#### **FROM THE PARISH**

**The Chosen**: This is an initiative of the Sligo Parishes Cluster - which includes your parish. Even if you've missed the previous session, you are welcome to join in at 8pm in the Main Reception Building in ATU Sligo. Watch on the big screen the experience of Jesus' first disciples and their initial reaction and response to Him! At no cost ... ?! Or maybe!!!

**'Seeking encounter with God in and through St. Luke's Gospel part II'**: Our Scripture Group with resume weekly meetings in St. Mary's Presbytery on Thursday 6th March at 11.15am. More details of current initiative@www.elphindiocese.ie/luke\_Newcomers welcome.

Nazareth Car Park: Work will commence soon to upgrade the car park at the back of the Church at Nazareth House. When notified parishioners and those attending funerals can use the main car park. Signage will be in place to indicate this. Would parishioners and those attending mass or funerals please use the One Way System, specially when Sligo Rovers have their matches at home. They use the car park here and congestion could arise with the volume of traffic. This is more so when there is a mass or reposing in the evenings. Catholic Charismatic Renewal: Takes place in the Clayton Hotel, Clarion Road, Sligo Saturday 22nd March from 9.30am-6pm, Praise & Worship, Talks, Music & Song, concludes with Confessions and Holy Mass. Guest speaker Maria Vadia. Enquires please contact 085 7765294. 087 6998397.

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

Parish Shop: The Parish Shop in the Gillooly Hall is open on Saturdays from 11am to 2pm.

Sunday Collection: Income 16<sup>th</sup> February - €3,164

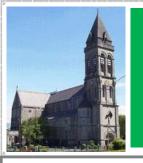
#### Parish Expenditure - €10,730 (ESB €5,054)

Thank you for your on going contributions, we deeply appreciate your continued Financial support. Tap & Go System at the back of the chapel for donations.

#### FROM THE DIOCESE

**Faith Enrichment Journey for Lent:** The Way of Gentleness, a faith enrichment journey for Lent, commences at St. Patrick's Church, Strandhill, Sligo on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> March at 8pm and continues on Mondays 24<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> March, and 7<sup>th</sup> April. It can also be viewed online: churchservices-stpatricksstrandhill

Retreat for Women: Takes place at Our Lady Star of the Sea Retreat Centre, Mullaghmore, Co. Sligo from 7<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup> March, led by Louise & Frank McGuinness. Time for renewal and rest. Mass, Eucharistic Adoration, Eucharistic Healing and Confession. Meet new friends while enjoying the beautiful surroundings of Mullaghmore. Cost: €260 includes full board. For more info and booking details, please see <u>www.staroftheseacentre.com/events</u> or email <u>staroftheseacentre@gmail.com</u> or call Frank or Louise on 071 9176722.



CATHEDRAL OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION, SLIGO N E W S L E T T E R Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2025



# SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful. Luke 6:36

# NAZARETH CHAPEL MASS TIMES

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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 11am-12noon

Tap and Go System now operational at the back of the Chapel.

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

# **TODAY - Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**



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

### 7<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time, Monday 24<sup>th</sup> February

8am Mass: Special Intention

10.30am Mass: James & Mary Keaney (Anniversary)

### 7<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time, Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> February

8am Mass: Special Intention

10.30am Mass: Herbie McCaffrey (Anniversary)

7<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time, Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> February

8am Mass: Special Intention

This week's Newsletter is not sponsored.

10.30am Mass: Mae Flynn (Anniversary)

7<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time, Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> February

St. Gregory of Narek, Abbot & Doctor of the Church (Optional Memorial)

8am Mass

10.30am Mass

### 7<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time, Friday 28<sup>th</sup> February

10.30am Mass

7.00pm Mass: Frank Maughan (Recently Deceased)

## 7<sup>th</sup> Week in Ordinary Time, Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> March

St. David, Bishop (Optional Memorial) Saturday Mass of the Blessed Virgin Mary

10.30am Mass

7.00pm Mass

Sunday Readings for 2<sup>nd</sup> March 1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Eccles (Sir) 27:4-7; 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: 1 Cor 15:54-58; Gospel: Lk 6:39-45.

#### **REST IN PEACE**

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

Angela McCann, Marie O'Dowd

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:

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THANK YOU for your support of our Parish and Cathedral.