**National Heritage Week:** 12 – 20 August 2023: This year's theme invites you to explore the traditions and practices, knowledge and skills passed down through the generations. National Heritage Week celebrates Ireland's cultural, built and natural heritage. www.heritageweek.ie

**DIOCESE OF ELPHIN** – Jubilee of Marriages: Couples celebrating their *Silver, Ruby, Golden or Diamond* wedding anniversaries are invited to attend a Jubilee Mass, along with their families and friends, on Sunday 1st October at 2.30pm in St Colmcille's Church, Rathcormac, Co Sligo <u>or</u> Sunday 15th October at 2.30pm in St Mary's Church, Ballygar, Co Galway. Light refreshments will be served after both Masses for all in attendance.

As each couple celebrating an Anniversary will receive a certificate from Bishop Kevin, they are invited to register their details at www.elphindiocese.ie/jubilee2023

**Garland Sunday Weekend** -The schedule for Garland Sunday weekend (28-30 July) at Tobernalt Holy Well, Sligo is now available at <a href="https://www.elphindiocese.ie">www.elphindiocese.ie</a>

**Knock Pilgrimage** - The annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine takes place on Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> August with Anointing of the Sick at 2.30pm and Mass at 3.00pm in the Basilica.

**Pioneer Pilgrimage** - The Annual Pioneer Pilgrimage to Knock will take place next Sunday 16 July. Mass at 3pm with Anointing of the Sick beforehand at 2:30pm. Newsletters & Emblems available at PTAA stand in St John's Rest & Care Centre or via <a href="www.pioneers.ie">www.pioneers.ie</a>

Cliffoney Community Forum are organising a walk on Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> July @ 12 noon starting at Cliffoney Hall & concluding in Mullaghmore. Coffee and biscuits (cookies) included. Pre register this Sunday at Cliffoney Hall after the 10:30 Mass. €15 per head and €25 per family.

**Eucharistic Congress 2023** Sat 16<sup>th</sup> Sept 10:30am St. Anne's Church Sligo. Guest Speakers Bishop Kevin Doran, Mother Adela Galindo, Archbishop Domenico Sorrentino and Fr. Barry Braum. A first class relic of Blessed Carlo Acutis (teenager raised to the rank of Blessed recently) will be installed at a newly created shrine in St. Anne's. All welcome.

**Former broadcaster ordained as priest** - Shaun Doherty was ordained into the priesthood at St Eugene's Cathedral in Londonderry on Sunday 02 July 2023. For almost three decades, Fr. Doherty had hosted a chat show on the County Donegal-based Highland Radio. Six years ago he stood down to begin a journey into the priesthood. He was ordained a deacon in St. Paul's Basilica in Rome last year.

**North Sligo Agricultural Show** is been held on Saturday 5th August celebrating our 75th year. We would really appreciate help on the day if anyone could volunteer we would greatly appreciate it. Please contact Martina Ward on 087-7719742

NUALAS BARN DANCE - A big thank you to all who supported in any way Nuala's Barn Dance over the years. We have raised over €20,000 for *North West Hospice* in our dear friend Nuala's name over the last 20 years. Thank you so much for all your loyal support.

**Sligo Social Services – Donations -** Sligo Social Services Thrift Shop, Harmony Hill, Sligo is looking for donations of Bric-a-brac, Men's and Women's clothes and shoes.

## The Grange Players

will perform Conor Mc Phearson's play "the Weir" in Grange Hall on Sunday night 23<sup>rd</sup> July @ 8:00pm. **Director-** Paddy Davis. **Actors** – Karen Lockhart, Kevin O'Regan, Jimmy Keogh, Joe McGurrin and Anthony Brennan.

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Sunday 16th July 2023

## 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year A



## **Online Mass**

Every Mass from Grange Church available on our Facebook Page

## **Adoration**

Every Thursday, 7-9pm, Grange Church Every Wednesday, 7-9pm Cliffoney Church

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Saturday 15 <sup>th</sup> July	6:30pm	Vigil of 15 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time
Saturday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July	6:30pm	Vigil of 16 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time
<b>Every First Saturday</b>	10:30am	Holy Rosary

## **Cliffoney Masses**

Sunday 16th July	10:30am	m 15 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time	
		Mary O'Connor, Bunduff, (6th Anniv)	
		McGee Family, Castlegal	
Friday 21st July	10:00am	Feast of St. Lawrence of Brindisi	
Sunday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July	10:30am	16 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time	
		Paddy Gallagher (9th Anniv)	
		World day of Grandparents and Elderly	
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## **Grange Masses**

