

From the Cluster

MASS ORGANIZED BY PIONEER TOTAL ABSTINENCE ASSOCIATION will be celebrated at Tobernalt Holy Well on Tuesday 29th May at 8.00pm. Intentions are for World Peace, Students undertaking state exams and Temperance.

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION Join us for our Annual Procession on the Feast of Corpus Christi, Sunday June 3rd in Sligo. This year's procession begins at our Cathedral following 6.30pm Mass. Benediction will take place at Holy Cross Dominican Friary, Sligo and the procession will continue through High St, Market St, Grattan St and John Street, ending with Benediction at the Cathedral. This year's route has altered slightly to one used in recent years.

CEMETERY SUNDAY will take place in Sligo cemetery on Sunday, 10th June at 3pm.

From the Diocese

CHOOSE LIFE QUOTE "With great affection I urge all future mothers: keep happy and let nothing rob you of the interior joy of motherhood. Your child deserves your happiness. Don't let fears, worries, other people's comments or problems lessen your joy at being God's means of bringing a new life to the world". (Pope Francis, Amoris Laetitia, 171)

WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES ICON The Icon of the World Meeting of Families, presented to Pope Francis in March, is currently visiting our diocese. It will be in St Patrick's Church, Castlerea from 25th - 28th May and Church of the Immaculate Conception, Strokestown from 28th May - 1st June. See www.elphindiocese.ie for details of liturgies and opportunities to visit and pray before this unique Icon.

WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES 2018 AND POPE'S VISIT Register to attend the World Meeting of Families with Pope Francis this August. All under 18s are free of charge, once accompanied by an adult. Register now at www.worldmeeting2018.ie

ALL IRELAND ROSARY RALLY on Saturday 2nd June at Knock Shrine. Stations of the Cross and Rosary at 2pm, Mass at 3pm celebrated by Bishop Kevin Doran, homilist Fr John Walsh OP. Followed by prayers for healing. www.allirelandrosaryrally.com

THE ANNUAL CELEBRATION OF MARRIAGE will take place on Sunday 10th June at 3pm in Sacred Heart Church, Roscommon Town. Couples celebrating 10th, 15th, 20th, 25th, 30th, 40th, 50th, 60th, anniversaries are invited, followed by a meal at the Abbey Hotel, Roscommon. For details of registration and tickets for the meal please contact Parish Office Roscommon 090 66 26298 or by email at rosparof@eircom.net

PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND Mid-term Holy Land Pilgrimage, 26th October to 3rd November 2018, with Fr. Rob Mc Namara (Galway). Contact Anne on 074 9551438, or annemcdwyer@gmail.com

Local news

ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK of the Knights of St. Columbanus takes place today, Sunday. A bus (free of charge) will leave the Wine Street car park at 12.30pm. All welcome.

PULSEWAVE IRELAND HEART & ARTERY SCREENING in your area this week. Tuesday 29th May in The Sligo City Hotel. Normal cost of screening is €50 per person, Parish offer €30 per person. Appointments available from 11am to 8pm. Call 087 7151623 to make an appointment, spaces are limited.

HEART SUPPORT GROUP meeting will be held in the Sligo Park Hotel on Wednesday, 30th May at 7pm. Topic: Living life with Heart Failure. A personal experience.

URSULINE NETWORK - Next meeting will be held on Wednesday, 30th May in the Convent (opposite Cathedral entrance) at 7.00pm. New members welcome.

NORTH WEST STROKE GROUP next meeting Wednesday, 30th May at 8pm at the Irish Wheelchair Association premises in Abbeyville, Sligo.

P.T.A.A. SLIGO - Meeting in St. Mary's Presbytery at 7.30 p.m. on Friday, 1st June after the 7pm Mass.

KNOCK The First Saturdays Devotion is being hosted at the newly renovated Knock Old Parish Church on Saturday 2nd June. Starts at 11.00am with Rosary, meditations, and concluding with Holy Mass at 12.00noon, Confessions and Enrollment of the free brown scapulars. Everyone is invited.

HOLY HILL HERMITAGE Bishop John Fleming will celebrate Mass at Holy Hill's Visiting Sunday on 3rd June. Everyone is welcome to join us for Mass at noon followed by tea and a tour.

