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**Prayer of the Faithful on the theme of Respect for Life:**

*We pray for Doctors and Nurses – that, in the midst of all the practical demands of their work, they may always see themselves as guardians and servants of human life. Lord hear us.*

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**Rosary in Cliffoney Church – Every Wed during Lent at 6.50pm**

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will follow as usual from 7 - 8pm.

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**Pope Francis on the Family – World Meeting of Families**

Three consecutive Wednesday nights of reflection on the Family in preparation for the WMF, Dublin 2018. **Venue:** Summerhill College, Library. **Dates:** Wed 28<sup>th</sup> Feb, Wed 7<sup>th</sup> Mar + Wed 14<sup>th</sup> Mar. **Time:** 8-9pm (tea/coffee afterwards).

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**Choose Life Quote**

“Human life is sacred because from its beginning it involves ‘the creative action of God’, and it remains forever in a special relationship with the Creator, who is its sole end.

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**Nuala's Barn Dance**

15 years have passed since we lost our fun loving + beautiful dear friend Nuala. Once again in her memory we are holding our annual Barn Dance in Grange Hall on Fri 9<sup>th</sup> Mar. Music by the ever popular Brendan Magee. Dancing 9-12pm. Admission €8 including the popular "Grange supper". A great nights dancing guaranteed, all proceeds in aid of North West Hospice. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

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**SVP**

St. Vincent de Paul would like to thank the organisers of the wonderful Rainbow Rhythm Show .,for hosting a raffle in aid of SVP which raised €470 and to thank the parents for their generous support, all monies raised will be spent locally.

In the past year SVP have invested €20130 in the local area supporting families in times of need and we wish to thank all of you who have supported us. For more info contact 087 1868490.

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**Ceili – Ballintogher Hall, Co. Sligo, Fri 9<sup>th</sup> Mar from 9.30pm – Refreshments served**

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**Fr. Michael O’Flanagan Memorial Group**

Hosting a Marathon of Traditional Irish Music & jumble sale in aid of the Cliffoney Hall Restoration Fund. All welcome to come + sing, dance or play. Refreshments - tea, coffee, soup, sandwiches. St. Patrick’s Day 2018, Cliffoney Hall, 12-7pm.

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***“I saw a stranger today and I put food for him in the eating place and drink in the drinking place and music in the listening place. In the Holy Name of the Trinity, He blessed myself and my family. And the lark said in her warble, often, often, often, goes Christ in the stranger’s guise.”***  
**Early Irish Poem**

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**Spiritual Transformation - Operation Transformation for the Soul**

The Operation Transformation programme on television is very successful in how it inspires people of all ages to live healthy lives. Fr Seán Maguire, Kilmore Diocese, has developed an Operation Transformation for the Soul, which caters for the holistic well-being of the person. For more info [www.spiritualtransformation.ie](http://www.spiritualtransformation.ie).

**Parish of Ahamlish and Inishmurray**

**Grange** ◇ **Cliffoney** ◇ **Mullaghmore**

Rev. Christy McHugh

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**Celebration of the Eucharist**

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*Sunday: 10:30 a.m.*

*Wednesday,*

*7:00 -8:00 pm: Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament*

**CHURCH OF MARY IMMACULATE, GRANGE**

*Saturday: 8:00 p.m*

*Sunday: 12:00 noon*

**OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA ORATORY, MULLAGHMORE**

*Saturday: 6:30pm*

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DATE	EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	MINISTERS OF THE WORD
Sun, 4 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Marie Clancy, Karen McGloin	Patricia Hickey
Sun, 11 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Mary McGowan, Anne Roper	Anne McGloin
<b>Altar Society</b>	<b>March:</b> K. McGloin, E. McGloin, T. O'Connor	
<b>MASS INTENTIONS in CLIFFONEY &amp; MULLAGHMORE</b>		
Sat, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Mar	6.30pm	Mullaghmore: Patrick Barry (32 <sup>nd</sup> Anniversary)
Sun, 4 <sup>th</sup> Mar	10.30am	Cliffoney: Eileen Gray, Cliffoney (1 <sup>st</sup> Anniversary)
Fri, 9 <sup>th</sup> Mar	10am	Cliffoney: Private Intention
Sat, 10 <sup>th</sup> Mar	4pm 6.30pm	Mullaghmore: Baptism Rose McGonigle (16 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary)
Sun, 11 <sup>th</sup> Mar	10.30am	Cliffoney: Mark Hannon (7 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary)
<b>Cliffoney Offerings:</b>	<i>Sunday Collection: €756 WMOF: €145</i>	

### **Knock Faith Renewal Events: Spring – Summer 2018**

**Day Retreats (Prayer Guidance Centre, Knock Shrine at 11am-3pm):**

**Sat 24<sup>th</sup> Mar** – “Looking towards the Light” **Sat 24<sup>th</sup> Apr** – “New Life”

**Sat 14<sup>th</sup> Apr** – “Art as a Doorway to the Divine”: Join us for a day of art + poetry with artist Róisín de Buitléar + poet John F. Deane. (11–4pm, Knock House Hotel)

**Sat 10<sup>th</sup> Mar** – “Getting the Most Out of Holy Week”: Calling all Parish Groups, Readers + Ministers! (Facilitator: Colette Furlong, at 11-3pm, Knock House Hotel)

**Sharon Shannon at Lissadell Church – Sat 26<sup>th</sup> May, 8pm**

Tickets €30 now on sale at Drumcliffe Tea House, Grange Pharmacy, Veritas Sligo or by calling Heather on 087 1655880. A must see for all music lovers.

