FROM THE PARISH

Padre Pio Prayer Group Meeting. Sligo Cathedral. Friday November 3rd with Holy Rosary at 6:30pm followed by the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass at 7pm.

The Good Shepherd Children's Catechesis resumes on Saturday 4th November in the Gillooly Hall, from 9am to 10am for children aged 3 to 6 years, and from 2pm to 3.15pm for 6 to 9 year olds. New children are very welcome. For further details contact Maura at 0871442020..

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 @ <u>www.elphindiocese.ie/mark</u> All welcome.

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 22nd October –€3,620—Mission €460 Parish Expenditure - €2,976

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

Novena – St Martin de Porres: Holy Cross Dominican Friary, Sligo will host the annual novena in honour of St Martin de Porres from 26th October – 3rd November, daily at 7.30pm. Sunday 29th October Mass with Anointing of the Sick at 3pm. Preacher Fr John Harris OP, Provincial of the Irish Dominicans.

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: <u>https://alone.ie/volunteers/</u> For more information, contact Helena on <u>Helena.madden@alone.ie</u> or on 086 0145829.

Short breaks Scheme: Would you be interested in providing home from home short breaks for children and adults who have an intellectual disability? Brothers of Charity Services Ireland, Homeshare Roscommon are recruiting host carers. Training and support provided. Tax exempt Allowances paid. For further information email Homeshareroscommon@gmail.com or phone Catherine on 090 6628500 / 087 2126607.



CATHEDRAL OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION, SLIGO NEWSLETTER

Sunday 29th October 2023



THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



NOVEMBER IS PRAYING FOR THE DEPARTED

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 - Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

In today's Gospel (Matthew 22:34-40), a question was put to Jesus: "which is the Greatest Commandment of the Law?" Jesus replied: to Love God totally with one's heart, soul and mind. This is the Greatest and the second is: to Love your neighbour.

30th Week in Ordinary Time, Monday 30th October

8.00am Mass: Special Intention

10.30am Mass: Marjorie Hegarty (Anniversary)

30th Week in Ordinary Time, Tuesday 31st October

Bl. Dominic Collins, Martyr (Optional Memorial)

8.00am Mass: Special Intention

10.30am Mass: Special Intention

30th Week in Ordinary Time, Wednesday 1st November

All Saints (Solemnity)

(Holyday of Obligation in Ireland)

8.00am Mass:

10.30am Mass:

30th Week in Ordinary Time, Thursday 2nd November

The Commemoration Of All The Faithful Departed

8.00am Mass:

10.30am Mass: 7.00pm Mass: This week's Newsletter is sponsored in Memory of Sheila O'Grady

30th Week in Ordinary Time, Friday 3rd November

St Malachy, Bishop (Memorial)

10.30am Mass: Dom, Carmel & Padraig Moran (Anniversary)

7.00pm Mass: Special Intention

27th Week in Ordinary Time, Saturday 4th November

St Charles Borromeo, Bishop (Memorial)

10.30am Mass: Helen Sweeney (Month's Mind)

7.00pm Mass:

Sunday Readings for 5th November 1st Reading: Mal 1:14-2:2, 8-10. 2nd Reading: Th 2:7-9, 13. Gospel: Mt 23:1-12

REST IN PEACE

Your prayers are kindly asked for the repose of the souls of: **Neil Doherty, Dr. Ray Westby, Raymond Gallagher** <u>MAY GOD GRANT THEM ETERNAL REST IN HIS HEAVENLY KINGDOM, AND COMFORT AND</u> <u>CONSOLE THEIR FAMILIES AND FRIENDS.</u>

Parish Office Hours

Monday to Thursday: 9:30am-5pm & Friday: 9:30am-4pm 071 9162670 Email: info@sligocathedral.ie

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