

FROM THE PARISH

THE CHOSEN, season 5 will run in the Omniplex Sligo, at 6:00pm starting Thursday April 10 until Sunday 13. We watched season 1 together just last month in the ATU. Season 5 focuses on Jesus' entry into Jerusalem on Palm Sunday and events during Holy Week up to the Last Supper. It promises to be a great opportunity to deepen your own participation in the upcoming Holy Week ceremonies. Tickets obtained through Omniplex.

Restoration Update: Unfortunately due to unforeseen additional work that is required on the re-plastering of interior walls of the Cathedral we regret to advise that our Cathedral will not be ready to re-open at Easter as was planned. Please God we will be back in the Cathedral for Pentecost. Thank you all for your continued financial support towards the cost of this work.

Catholic Mothers Ireland Retreat Day: Join us for a day of Spiritual Restoration, Inspiring Talks, Holy Mass, Prayer and Confession in Gillooly Hall, Sligo on Saturday 3rd May 2025. This all day Retreat will run from 10am – 6pm. Email catholicmothers@outlook.ie for more information or to book your place.

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 30th March - €2,673, Restoration €2 Fund: €117**

Parish Expenditure - €5,845.84

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

FROM THE DIOCESE

Mass of Chrism: Bishop Kevin invites you to attend the Mass of Chrism on Wednesday 16th April at 7.30pm in St Anne's Church, Sligo (*note change of Church due to temporary closure of the Cathedral*). During the Mass, Bishop Kevin will bless and consecrate the oils used in the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation, Holy Orders and the Sick and the priests of the diocese will renew their commitment to their priestly ministry. All are very welcome to attend.

Young Adult Pilgrimage to Italy: 29 July - 8 August 2025 with Bishop Kevin Doran. The pilgrimage is open to 18 - 35 year olds. The cost is €995 per person sharing and this includes flights, coach transfers, accommodation, Youth Jubilee with Pope Francis in Rome, 3 days on the St. Columbanus Camino in northern Italy and day trip to Milan. All the details and how to book are available at www.achonrydiocese.org and www.elphindiocese.ie This is an inter-diocesan pilgrimage for young adults living in the dioceses of Achonry and Elphin; Galway and Clonfert.

Elphin & Achonry Diocesan Jubilee Pilgrimage to Rome: 'Pilgrims of Hope' is the theme of Jubilee 2025. To mark this special year of faith, the Diocese of Elphin and the Diocese of Achonry will journey on pilgrimage to Rome from 22nd to 27th October 2025. This 5 night pilgrimage, led by Fr. Tom Hever and Fr. Vincent Sherlock, promises to be a special time in Rome, visiting Vatican City and Rome's most important basilicas and religious sites. Price per person: €1499 on half board basis at centrally located hotel (€300 single room supplement). For bookings and enquiries: email info@joewalshstours.ie or phone Joe Walsh Tours: 01 241 0800.



CATHEDRAL OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION, SLIGO NEWSLETTER Sunday 6th April 2025



FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT



NAZARETH CHAPEL 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 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 - Fifth Sunday of Lent



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

5th Week of Lent, Monday 7th April

St. John Baptist de la Salle, Priest (Memorial)

8am Mass: Special Intention

10.30am Mass: Robert McGoldrick (Anniversary)

5th Week of Lent, Tuesday 8th April

8am Mass: Special Intention

10.30am Mass: Patrick Allen, Margaret Allen & Annie Allen (Anniversary)

5th Week of Lent, Wednesday 9th April

8am Mass: Special Intention

10.30am Mass

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5th Week of Lent, Thursday 10th April

8am Mass: Special Intention

10.30am Mass: Margaret Clancy (Anniversary)

5th Week of Lent, Friday 11th April

St. Stanislaus, Bishop & Martyr (Memorial)

10.30am Mass: Special Intention

7.00pm Mass: Stephanie Conlon (Anniversary)

5th Week of Lent, Saturday 12th April

10.30am Mass

7.00pm Mass

Sunday Readings for 13th April

Procession: Lk 19:28-40;

1st Reading: Is 50:4-7; 2nd Reading: Phil 2:6-11;

Gospel: Lk 22:14-23:56.

REST IN PEACE

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

Eleanor Nicholson.

MAY GOD GRANT HER ETERNAL REST IN HIS HEAVENLY KINGDOM, AND COMFORT AND CONSOLE HER FAMILY 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.