

Providing Compassionate Care at the End of Life: To address the sensitive issue of compassionate care at the end of life, and in response to the need to inform the faithful of Catholic teaching on this important life issue that affects so many families, the Bishops of Ireland have published the pastoral letter: *Freedom to Live Fully, Until Death Comes*. You are invited to read this letter and view the accompanying video *Through the Valley*, which offers personal testimonies by carers and people with terminal illness. The key message of both letter and video asserts that every person possesses inherent, infinite dignity that remains intact regardless of their circumstances. In this context, bishops strongly oppose the Oireachtas Committee's proposal to Government to legislate for assisted suicide, and call on support for healthcare workers who uphold the sanctity of life. To read *Freedom to Live Fully, Until Death Comes* and to watch *Through the Valley*, visit www.catholicbishops.ie

Sligo Social Services: Sligo Social Services are urgently seeking volunteer drivers to join their Meals on Wheels Service. For more information, please call Beki on 071-9145682 or email bekiboyton@sligosocialservices.ie

First Belong to God – Open to deepening your relationship with God and to discerning what God is saying to us at this time? Open to undertaking an exploration with others via a monthly event during coming school year? Details of a new initiative @ www.elphindiocese.ie/belong. Enquiries welcome.

Star of the Sea Retreat and Conference Centre Mullaghmore, Co. Sligo. Six Day Retreat. Facilitated by Fr. Aelred Magee OSO. 8th – 14th July 2024. Cost €660 Full Board. Theme: The Interior life - Dealing with Thoughts - from ancient monasticism to modern Christian practice. Fr. Aelred Magee OSO is a Cistercian monk and superior of Our Lady of Bethlehem Abbey in Portglenone, Co. Antrim. Booking information please see www.staroftheseacentre.com or email staroftheseacentre@gmail.com

Job Vacancy - Kilmore Diocese - The Diocese of Kilmore is recruiting for the position of Primary School Diocesan Advisor. Initial one-year part-time contract. Working hours will be half a normal school-working week. This post will require travel around the schools in the Diocese of Kilmore in the West Cavan, North Leitrim areas as well as in two parishes in Fermanagh. For full details about this position and how to apply please visit kilmorediocese.ie

The Irish Church Music Association Summer School (ICMA) is delighted to announce its 2024 Summer School "Water of Life" taking place in Maynooth from 2nd – 4th July. There will be a series of workshops and classes focusing on Church Music. You will learn new repertoire and also, gain some liturgical knowledge, taught by some of the best Irish Church Musicians and composers in Ireland. You will also develop your skills of sight reading, improvisation, composition, song selection and choir leadership. All details and to book www.icmamusic.ie

Scoil Naomh Molaise Fundraiser: Marie Henry-200km Challenge: Thank you to everyone who supported the fundraiser. It was a great experience for the children. They worked together and put in a huge team effort to raise money for a very important organisation. In doing so they remembered Marie, she was a lady who loved to walk and loved children. What better way to remember her than by having 44 happy children walking and running together as a team. In total, the children walked 268km and raised a whopping €1500 for The Cancer Support Center in Sligo. Bridget from the center attended school and was presented with the donation. Well done and thank you to all the children and parents for supporting this fundraising effort. It was a lovely way to finish a great year in 4th class and a very positive way to remember Marie who gave so much positivity and happiness to Scoil Naomh Molaise.

Outdoor Stations of the Cross were presented to the Parish by the members of the Cursillo Group who call annually to Cliffoney on the Peace Walk from Derry to Knock. Our Sincere thanks to them. Thanks to Tony & John Gerard of the Men's Shed, who erected them.

Rally for Life - Rally for Life, Saturday, 6th July at Parnell Square, Dublin commencing 1.30pm. Bishop Kevin will celebrate Mass at 12pm in St. Saviour's Church, Dominick Street, Dublin www.rallyforlife.net

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Sunday 30th June 2024

Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time



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

Mullaghmore Masses

Saturday 29 th June	6:30pm	Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Saturday 06 th July	10:30am	Holy Rosary
Saturday 06 th July	6:30pm	Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Cliffoney Masses

Sunday 30 th June	10:30am	Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Thursday 04 th July	10:00am	Enrolment Mass
Friday 05 th July	12:30pm	Wedding: Zita and Sean
Sunday 07 th July	10:30am	Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Jack & Mary McHugh Michael John Higgins (2nd Anniv)
Collection 16/06 €675 23/06 €674 Peter's Pence €217		

