

FROM THE PARISH

Keep Fit Classes: Keep Fit Classes on **Wednesday's from 6.15pm-7.15pm** in the Gillooly Hall, all are welcome. Exercise does help to keep the mind positive and the body active.

Parish Shop: The Parish Shop in the Gillooly Hall is open on Saturdays **from 11am to 2pm and after 10.30am and 12 Noon Sunday Masses.**

Ordination Anniversary Mass Invitation: As members of TEAMPALL PHADRAIG NAOFA Pastoral Council Strandhill we take great joy in inviting you to the joyful celebration of Mass marking the Fiftieth Anniversary of the Ordination to Priesthood of our Parish Priest Fr. Niall. Trinity Sunday 1973-Trinity Sunday 2023. **Mass at 12 Noon Sunday 4th June.**

Parish Garden Party: Sligo Cathedral Parish Garden Party will take place on Sunday 25th June at 1pm venue: St. Marys-Sligo's Men Shed. All are welcome.

Sunday Collection: **Income 30th April — €4,625 Restoration Fund—€295**
Parish Expenditure— €12,475.15

Thank you for your on going contributions, we deeply appreciate your continued Financial support. Tap & Go System in the car park and also at the back of the Cathedral for donations.

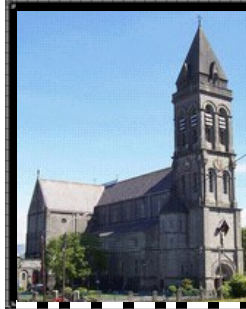
FROM THE DIOCESE

Elphin Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes – Youth Section: Elphin Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes will take place from 23rd August 2023 to the 28th August, 2023. Nominations from parishes throughout the Diocese are being sought for young people to participate in the Youth Section. Nominees aged between 17 and 20 are welcome to participate. Nominees must be 17 years or over on the 22nd August, 2023. Forms are available from the local parish office. All nominees will be representing their parish and expected to participate fully in the Pilgrimage Itinerary. Full details are included on the Nomination Form. Closing date for receipt of completed nominations is the 14th May, 2023.

Elphin Diocese's 3 Day Pilgrimage to Lough Derg: will run from Friday 23rd to Sunday 25th June. More details available at www.elphindiocese.ie/lough-derg or contact Justin on 087 6171526.

Accord: Accord is currently taking booking for Pre-Marriage courses. Please contact the Sligo Accord Centre at 071-9145641 or www.accord.ie The Pre-Marriage course should be booked at least 6-8 months before the wedding. Also, Marriage counselling services are available by contacting the Accord telephone number.

Legion of Mary Conference: 'Who is She?', a day-long Conference for Our Lady takes place Saturday 13th May in the DCU All Hallows' campus from 9.30am - 4.30pm. Join us for insightful talks, prayer, Mass, good food and great company. What can we learn from early Irish Christian's Marian devotion? And how can we love Jesus as His mother loved Him? Cost €30. For more information or to book contact mariaassumptadublin@gmail.com



CATHEDRAL OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION, SLIGO NEWSLETTER

Sunday 7th May 2023

Fifth Sunday of Easter



FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

*“I AM THE WAY,
THE TRUTH AND
THE LIFE”.*

(John 14:1)

CATHEDRAL MASS TIMES

Monday–Thursday 8.00am & 10.30am

Friday & Saturday 10.30am & 7.00pm

Saturday Vigil Mass at 7pm

Sunday at 8.30am, 10.30am, 12 Noon & 7pm

No Confessions Saturday 13th May due to First Holy Communion

Tap and Go System now operational in the car park & also at the back of the Cathedral.

Please take both the newsletter and missalette home. Thank you.

TODAY - FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

“ I am the Way, The Truth and the Life. No one can come to the Father except through me....” Jesus says this in today’s Gospel (John 14:1-12).

Christ is revealing His identity to His Disciples and also indicating a more profound way to reach God the Father in Heaven while praying.

5th Week of Easter, Monday 8th May

Bl. John Sullivan, Priest (Optional Memorial)

8.00am Mass: Special Intention

10.30am Mass: Carla Byrne (Anniversary) & Living Family

5th Week of Easter, Tuesday 9th May

8.00am Mass: Special Intention

10.30am Mass: Mary Clancy (Anniversary)

5th Week of Easter, Wednesday 10th May

St. Comgall, Abbot (Optional Memorial)

St. John of Ávila, Priest and Doctor of the Church (Optional Memorial)

8.00am Mass: Special Intention

10.30am Mass: Honor & David Smith (Anniversary)

5th Week of Easter, Thursday 11th May

8.00am Mass: Special Intention

10.30am Mass: Sean Boyle (Anniversary)

5th Week of Easter, Friday 12th May

Ss. Nereus and Achilleus, Martyrs (Optional Memorial)

St. Pancras, Martyr (Optional Memorial)

10.30am Mass: Pauline Kelly (Anniversary)

7.00pm Mass: Pakie Keegan (Anniversary)

5th Week of Easter, Saturday 13th May

Our Lady of Fatima (Memorial)

10.30am Mass: Brendan O’Connor (Anniversary)

7.00pm Mass:

Sunday Readings for 14th May

**1st Reading: Acts 8:5-8, 14-17. 2nd Reading: 1 Pt 3:15-18.
Gospel: Jn 14:15-21.**

REST IN PEACE

Your prayers are kindly asked for the repose of the soul of:

Seán Kavanagh

MAY GOD GRANT HIM ETERNAL REST IN HIS HEAVENLY KINGDOM, AND COMFORT AND
CONSOLE HIS FAMILY AND FRIENDS.

Parish Office Hours

Monday to Thursday: 9:30am-5pm & Friday: 9:30am-4pm 071 9162670

**If you would like to donate to the Cathedral Parish please make cheques payable
to the following A.I.B. bank account:**

Elphin Diocese Cathedral No.1 Parish account.

THANK YOU for your support of our Parish and Cathedral.