FROM THE PARISH

All Readers and Eucharistic Ministers are invited to a renewal evening in the Cathedral on Friday 20th October at 7.30pm. Anyone interested in becoming a Reader or Eucharistic Minister please contact the parish office.

Autumn / Winter Scripture Sharing Group forming for 6 meetings. Focus will be on believing in Christ and how God's is speaking to us through St Mark's gospel today. Meetings on Wednesdays after 10.30 am Mass in St. Mary's Presbytery beginning Oct. 25th. More details @ www.elphindiocese.ie/mark All welcome.

Week Day Morning Masses: There will be no 8.00am morning masses the week beginning 23rd October Monday—Thursday due to priests retreat.

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 8th October - €3,897

Parish Expenditure - €13,632

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

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

Pioneer Dinner Dance: The Pioneer Total Abstinence Association of the Sacred Heart of Jesus invites members and friends to our first post-Covid Dinner Dance in the Sligo Park Hotel at 8.00pm on Friday 20 October 2023. Music by The Ferryman. Tickets €35.00 from Eamonn McGauran 086 835 4464, June Woulfe 083 140 7614, Mary Clancy 087 907 0109 Sean McHugh, or Fr Pat Lombard (071) 914 5028. A GREAT NIGHT AWAITS!

Youth-Led Mass: A monthly Mass, led by young people and celebrated by Bishop Kevin, will take place on the third Saturday of every month at 6.30pm, starting on Saturday 21st October, in St Anne's Church, Sligo (F91 R250). All are welcome with a special invitation extended to young people. Refreshments will be served after Mass.



CATHEDRAL OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION, SLIGO NEWSLETTER



Sunday 15th October 2023

TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

God reveals to us in today's First Reading from Prophet Isaiah (25:6-10), His Kingdom— which is a Place of

Everlasting Peace and Joy, He (God) will be present there.

It is an invitation for us to continue to focus on Heaven as our final destination as we journey though this earthly life.

28th Week in Ordinary Time, Monday 16th October

St Hedwig, Religious (Optional Memorial)

8.00am Mass: Thomas & Annie Cawley (Anniversary)

10.30am Mass: Special Intention

28th Week in Ordinary Time, Tuesday 17th October

St Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop and Martyr (Memorial)

8.00am Mass: Special Intention

10.30am Mass:

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28th Week in Ordinary Time, Wednesday 18th October

St Luke Evangelist (Feast)

8.00am Mass: Special Intention

10.30am Mass: Tom & Mary Weir (Anniversary)

28th Week in Ordinary Time, Thursday 19th October

Ss John de Brébeuf, Isaac Jogues, Priest and Companions, Martyrs (Optional Memorial)

8.00am Mass:

10.30am Mass: Mary Conway (Anniversary)

28th Week in Ordinary Time, Friday 20th October

10.30am Mass: Bessie Gillen (Anniversary)

7.00pm Mass: John & Kathleen McGarrigle & Catherine Healy (Anniversary)

28th Week in Ordinary Time, Saturday 21st October

Blessed Virgin Mary

10.30am Mass: Mary McHugh (Month's Mind)

7.00pm Mass: Eileen Gorman (Month's Mind)

Sunday Readings for 22nd October 1st Reading: Is 45:1, 4-6, 2nd Reading: Th 1:1-5. Gospel: Mt 22:15-21.

REST IN PEACE

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

John Loughlin

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 Email: info@sligocathedral.ie

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Elphin Diocese Cathedral No.1 Parish account.

THANK YOU for your support of our Parish and Cathedral.