	Vigil of 15 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time
	Feast of St. Bonaventure
12noon	15th Sunday in Ordinary Time
	Liz Gilmartin (16 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary)
	Rose and Frank Brennan, Newtownward
9:30am	
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9.30am	
9.30am	Feast of St. Apollinarius
8:00pm	Vigil of 16 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time
	John and Catherine Gilmartin,
	Carramaddow and Denis Ryan
12noon	16 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time
	Martin O'Dea (18th Anniv)
	World day of Grandparents and Elderly
	9:30am 9.30am 9.30am 9.30am 8:00pm

Collection €915 Peter's Pence €80 Formation of future Priests €70

#### **Ahamlish Cemetery Grange**

The annual Mass will be celebrated on Sunday, August 06<sup>th</sup> at 12noon All are welcome to attend and pray for their dear departed.

~ May they rest in peace ~

**Pope's Intention for a Eucharistic Life -** We pray that Catholics may place the celebration of the Eucharist at the heart of their lives, transforming human relationships in a very deep way and opening to the encounter with God and all their brothers and sisters.

ELPHIN DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES - Assisted Pilgrim Section The Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 23<sup>rd</sup> August 2023 to the 28<sup>th</sup> August. Flights ex Knock Airport. Full details are available from Very Rev. Ray Milton, P.P., Pilgrimage Director, St. John's, Lecarrow, Co. Roscommon. (Telephone 090 6661115) All other enquiries in relation to the Pilgrimage can be directed to Joe Walsh Tours01 2410800 or email info@joewalshtours.ie

The National Grandparents' Pilgrimage will take place in Knock on Sunday 23 July - the World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly. All are welcome for this wonderful celebration of family and faith through the generations. The Principal Celebrant and Homilist will be Bishop Denis Nulty, Bishop of Kildare and Leighlin and Chair of the Bishops' Council for Marriage and the Family. Music will be by the combined choirs of Knock Shrine who will be joined by Dana. ALL ARE WELCOME! For more information see <a href="https://www.catholicgrandparentsassociation.org">www.catholicgrandparentsassociation.org</a>

Unlocking our Cliffoney Area Heritage - Come along to the Cliffoney County Market on Sunday 16th July at Cliffoney Hall and meet the researcher who is carrying out a Heritage Audit in the Cliffoney Area. We would love to talk to you about local places. memories of past activities, photos,and/or memorabilia connected to our local heritage. We look forward to seeing you there. This Audit project is arranged by the Cliffoney Community Forum and funded by the Heritage Council under the Community Heritage Grant Scheme.

**VAKS PROGRAMME:** Applications are now open for VAKS (Volunteer at Knock Shrine) programme. It is an opportunity for young people in TY, 5th and 6th year to come to Knock to volunteer for a weekend in either July or August. This is a great way to meet new friends, serve others, express your faith and have fun! For further information please contact Knock Youth Ministry on 094 9375321 or youthministry@knockshrine.ie

CANA TALKS - Friday 1st September in the TF Royal Theatre, Castlebar at 8pm. 8 energetic speakers – each has just 15 minutes to inspire you – this is the Christian version of TED Talks – presenting on different topics relating to human happiness and potential from a faith perspective. Tickets €20 - available @ www.ticketmaster.ie or call the T.F. Box Office at (094) 902 3111. Visit www.canatalks.com or our Cana Talks Facebook page. Come along for an entertaining & inspirational evening for the mind, heart, & soul!

YOUTH 2000 SUMMER FESTIVAL FOR YOUNG PEOPLE 16-35 - Join young people between 16 and 35 this August at the Youth 2000 Summer Festival. The festival takes place in Clongowes Wood College, Clane, Co Kildare from Thursday 10th August to Sunday 13th August 2023. The festival includes inspiring talks, music, prayer, concert, workshops, dramas, share groups, reconciliation and healing service and Mass. Donation only and we have buses going from all over Ireland. For more information and to book your place go to <a href="https://www.youth2000.ie">www.youth2000.ie</a>

Young Pioneer Summer-time Quiz now underway. Open to all Young Pioneers in Elphin diocese. See www.creideamh.ie/ptaa-quiz for details.

**Please remember in your prayers: David Slanina:** 22 RIP. Our sympathy and prayers are with his family.

On behalf the community our thanks to the many volunteers who helped in the search for David over four days. Thanks to the Gardaí, Army, Mountain Rescue Teams of Sligo, Leitrim, Donegal and Mayo for vital assistance. Thanks to all the volunteers and all who fed them on site at Henry's Restaurant and to Mattie Clancy and staff for their support.