

- Exposition of The Blessed Sacrament returns every Thursday evening to Grange Church from 7 – 10pm – observing all COVID-19 regulations.
- Exposition of The Blessed Sacrament returns every Wednesday evening to Cliffoney Church from 7–9pm – observing all COVID-19 regulations.
- 24hr Eucharistic Adoration every 3<sup>rd</sup> Wed + Thur of the month in Cliffoney Church

Elphin Diocese's Parish Pastoral Council Mission Awareness & Training

Consultation: See [www.elphindiocese.ie/ppc-consultation](http://www.elphindiocese.ie/ppc-consultation) for details. Interested adults welcome to participate in forthcoming online meetings.

**\*Thanks for all the donations made through 'Make a Donation' on [ahamlish.com](http://ahamlish.com) and by hand to the Parochial House, Grange\***

**COVID-19 Support Line for Older People**

ALONE manage a national support line and additional supports for older people who have concerns or facing difficulties relating to the outbreak of COVID-19. The support line is open seven days a week, 8am - 8pm, by calling 0818 222 024.

**The Irish Hospice Foundation Bereavement Support Line**

Have you been impacted by a bereavement during COVID-19? Are you finding it more difficult to cope with a pre-Covid bereavement at this time? Would it help to talk to someone in confidence about your loss? The Irish Hospice Foundation Bereavement Support Line is a national freephone service 1800 80 70 77 which is available from 10am to 1pm, Monday to Friday. The line aims to provide comfort and emotional support.

Holy Communion will be solely given into your hand. Stretch out your hand to the minister of Communion so they can drop the sacred host onto the palm of your hand without touching you. Holy Communion will be given after Final Blessing and you can exit directly afterwards. Do not hang around after.

- WASH YOUR HANDS
- KEEP YOUR DISTANCE
- WEAR A MASK

*The use of face covering is strongly recommended for indoor settings.*

**Volunteers required for cleaning + stewarding during/ after Masses. Contact Fr. Christy – 0877986602.**

**BUMBLEance**

My sincere thanks to everyone for their help with this fundraiser – to Des McFadden for tech support, to Martina at Supervalu for sponsored drinks + crisps during the Shaveoff/ Buzzcut and to Alfie for coming to bring me back to what I always looked like. We have raised a total of €6,861 as of Friday 24<sup>th</sup> July. Idonate is open until 30<sup>th</sup> July and you can donate personally until that date too. Again, sincere thanks to everyone – you were all shockingly generous. May god reward you.

Fr. Christy

**"Poems from a Lockdown" authored by Michael O'Connor, Bunduff.**

Congrats Michael. The muse never left you even on the windy island of Fueraventura.

**Mass for the foreseeable is not being celebrated in Oratory at Mullaghmore due to Covid 19 restrictions**

*Parish of Ahamlish and Inishmurray*  
*Grange ♦ Cliffoney ♦ Mullaghmore*



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## 17<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time



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### Masses Cliffoney

Sun 26 <sup>th</sup> July	10.30am	
Sat 1 <sup>st</sup> Aug	3pm	Baptisms x 2
Sun 2 <sup>nd</sup> Aug	10.30am	
<b>Altar Society</b>	<b>July: C. Kelly</b>	
<b>Sunday Collection:</b>	<b>€518</b>	

#### Ferrero Rocher

Did you know Ferrero Rocher – introduced by Italian Chocolatier, Michele Ferrero in 1982 was named after the Lourdes Grotto called the Rocher de Massabielle, that marks the spot where Our Lady appeared to St. Bernadette in Lourdes; France.

Ferrero died in 2015 and was a devout Catholic who had a strong devotion to Our Lady; All his factories, 14 of them throughout the world had a statue of Our Lady installed. Ferrero had a lot to be thankful for – he was the third biggest chocolate producer in the world.

#### Youth 2000

Youth 2000 – celebrates 30 years of existence this year. Its annual Get together/ retreat is now renamed Summer E Festival with much of the content online + live streamed and interactive. Aug 14<sup>th</sup> - 16<sup>th</sup> 2020. Register free at [www.youth2000.ie](http://www.youth2000.ie) Its aim is to provide a real retreat for young people, not just an educational conference.

Parents offer this to your young adult children. Anyone willing to donate to help them financially, go to the website – [www.youth2000.ie/donate](http://www.youth2000.ie/donate) using the Everydayhero link.

