

## FROM THE PARISH

**Sligo Cemetery:** November the Month of the Holy Souls. The Rosary takes place at 3pm this Sunday in Sligo Cemetery as we remember all our beloved.

**Annual Remembrance Service for Children, Infants and Pregnancy Loss.** Wednesday November 27<sup>th</sup> at 8pm in St. Anne's Day Chapel. 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 17<sup>th</sup> November - €3,681 Restoration €2 fund €101  
Parish Expenditure - €7,492 (ESB & Oil €3,463)

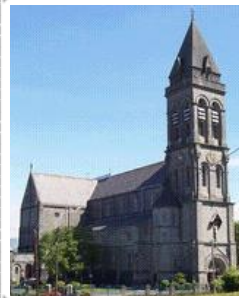
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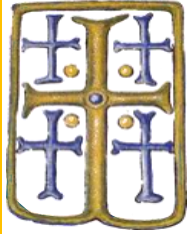
**Pre-Election Message from Bishop Kevin:** In advance of the General Election, Bishop Kevin has issued a pre-election message entitled 'Serving the Common Good – Respecting the Person'. In this message, he offers thoughts on some of the questions that he believes must be of particular importance to Catholics as voters. His message concludes: "My prayer for all of the candidates is for a safe and respectful election campaign, resulting in a good and stable government, that serves the common good. There will be winners and losers in the polls, but anyone who seeks to serve deserves our appreciation." Bishop Kevin's pre-election message can be read online at [www.elphindiocese.ie](http://www.elphindiocese.ie)

**Pastoral Message of Bishop Kevin and Summary of Feedback from Recent Gatherings:** Bishop Kevin recently issued a Pastoral Message to the faithful of the Diocese of Achonry and the Diocese of Elphin. This pastoral message follows on from a series of gatherings held in September and October regarding the proposed merger of the two dioceses which was announced by Pope Francis earlier this year. A summary of feedback from those six gatherings also forms part of Bishop Kevin's pastoral message. Hard copies are available in the church and can also be read online at [www.elphindiocese.ie](http://www.elphindiocese.ie) In addition, a prayer has been composed for this process and all are encouraged to take a copy and pray every day for both dioceses. This is also available online.

**The Way of Gentleness:** A faith enrichment journey for Advent at St. Patrick's Church, Strandhill, Sligo on Mondays 2<sup>nd</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> December at 8pm. Online attendance also at: churchservices – stpatrickstrandhill



## CATHEDRAL OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION, SLIGO NEWSLETTER Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> November 2024



## OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE



## 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 at the back of the Cathedral.

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



Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception Sligo, Restoration Fundraiser Appeal  
**'Buy a Tin of Paint'** €50 per tin. Please contact the Parish Office 071 9162670 or the Parish Shop. Cheques made payable to Elphin Diocese Cathedral No.1 Parish account

### 34<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time, Monday 25<sup>th</sup> November

St. Catherine of Alexandria, Virgin & Martyr (Optional Memorial)  
St. Clement I, Pope & Martyr (Optional Memorial)  
St. Colman, Bishop (Optional Memorial)

8am Mass: Special Intention

10.30am Mass: Leo & Annie Hunt, Tom Hunt, Bertie Hunt, Yvonne Parkinson (nee Hunt) & baby Jordan (Anniversary)

### 34<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time, Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> November

8am Mass: Special Intention

10.30am Mass: Special Intention

This week's Newsletter is sponsored  
in loving memory of Sean Durcan

### 34<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time, Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> November

St. Fergal, Bishop & Missionary (Optional Memorial)

8am Mass: Special Intention

10.30am Mass: Deceased members of Legion of Mary

### 34<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time, Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> November

8am Mass: Special Intention

10.30am Mass: Sarah, Bertie & Joseph Henry (Anniversary)

### 34<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time, Friday 29<sup>th</sup> November

10.30am Mass: Kathy McElroy (Anniversary)

7.00pm Mass: Deceased members of McGauran family (Anniversary)

### 34<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time, Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> November

St. Andrew, Apostle (Feast)

10.30am Mass: Veronica Gilroy (Month's Mind)

7.00pm Mass

### Sunday Readings for 1<sup>st</sup> December

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Jer 33:14-16; 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: 1 Th 3:12-42;  
Gospel: Lk 21:25-28, 34-36.

### REST IN PEACE

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

**Charlie Mulligan & Donal Kenny.**

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.