**The A.A. Convention that was advertised last week is cancelled.**

**Creative Writing Courses Starting Soon - Yeats Memorial Building, Tue 6<sup>th</sup> Mar**

From 10.30am-12.30pm for 6 weeks. Writing from a First Draft to a Final Draft (turn ideas into finished poems, stories etc. suitable for publication) Begins **Wed 7<sup>th</sup> Mar**, 6.30-8.30pm for 6 weeks. Places strictly limited. Ph:0838561559

### **Accord Elphin**

Accord Elphin is recruiting marriage care facilitators for the presentation of Pre-Marriage course in the Sligo, Boyle and Roscommon areas. Full training provided. These are part voluntary and part paid position. Full details from Accord Sligo at 071-9145641.

### **The Way of Gentleness**

A personal enrichment journey for Lent in St Patrick's Church, Strandhill – Mondays at 8pm (5, 12 & 19 March)

### **Stations of the Cross for Children**

Will be held in Grange Church every Tuesday at 3.05pm. All welcome!

**Short Lenten Reflections by Fr. Niall Ahern - offering a spiritual Lenten journey now available to listen or to podcast @ [www.elphindiocese.ie/reflections](http://www.elphindiocese.ie/reflections)**

MASSES, GRANGE		
Sat, 3 <sup>rd</sup> Mar	8pm	
Sun, 4 <sup>th</sup> Mar	12.00pm 3pm	Teresa, Paddy + Mattie Farrell, Lyle Baptism
Mon, 5 <sup>th</sup> Mar	9.30am	Jackie Gallagher
Tue, 6 <sup>th</sup> Mar	9.30am	For the People of the Parish
Wed, 7 <sup>th</sup> Mar	9.30am	Una Gilmartin
Thur, 8 <sup>st</sup> Mar	9.30am	Private Intention
Sat, 10 <sup>rd</sup> Mar	2pm 8pm	Baptism Kenneth McGowan (1 <sup>st</sup> Anniversary) Molly Gallagher Months Mind
Sun, 11 <sup>th</sup> Mar	12.00pm	Aiden McGowan (2 <sup>nd</sup> Anniversary)
<b>March</b>	<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>SUNDAY</b>
<b>OFFERTORY COLLECTORS</b>	Pat Wymbys, Moneygold; Joe Currid, Ballyscannell; Sean Feeney, Carns; Joe Herity, Aughagad	Michael Feighney, Streedagh; Francis Brennan, Newtownward; Martin McLean, Aughagad
<b>ALTAR SOCIETY</b>	<b>March:</b> Imelda Gilroy, Cathy McCarry	
<b>Grange Offerings:</b>	<i>Sunday Collection: €1015 WMOF: €219</i>	

### **Please remember in your prayers:**

**Mollie Hunt (nee Haran)**, Mullingar, formerly Drumfad. Funeral took place at Cathedral of Christ the King, Mullingar on Mar 1<sup>st</sup> with burial in Ballyglass Cemetery, Mullingar. Our sympathy to her husband Seamus, sons Joseph, Alan, John; daughters Deirdre, Emer, Aoife; 18 grandchildren; her sisters Nancy + Eileen. Predeceased by her loving brother Tom of Drumfad.

### **Things to Do/Stop for Lent**

#### **Stop:**

Laziness, arguing, judging people, lying, cursing. Fasting: Snacking, Facebook, shopping (frivolous). Naps, junk food, sarcasm, Youtube, chewing gum.

#### **Do:**

Praying, daily mass, stop by the church, confession. Rejoice in the beauty of creation around you. Be kind to one another.

***I plainly told them, 'Be sincerely converted, and turn with your whole heart to the Lord our God, for nothing is impossible for him, that he may today send you food on our road, even until you are satisfied, because he has abundance everywhere.' And, with God's help, it was so done: a herd of pigs appeared in the road before our eyes.***

*St. Patrick*

### **MOTHERS PRAYERS' ANNUAL WEEKEND IN KNOCK**

For mothers who wish to come together to pray for their children and grandchildren, bringing them to Jesus who loves them so much and can change things that we cannot change. W/E 9<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup> March, 2018. For information please phone 087 6184110.