*Motto "Youth leading youth to the heart of the church"*

#### 17<sup>th</sup> Sunday In Ordinary Time

**Prayer:** For a greater awareness of the richness of every vocation to love Christ and that more men and women will respond to His invitation to follow Him as priests, deacons and in the consecrated life, Lord Hear Us.

"Discovering vocation does not mean scrambling toward some prize just beyond my reach but accepting the treasure of true self I already possess. Vocation does not come from a voice out there calling me to be something I am not. It comes from a voice in here calling me to be the person I was born to be, to fulfil the original selfhood given me at birth by God." — **Thomas Merton**

#### Job Vacancy for Office Manager – Sligo

St. Mary's Parish, Sligo wishes to recruit a full-time Office Manager. Successful candidate will work in the Parish Office, Temple Street, Sligo. This post is open to suitably qualified candidates. For further details of the position, including job description, person specification, details of employment, application procedure etc., please contact: HR Advisor, Elphin Diocesan Office, St. Mary's, Temple Street, Sligo F91 KTX2. Email: [hr@elphindiocese.ie](mailto:hr@elphindiocese.ie) Closing date for applications: 3rd August 2020

#### First Communions

First Holy Communion for SN Molaise + Carns NS – Grange Church, 19<sup>th</sup> Sept at 11am  
Please note the directives around this on [elphin.ie](http://elphin.ie)

First Holy Communion for Cliffoney NS + Castlegal NS – St. Molaise Church, 3<sup>rd</sup> Oct at 11am

#### Sacrament of Confirmations

Sacrament of Confirmation for Castlegal, Cliffoney + Carns - St. Molaise Church, 22<sup>nd</sup> Aug at 2pm.

Sacrament of Confirmation for Sn Molaise – Grange Church, 22<sup>nd</sup> Aug at 11am.

#### Annual Ahamlish Cemetery Mass is postponed

Mass will be held in Church in Grange at 12.00 on that day

### Masses Grange

Sat 25 <sup>th</sup> July	8pm	Patsy Foley Months Mind
Sun 26 <sup>th</sup> July	12.00	Rose + Frank Brennan Martin (15 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary) + Dympna O'Dea Marie Lynch (nee Conlon) 25 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary
Fri 31 <sup>st</sup> July		Wedding: Thomas + Hilary
Sat 1 <sup>st</sup> Aug	2pm 8pm	Baptism John Leonard (3 <sup>rd</sup> Anniversary)
Sun 2 <sup>nd</sup> Aug	12.00 2pm	Matt Gilsean Kathleen + John Pat Tivnan + daughter Patricia Baptism
ALTAR SOCIETY	<b>July: Imelda Gilroy, Camilla Kerins, Cathy McCarry</b>	
<b>Sunday Collection:</b>	<b>€904</b>	

#### Please remember in your prayers:

**Michael (Mickey) Gallagher** Luton, formerly Gortakerrin, Coolaney, Co. Sligo died 16<sup>th</sup> July aged 90; the last of the Gallagher Family. Our sympathy to his sons + daughters, nephews + nieces, grandnephews + grandnieces. Predeceased by his sisters Maureen Brady + Irene Oates, Grange + brother Paddy + wife Sally.

**Pam Donaghy (nee Blane)** died 20<sup>th</sup> July. Our sympathy to her husband Bertie, children Charles, Andrew, Edward + Jennifer Dolan, Cliffoney, daughters-in-law, grandchildren. Funeral took place at Calry Parish Church, The Mall, Sligo on July 22<sup>nd</sup> at 11am with burial in Sligo Cemetery.

**Mary Theresa Stimus**, born to Paddy Leydon (Rinroe) & Ellen O'Connor (Cloontyprucklish), both of whom left Grange for New York in the early 1900's. They married in New York and had 5 daughters, 4 of whom visited Grange over the years, sadly Mary Theresa never made it to Ireland. She outlived her siblings & died 10<sup>th</sup> July at the age of 92, last of her family. Our sympathy to her first cousin Annie Kilfeather and the O'Connors, Kerins, Leydons, Kilfeathers, her son John, daughter Nancy, 3 grandchildren & many nieces & nephews.

#### Returning to Church - Opened

Dear parishioner,

Please note what we are asked to do – only this – keep your distance. In church, there is assigned seating denoted by the sign. Please sit there.



If you wish to have a look at the regulations placed before us then see the bishops document 'Nothing Can Separate Us From The Love Of God' at [ahamlish.com](http://ahamlish.com)

If you have any questions/ queries, do please feel free to contact me at any time on 087 7986602.