 <sup>th</sup>	KATHLEEN PORTER	KITTY KEANEY
THURS 6 <sup>th</sup>	—	MICHAEL FARRELL
FRI 7 <sup>th</sup>	MARY GILLEN	—
SAT 8 <sup>th</sup>	MICHAEL GREENE	<b>Month's Mind</b> JOHN CONDON

**rest in peace** Your prayers are asked for the repose of the souls of: BRIGA MURPHY, Nazareth House and late of John St., ALFIE DUGGAN, Thornhill and MICHAEL SHEEHAN, Cork, father of Cal Sheehan Cedar Drive. May God grant them eternal rest and comfort and console their bereaved families and friends.