

## FROM THE PARISH

**Padre Pio Prayer Group Meeting.** Sligo Cathedral. Friday October 6th 2023, with Holy Rosary starting at 6:30pm followed by the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass at 7pm.

**Missionaries of Charity:** Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> October is the Feast of the Holy Rosary—all are invited to join the Missionaries of Charity for prayers though out the day. Beginning with Mass at 9am, come for a short or long time to pray together in the Missionaries of Charity's Chapel.

**Thursday Tea Morning:** We are resuming our tea mornings this Thursday 5th of October after the 10.30am Mass. All are welcome to join us.

**Parish Office:** All Anniversary Masses are to be booked through the parish office Monday—Friday 9am to 5pm **071 9162670**.

**First Friday Calls:** If anyone would like to receive a house call on the First Friday of each month, please kindly contact the Parish Office on **071 9162670**.

**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..**

**Sunday Collection:** **Income 24th September - €3,154 Restoration Fund-€980  
Parish Expenditure - €3,427**

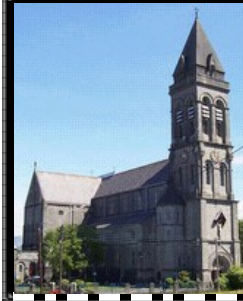
Thank you for your on going contributions, we deeply appreciate your continued Financial support. Tap & Go System in the car park and also at the back of the Cathedral for donations.

## FROM THE DIOCESE

**Jubilee of Marriages:** Couples celebrating their Silver, Ruby, Golden or Diamond wedding anniversaries are invited to attend a Jubilee Mass, along with their families and friends, on Sunday 15th October at 2.30pm in St Mary's Church, Ballygar, Co Galway. Light refreshments will be served after Masses for all in attendance. As each couple celebrating an Anniversary will receive a certificate from Bishop Kevin, they are invited to register their details at [www.elphindiocese.ie/jubilee2023](http://www.elphindiocese.ie/jubilee2023)

**Coordinator of Youth and Young Adult Ministry:** The Diocese of Elphin wishes to recruit a Coordinator of Youth and Young Adult Ministry. The role is to foster existing initiatives in youth and young adult ministry, and to work towards building the relationships which will lead to fresh initiatives in centres of population throughout the Diocese of Elphin. Closing date for applications is Monday 16th October 2023 at 5pm. Job Description and Application Form are available on [www.elphindiocese.ie](http://www.elphindiocese.ie)

**ALONE Volunteers:** Would you be willing to provide companionship or make calls to Older People for 1 hour, once a week? ALONE are seeking volunteers in your area. Full training and support provided. If interested, please sign up here: <https://alone.ie/volunteers/> For more information, contact Helena on [Helena.madden@alone.ie](mailto:Helena.madden@alone.ie) or on 086 0145829



# CATHEDRAL OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION, SLIGO NEWSLETTER

**Sunday 1st October 2023**



## TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**Jesus' MISSION  
is our  
MISSION**

Luke 4.14-21



## OCTOBER IS MISSION AWARENESS

### 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

**Confessions Saturday 2pm-4pm**

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 - Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

In today's Gospel (Matthew 21:28-32) the son who obeyed the Father's will, did the right thing.

God would love us to obey Him because He has our best interests at heart.

**26th Week in Ordinary Time, Monday 2nd October**

The Guardian Angels (Memorial)

8.00am Mass: Special Intention

10.30am Mass: Patrick J Healy (Anniversary)

**26th Week in Ordinary Time, Tuesday 3rd October**

Bl. Columba Marmion, Priest (Optional Memorial)

8.00am Mass: Special Intention

10.30am Mass: Vinnie McGuinn (Anniversary)

This week's  
Newsletter is not  
sponsored

**26th Week in Ordinary Time, Wednesday 4th October**

St Francis of Assisi (Memorial)

8.00am Mass: Special Intention

10.30am Mass:

**26th Week in Ordinary Time, Thursday 5th October**

St Faustina Kowalska, Virgin (Memorial)

8.00am Mass: Our Lady's Intention

10.30am Mass: Pauric Conway (Anniversary)

**26th Week in Ordinary Time, Friday 6th October**

Children's day of Mission Prayer

St Bruno, Priest (Optional Memorial)

10.30am Mass: James Gilmartin (Anniversary)

7.00pm Mass: John Kilcullen (Recently Deceased)

**26th Week in Ordinary Time, Saturday 7th October**

Our Lady of the Rosary (Memorial)

10.30am Mass: Monica Barry (Month's Mind)

7.00pm Mass:

**Sunday Readings for 17<sup>th</sup> September**  
1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Is 5:1-7., 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Phil 4:6-9.  
Gospel: Mt 21:33-43.

**REST IN PEACE**

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

**Jim Lynch, Eileen Gorman, Helen Sweeney, Robert Ryan**

MAY GOD GRANT THEM ETERNAL REST IN HIS HEAVENLY KINGDOM, AND COMFORT AND CONSOLE THEIR FAMILIES AND FRIENDS.

**Parish Office Hours**

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

Email: [info@sligocathedral.ie](mailto:info@sligocathedral.ie)

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.