

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.

TOBERNALT HOLY WELL – GARLAND WEEKEND PROGRAMME

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

Sunday 28th 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

KNOCK First Saturday Devotions are being hosted in Knock Old Parish Church next Saturday, 3rd August. Starts at 11.00am with Rosary, meditations, and concludes with Holy Mass at 12.00 noon, Confessions and Enrolment of the free brown scapulars.

Everyone is invited to attend to benefit from Our Lady's heavenly promises.

HOLY HILL HERMITAGE Everyone is invited to Holy Hill for our next Visiting Sunday on 4th August. Fr. Robert Bulbrook will celebrate Mass at noon.

TOBERNALT HOLY WELL rosary in honour of Our Lady of Fatima at the Holy Well on the 13th 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 18th August 2019.

ELPHIN DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES Friday, 30th August to Wednesday, 4th September 2019. For further information and to book contact JWT on 01 2410800.

www.joewalshstours.ie/holidays/pilgrimages-lourdes-elphin

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY Parish Mission from Monday 23rd to Sunday 29th September 2019. Further details to follow.

From the Diocese

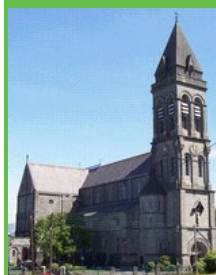
TWEET FROM POPE FRANCIS "Jesus looks at us, loves us and awaits us. He is all heart and all mercy. Let us go with confidence to Jesus. He always forgives us".

(@Pontifex 28th June 2019)

YOUTH 2000 SUMMER FESTIVAL The Youth 2000 Summer Festival is *the* largest Catholic youth event in Ireland with over 1,000 attending. This four day event for young people aged 16 to 35 takes place in Clongowes Wood College and brings people from across the country together to grow in faith, to form new friendships and celebrate with music and prayer. There are free buses going from all around Ireland including stops in Sligo, Boyle, Castlerea, Roscommon and Athlone. For more information and to book your place visit <http://youth2000.ie/>

LEGION OF MARY YOUTH CONFERENCE The annual Young Adult Catholic Conference takes place in All Hallows College, Dublin on Saturday 31st August and Sunday 1st September 2019. This is a fantastic weekend packed full of interesting events for young Catholics. Prices range from €25-€50, accommodation also available. For further details visit our website <http://www.legionofmary-deusetpatria.com/> or contact Lucy on 087 9959803.

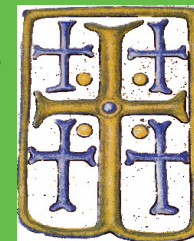
FATIMA PILGRIMAGE (last remaining seats) 10th October 2019, ex Dublin, 7 nights, for Feast of the Miracle of the Sun. Contact James Treacy on 086 0572216.



CATHEDRAL OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION, SLIGO NEWSLETTER

Sunday 28th July 2019

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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The power of prayer is limited only by our failure to persevere with confidence in the graciousness of God. We have to learn that in prayer we don't bend God to our will, rather we are shaped by the will of him who is the source of every perfect gift.

VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED TO READ DURING WEEKEND MASSES

Volunteers are required as Ministers of the Word to join our rota to read in the Cathedral at our Saturday Vigil Masses at 7.30pm and our 12noon Sunday Masses.

Please contact the parish office if you would be interested in participating in the celebration of Mass in this way, on 071 9162670.

PARISH AREA MASSES

Please contact the parish office if you would like to book a Mass for your area, on 071 9162670.

NEWSLETTER SPONSORSHIP

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

All weeks from 1st September are available for sponsorship.

Please call to the parish office in St. Mary's Presbytery, Temple Street or telephone on 071 9162670.

PRIEST ON DUTY: Fr. Declan Boyce

TODAY - Sunday 28th July

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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 28th July at 9.00pm with a JACKPOT of €3,500!!!

Monday 29th July

Today's Feast Day: St. Martha

8.00am Mass: James McLoughlin (Anniversary)

10.30am Mass: Ann McDermott (Anniversary)

Rosary every weekday morning at 10.00am.

Tuesday 30th July

Today's Feast Day: St. Peter Chrysologus

8.00am Mass

10.30am Mass: John Fowley (Anniversary)

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

Wednesday 31st July

Today's Feast Day: St. Ignatius of Loyola

8.00am Mass: Special Intention

10.30am Mass: Ted & Bernadette Grennan (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 1st August

Today's Feast Day: St. Alphonsus Liguori

8.00am Mass

10.30am Mass

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

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

First Friday 2nd August

Today's Feast Day: St. Eusebius of Vercelli and St. Peter Julian Eymard

8.00am Mass: Confessions before Mass.

10.30am Mass: Confessions before Mass. Rita Moloney (Anniversary)

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

6.30pm: Padre Pio Prayer Group in the Cathedral

7.00pm Mass: Confessions before Mass.

Saturday 3rd August

8.00am Mass

10.30am Mass: Eamonn McLoughlin (Month's Mind)

2.00pm to 4.00pm: Confessions

7.30pm Vigil Mass

This week's newsletter is sponsored anonymously for a special intention.

Sunday Readings for 4th August

1st Reading: Eccl. (Qo) 1:2 2:21-23; 2nd Reading: Col. 3:1-5. 9-11; Gospel: Lk. 12:13-21.

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 21st July

PARISH ENVELOPES: €1,526.00

PLATE / STANDING ORDERS: €1,480.00

RESTORATION FUND COIN BOXES: €638.00

THANK YOU for your support of our Parish and Cathedral.