

FROM THE PARISH

Holy Hour for All Adorers of the Blessed Sacrament: You are invited to a Holy Hour in Sligo Cathedral on Tuesday 23rd January at 7.00pm. This is an opportunity for all who are involved in Adoration to come together and give thanks to Jesus for the gift of His Presence Always with us. Tea & coffee to follow in the Gillooly Hall. Anyone interested in this great Mission are also invited.

No Masses Monday 5th February to Thursday 8th February inclusive, due to unavailability of Priests.

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 14th January –€3,982

Parish Expenditure - €9,750.25 (€2,108-ESB & Heating Oil)

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

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity: *Sligo Churches Together* invite you to the annual Ecumenical Service to mark the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity in the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Sligo this Thursday 25th January at 7.30pm. All are welcome.

Medjugorje Youth Festival: The Diocese of Elphin invites young adults in the diocese aged 18-35 on pilgrimage to Medjugorje this summer for the Youth Festival from 31st July – 7th August, led by Bishop Kevin. The cost per person sharing is €650. For more information, detail of costs, registration form etc. please see the diocesan website on www.elphindiocese.ie/medjugorje or contact the Diocesan Office at 071 9150106 and youth@elphindiocese.ie

Star of the Sea Retreat & Conference Centre – Programme for 2024: A full programme of events, retreats and courses is now available to browse on www.staroftheseacentre.com Events of interest include, Retreats for Women and Men; Healing Retreats; Scripture and Bible Retreats and Courses; Six Day Summer Preached Retreats; Ignatian Silent Directed Retreat; Finding God in the Mess Retreat; Iconography Courses; Beginning Experience Courses; AA Retreats and much more. If you have any queries, please contact Frank or Louise at staroftheseacentre@gmail.com

Sligo Social Services : We currently need Volunteers for our Friendly Call, Thrift Shop and our Open Access drop-in service. To volunteer please contact Beki at 071 9145682 or bekiboyton@sligosocialservices.ie

Family Day – Sligo: Organised by “Living Family”, a family retreat day will take place in the College of the Immaculate Conception, Summerhill, Sligo on Sunday February 4th 10am - 5pm. To book, visit facebook.com/livingfamilyireland or contact Therese info@livingfamily.ie or 086 8228174.



THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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 - Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

In today's Gospel, Christ calls four of His Apostles:

Simon Peter, Andrew, James and John. They responded to His invitation and followed Him (Mark 1:14-20).

For those who in their hearts have the prompting to go into the Priesthood, Diaconate, Religious Life or to be Catechists, we pray that the Holy Spirit assists them to respond in the affirmative.

3rd Week in Ordinary Time, Monday 22nd January

St. Vincent, Deacon & Martyr (Optional Memorial)

8am Mass: Special Intention

10.30am Mass: Rosaleen Smith & Deceased Family Members (Anniversary)

3rd Week in Ordinary Time, Tuesday 23rd January

8am Mass: Special Intention

10.30am Mass: Special Intention

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3rd Week in Ordinary Time, Wednesday 24th January

St. Francis de Sales, Bishop & Doctor of the Church (Memorial)

8am Mass: Special Intention

10.30am Mass: Margaret & Charlie Church (Anniversary)

3rd Week in Ordinary Time, Thursday 25th January

The Conversion of St. Paul, Apostle (Feast)

8am Mass: Special Intention

10.30am Mass: Special Intention

7.30pm: Christian Unity Prayer Service (in the Cathedral)

3rd Week in Ordinary Time, Friday 26th January

Ss. Timothy & Titus, Bishops (Memorial)

10.30am Mass: Con & Nancy Healy (Anniversary)

7.00pm Mass: Bridget & Ned Kilfeather (Anniversary)

3rd Week in Ordinary Time, Saturday 27th January

St. Angela Merici, Virgin & Religious (Optional Memorial)

Saturday Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary

10.30am Mass

7.00pm Mass

Sunday Readings for 28th January

1st Reading: Deut 18:15-20. 2nd Reading: 1 Cor 7:32-35.
Gospel: Mk 1:21-28.

REST IN PEACE

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

John Robinson, Joan Finnegan & May French.

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

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.