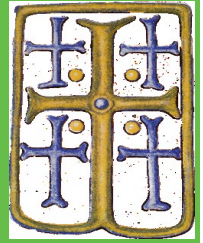




CATHEDRAL OF THE  
IMMACULATE CONCEPTION, SLIGO  
**NEWSLETTER**



**Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2019**

FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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### **INTERNATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER AND AWARENESS AGAINST HUMAN TRAFFICKING: FRIDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY**

The messengers of God's truth have often had to suffer hostility and rejection. This is still part of the Church's fate today as it continues the work of the prophets. As we struggle for truth we are encouraged by the Lord's words to Jeremiah "I am with you to deliver you."

### **MASS FOR SICK**

in Nazareth Hospital Chapel celebrated by Bishop Kevin Doran on  
Monday, 11<sup>th</sup> February at 10.30am.

### **MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST**

Retreat on 20<sup>th</sup> February in Nazareth Home new chapel at 7.30pm.

### **MINISTERS OF THE WORD**

Retreat on 27<sup>th</sup> February in Nazareth Home new chapel at 7.30pm.

**Dear Parishioners**, if you would like to sponsor our newsletter, personally or as a remembrance or thanksgiving, the fee is **€50**.

Please contact the parish office.

**PRIEST ON DUTY:** Fr. Declan Boyce

## **TODAY - Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> February**

### **FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**8.30am Mass**

**10.30am Mass: (Children's Liturgy included.)**

**12noon Mass: A Baptism will be celebrated at this Mass**

**7pm Mass: Tea after Mass in Upper Room**

**BINGO, GILLOOLY HALL, TONIGHT, SUNDAY 3<sup>rd</sup> February at 9.00pm with a JACKPOT of €2,300**

## **Monday 4<sup>th</sup> February**

**8.00am Mass**

**10.30am Mass**

**5.15pm: Mass** in St. Bernadette's Chapel, Rockwood Parade. All Welcome.

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

**Rosary** every weekday morning at 10.00am.

## **Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> February**

**Today's Feast Day: St. Agatha**

**8.00am Mass**

**10.30am Mass: John & Alice Prior (Anniversary)**

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

## **Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> February**

**Today's Feast Day: Ss. Paul Miki and Companions**

**8.00am Mass**

**10.30am Mass: Emmet O'Connor (Anniversary)**

**Tea after 10.30am Mass**

**8.00pm: Prayer Meeting** in Gillooly Hall.

**Adoration** in St. Bernadette's Chapel, Rockwood Parade, Monday to Saturday from 3.30pm to 4.30pm.

## Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> February

**Today's Feast Day: St. Mel**

**8.00am Mass**

**10.30am Mass: Mary Henry (Anniversary)**

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

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

## Friday 8<sup>th</sup> February

**Today's Feast Day: St. Jerome Emiliani & St. Josephine Bakhita**

**8.00am Mass: Children of the Eucharist**

**10.30am Mass**

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

## Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> February

**8.00am Mass: Thomas Breheny (Anniversary)**

**10.30am Mass: Rose Carty (Month's Mind)**

**2.00pm to 4.00pm: Confessions**

**7.30pm Vigil Mass: Angela Raftery (Month's Mind)**

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## Sunday Readings for 10<sup>th</sup> February

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Is. 6:1-8; 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: 1 Cor. 15:1-11; Gospel: Lk. 5:1-11.

## rest in peace

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

RAY CAWLEY, Bunnanadden, Co. Sligo

and

MIRIAM DEVANEY, Larkhill Court.

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

**Parish Office Hours:** Monday to Thursday 9.30a.m. to 4.00p.m.  
& Friday 9.30a.m. to 2.00p.m.

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**OFFERTORY COLLECTION** Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> January

**PARISH ENV: €1,933**

**PL/STAND. ORD: €1,714**

THANK YOU for your support of our Parish and Cathedral.

## From the Parish & Cluster

**KEEP FIT CLASSES** Body & Soul - A workout for the whole you. Classes every Tuesday in the Gillooly Hall at 8pm. €5 per session. All funds to Sligo Cathedral Restoration Fund.

**MASS FOR SICK** in Nazareth Hospital Chapel celebrated by Bishop Kevin Doran on Monday, 11<sup>th</sup> February at 10.30am. Mass will include a Special Blessing for those who care for the sick and also Anointing of the Sick. Please inform all the housebound and sick you know and consider helping them attend by providing transport.

**ELPHIN DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES** Friday, 30<sup>th</sup> August to Wednesday, 4<sup>th</sup> September 2019. For further information and to book contact JWT on 01 2410800. [www.joewalshtours.ie/holidays/pilgrimages-lourdes-elphin](http://www.joewalshtours.ie/holidays/pilgrimages-lourdes-elphin)

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

**FAMILY CIRCLE** Cards are in circulation.

## From the Diocese

**TWEET FROM POPE FRANCIS @Pontifex** “The secret to navigating life well is to invite Jesus on board. The helm of life should be given to Him, so that He can direct the route.” (30<sup>th</sup> January 2019)

### **PARISH YOUTH MINISTRY LEADERSHIP TRAINING COURSE**

Rescheduled: Information Session for Parish Youth Ministry Leadership Training Course will now take place on THURSDAY 7<sup>th</sup> February in the Abbey Hotel, Roscommon at 7.30pm. This was postponed due to bad weather conditions.

**CANA MARRIAGE & FAMILY DAY** in Star of the Sea, Mullaghmore, Co. Sligo on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> February, from 10am to 4pm. A time away for couples from the busyness of life. Supervised activities and games provided for children. The day will include an introduction to Cana Ireland, testimonies and for those who wish there will be Mass at the end of the day. Please bring a packed lunch. To book please contact: Mary Kelly 087 9101451 or Frank McGuinness 087 9880690. [www.canaireland.org](http://www.canaireland.org)

### **ST. ANGELA'S COLLEGE, SLIGO RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND**

**THEOLOGY PROGRAMMES TEAM** cordially invites you to a public lecture by **Dr. Leonardo Franchi** (University of Glasgow) entitled: **Religious Education, Faith Formation and Intercultural Dialogue** on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> February 2019 from 11am to 12noon in the Virginia Henderson Lecture Theatre, St Angela's Campus, Sligo. RSVP [mduignan@stangelas.nuigalway.ie](mailto:mduignan@stangelas.nuigalway.ie) before 5pm on 8<sup>th</sup> February 2019.

### **CAMINO DE SANTIAGO PILGRIMAGE FOR YOUNG ADULTS (18-35) JUNE**

**2019** Dates: 23<sup>rd</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup> June 2019, Age Group: 18 – 35, Cost €650. Package includes flights, 7 nights' B&B, 20kg Check-in luggage plus hand luggage, transfers and insurance. For more information please contact Frank: 087 9880690 or [frank.mcguinness@elphindiocese.ie](mailto:frank.mcguinness@elphindiocese.ie)