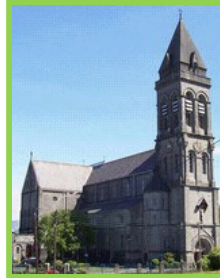
WEAR A SUNFLOWER FOR NORTH WEST HOSPICE on 8th-9th June. Sunflowers and pins will be available to buy from North West Hospice volunteers all over the North West and your support would be greatly appreciated. The sunflowers have been grown and generously donated by Loughan House in Blacklion. Volunteers required, please contact 071 9170523 or email info@northwesthospice.ie

IRISH WHEELCHAIR ASSOC. National Bag Pack in your local Tesco store on Friday 6th & Saturday 7th July. Can you volunteer just 2 hours? Register to volunteer at www.iwa.ie/tesco or call 046 9072539. Thank you.

EWTN CATHOLIC TV can be watched on SKY 588, Virgin Media 815, Eircom eFibre 589 or online at www.ewtn.ie Keep up-to-date with important Catholic news by visiting EWTN Ireland on Facebook, YouTube and Twitter.

BINGO weekly in the Gillooly Hall on Sundays from 9pm. Refreshments available. All welcome.

FAMILY CIRCLE Cards are in circulation.



CATHEDRAL OF THE
IMMACULATE CONCEPTION, SLIGO

NEWSLETTER

Sunday 27th May 2018

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY



BISHOP CHRISTOPHER JONES R.I.P.

3RD MARCH 1936 - 18TH MAY 2018



PRIEST ON DUTY: Fr. Victor Samugana

TODAY - Sunday 27th May

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

8.30am Mass

10.30am Mass (Children's Liturgy included) Fleadh Mass

12noon Mass: St. John's N.S. First Communion

5pm Polish Mass

7pm Mass: Tea after Mass in Upper room

BINGO, GILLOOLY HALL, TONIGHT, SUNDAY 27th May at 9.00pm With a JACKPOT of €3,900.

Monday 28th May

8.00am Mass: No Intentions

10.30am Mass: Irene Watters (First Anniversary)

7.30pm: Choir Practice (New members please contact Parish office)

Rosary every weekday
morning at 10.00am

Tuesday 29th May

8.00am Mass: No Intentions

10.30am Mass: Molly Cunningham (Anniversary)

8.30pm-10.00pm: Prayer Group in St. Michael's Family Life Centre

Wednesday 30th May

8.00am Mass: No Intentions

10.30am Mass: Fr. Louis Gallagher OC (Carmelite) (Anniversary)

8.00pm: Prayer Meeting in Gillooly Hall

Adoration Chapel
Open daily

Thursday 31st May

Today's Feast Day: The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8.00am Mass: No Intentions

10.30am Mass: Tony Kelly (Anniversary)

6.30pm-8.00pm: I Thirst Movement in St. Bernadette's Chapel, Rockwood Parade

7.30pm: Adorers Mass in the Cathedral

8.00pm: Legion of Mary Meeting in Assumpta House, 72 John St.

First Friday 1st June

Today's Feast Day: St. Justin

8.00am Mass: Finola, Patrick, Martin & Paddy McHale (Anniversary).

Confessions before Mass.

10.30am Mass: Ann Elliott (Anniversary). Confessions before Mass.

3.00pm-4.00pm: Divine Mercy Holy Hour in Nazareth Nursing Home Oratory.

7.00pm Mass: Confessions before Mass.

Saturday 2nd June

Today's Feast Day: Ss Marcellinus and Peter

8.00am Mass: Patrick McTernan (Anniversary)

10.30am Mass: Marion Lawlor (Month's Mind)

11.00am-12noon: Cleaning Cathedral Grounds. Bring gardening instruments.

2.00pm to 4.00pm: Confessions

7.30pm Vigil Mass: No Intentions

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Sunday Readings for 3rd June

1st Reading: Ex. 24:3-8; 2nd Reading: Heb. 9:11-15; Gospel: Mk. 14:12-16. 22-26.

rest in peace

Your prayers are asked for the repose of the souls of:

MOST REVEREND CHRISTOPHER JONES D.D., BISHOP EMERITUS OF ELPHIN,
St. Mary's, Temple St. and late of Rathcroghan, Co. Roscommon and Hazelwood, Sligo;

MARY HENNESSEY, (nee Magee), Thornhill and formerly of Belfast;

ROSE O'CONNOR, Jink's Avenue and

KATHLEEN MCTERNAN, (nee McHugh), Temple St. and late of Dromahair and Boyle.

May God grant them eternal rest and comfort and console their bereaved families and friends.

Parish Office Hours: Monday to Thursday 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Friday 9:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

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OFFERTORY COLLECTION Sunday 20th May

CLERGY: €3,492 PARISH ENV: €747 PL/STAND. ORD: €1,047

THANK YOU for your support of our Parish and Cathedral.