

## From the Parish & Cluster

**FAMILY CIRCLE** Cards are in circulation.

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

**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.

**24 HOUR SILENT EUCHARIST VIGIL PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS TO THE PRIESTHOOD AND RELIGIOUS LIFE**—Will take place in the Blessed Sacrament Chapel, beside the Cathedral in Sligo. Starting at 9.00am on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> July until 9.00am on Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> July 2019. To sign up for your hour please contact 087 6274621.

**TOBERNALT HOLY WELL – GARLAND WEEKEND PROGRAMME**

Theme: Remembering Penal Ireland - Faith, Perseverance, Commitment.

Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> July:

7.00pm: Confession; 7.30pm: Evening Mass – The Gift of Our Faith

Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> July:

6.00am: Dawn Mass – Camino from St Anne's Church beginning at 4.45am

10.00am: Morning Mass – Penal Ireland – Story and Journey

12.noon: Mass with Prayers for Healing and Anointing of the Sick

Walk in Prayer from Darkness to Light

A Camino from St Anne's Church to the Holy Well will take place on Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> July beginning at 4.45am to arrive at the Holy Well for 6.00am Mass. This walk recalls our ancestors in Penal Ireland who walked to the Holy Well in fear of their lives to honour the Mass and celebrate the various Sacraments. Everyone can join in this walk and recall this sacred and precious part of our history out of respect for our ancestors.

**TOBERNALT HOLY WELL** rosary in honour of Our Lady of Fatima at the Holy Well on the 13<sup>th</sup> of each month until October, beginning at 8.00pm. The Statue of Our Lady of Fatima will be on display for the Rosary. All welcome to come along.

**ANNUAL ELPHIN DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK** will take place on Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> August 2019.

**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.

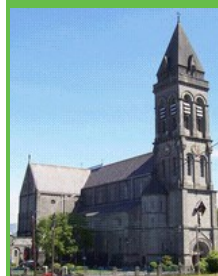
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## From the Diocese

**TWEET FROM POPE FRANCIS** "Faith is a gift that keeps alive a profound and beautiful certainty: that we are God's beloved children". (@Pontifex 12<sup>th</sup> July 2019)

**NEW BISHOP OF CLONFERT** Congratulations to Fr. Michael Duignan, a priest of the Diocese of Elphin who this week was appointed Bishop of Clonfert. Bishop-Elect Duignan is a native of Bealnamulla in the parish of SS Peter and Paul, Athlone. We wish him every blessing in his new mission as Bishop and join with his family and friends in praying that the Holy Spirit will guide and strengthen him to lead, to teach and to sanctify in the Vineyard of Clonfert.

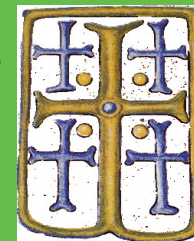
**REEK SUNDAY 2019 – SUNDAY 28<sup>th</sup> JULY** The annual national pilgrimage to Croagh Patrick 'Reek Sunday' takes place on Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> July. Mass will be celebrated on the summit of the mountain on the hour with the first Mass at 8.00am and the last Mass at 2.00pm. Confessions will be available on the summit from 7.30am to 2.00pm.



## CATHEDRAL OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION, SLIGO NEWSLETTER

**Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2019**

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For Abraham, hospitality was a sacred duty, and in performing it he found he was welcoming the Lord. Martha and Mary also made the Lord welcome, but each in her own way—Martha by serving, Mary by her listening to the Lord's words.

## CONGRATULATIONS

Heartfelt congratulations to Fr. Michael Duignan on his recent appointment as Bishop of Clonfert.



**PRIEST ON DUTY: Fr. Yashin Jos**

**TODAY - Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> July**

**SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**Today's Feast Day: St. Lawrence of Brindisi**

**8.30am Mass**

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

**12noon Mass**

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

**BINGO in the GILLOOLY HALL, TONIGHT, SUNDAY 21<sup>st</sup> July at 9.00pm with a JACKPOT of €3,450!!**

**Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> July**

**Today's Feast Day: St. Mary Magdalene**

**8.00am Mass: The Holy Souls**

**10.30am Mass: Eamonn Cawley (Anniversary)**

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

**Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> July**

**Today's Feast Day: St. Bridget, Patron of Europe**

**8.00am Mass**

**10.30am Mass: Ann Wall (Anniversary)**

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

**Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> July**

**Today's Feast Day: St. Sharbel Makhlūf and St. Declan**

**8.00am Mass: Marie Finlay (Anniversary)**

**10.30am Mass: Kathleen, Bernadette, Bernard and Marcena Forde (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 25<sup>th</sup> July**

**Today's Feast Day: St. James, Apostle**

**8.00am Mass: Larry McMorrow (Anniversary)**

**10.30am Mass: Tom Gillen (Anniversary)**

**6.00pm: I Thirst Movement in St. Bernadette's Chapel, Rockwood Parade.**

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

**Friday 26<sup>th</sup> July**

**Today's Feast Day: Ss. Joachim and Anne, parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

**8.00am Mass**

**10.30am Mass: Patrick Gilmartin (Anniversary)**

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

**Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> July**

**8.00am Mass**

**10.30am Mass**

**2.00pm to 4.00pm: Confessions**

**7.30pm Vigil Mass: John Caheny (Month's Mind)**

**This week's newsletter is sponsored anonymously in memory of deceased relatives and friends.**

**Sunday Readings for 28<sup>th</sup> July**

**1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Gen. 18:20-32; 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Col. 2:12-14; Gospel: Lk. 11:1-13.**

**rest in peace**

Your prayers are asked for the repose of the souls of:  
**JOHN SCANLON, BAYVIEW TERRACE, SLIGO,**  
and

**FRANCIS SEXTON, HAZELGROVE, MAUGHERABOY.**

*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 14<sup>th</sup> July**

**PARISH ENVELOPES: €1,750.00**

**PLATE / STANDING ORDERS: €1,571.00**

**RESTORATION FUND COIN BOXES: €123.00**

**THANK YOU for your support of our Parish and Cathedral.**