Grange Masses

Saturday 29 th June	8:00pm	Feast of Ss Peter & Paul Jean, Siobhan & Angela Drugen
Sunday 30 th June	12noon	Jimmy Kilcoyne
Monday 01 st July	9:30am	Feast of St Oliver Plunkett For a Special Intention
Tuesday 02 nd July	9:30am	
Wednesday 03 rd July	9:30pm	Feast of St Thomas Apostle
Saturday 06 th July	8:00pm	Evelyn Kerins Months Mind Mass PJ Gillen (14 th Anniv) & Deceased Family Catherine & John Rooney , Derrylehan, daughter Teresa & granddaughter Sharon Conway
Sunday 07 th July	12noon	
Collection €1095 Peter's Pence €45		
Annual Scarden Cemetery Mass Sunday July 7 th @ 3pm		
Annual Ahamlish Cemetery Mass Sunday Aug 4 th @ 12		

Grange – North Sligo Agricultural Show (76th) Sat Aug 3rd 2024

Adm: €12 OAP €10 Catalogue €5

Will be held at Grange Business Park.

Jiving Competition hosted by Benbulbin Macra

Irish Music & Dancing 1pm – 2:30pm

Patrick Feeney live on Show day 3pm – 5pm

DJ Jumpy 5pm – 7pm – Dancing & full Bar in the Marquee

Main Sponsors – BMG Homevalue, Bundoran.

The Legion of Mary Meeting: Thursday evenings Venue: Parochial House Grange.

Time: 7pm

~ Bingo in Cliffoney Hall every Saturday night @ 9pm ~

Please Remember in your prayers: Micheál Ó Muircheartaigh and Tommy Gorman, two men who make you proud to be Irish. Our sympathy to their families.

150th Anniversary of Sligo Cathedral - This Summer, we mark the 150th Anniversary of the Solemn Opening of the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Sligo. It was opened by Cardinal Paul Cullen on 26th July 1874, at the invitation of Bishop Laurence Gillooly. A parish celebration is being held on Sunday 30th June with Mass celebrated by Bishop Kevin at 12 noon, followed by a parish party in the grounds of St Mary's. A Diocesan celebration will take place in the Summer of 2025, when on-going restoration work is completed.

Elphin Diocese's Morning Pilgrim Walk from Castlerea to Knock will take place on Sunday 18th August. For more info see www.elphindiocese.ie/walk2knock

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes – The Elphin Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes will take place from 30th August – 4th September 2024. Application forms for the **Assisted Pilgrim Section** are available from Fr Ray Milton, PP, Pilgrimage Director, St. John's, Lecarrow, Co. Roscommon (090 6661115). Nominations for the **Youth Section** are also being sought from parishes throughout the Diocese for young people to participate in the Pilgrimage (aged 17 - 20). Youth must be nominated through their Priest/Chaplain. Forms are available from the local parish office. All other enquiries in relation to the Pilgrimage can be directed to Joe Walsh Tours at 01-2410800 or info@joewalshstours.ie

National Grandparents Pilgrimage in Knock: On Sunday, 28th July, Archbishop Luis Mariano Montemayor, Papal Nuncio of Ireland, will lead the National Grandparents Pilgrimage 2024 and the celebration of the fourth World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly at Knock Shrine, with Mass at 3pm.

Donamon Castle Retreat Day (11am – 4 pm) on Thursday 15th August. More details available at: www.elphindiocese.ie/our-lad All welcome.

“When the final whistle for me has blown
And I stand at last before God's judgement throne,
May the great referee when he calls my name say,
You hurdled like a man; you played the game”.

Hurlers prayer recorded by the beautiful voice of Micheál Ó Muircheartaigh

Diocese of Elphin-Jubilee of Marriages 2024:
Inviting all couples celebrating their Anniversaries of their Marriage, especially those marking their:
Silver, Ruby, Golden and Diamond Anniversaries
Sunday 22nd September 2024 @ 2:30pm
St Brigid's Church, Four Mile House Co. Roscommon Sunday 6th October 2024 @ 2:30pm
Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, Sligo

On both days, Mass will be followed by light refreshments for all in attendance. As each couple celebrating an Anniversary will receive a certificate from Bishop Kevin they are asked to please register their details at www.elphindiocese.ie/jubilee2024

Ann's Community Fundraiser Walk – 27th July 10am
Starting at Cliffoney Hall at 10am and finishing at Ahoy coffee cart for refreshments. All proceeds in aid of Cliffoney Celtic, Cliffoney NS, Naomh Molaise Gaels, Cliffoney Mens Shed, Cliffoney Hall, Mullaghmore Active, Cliffoney Foróige, Cliffoney Community Forum & Cliffoney Drama. *A Seat will also be unveiled for Ann. €10 per line.*

Diocese of Elphin - Medjugorje Youth Festival: 31st July – 02nd August 2024 18 – 35 age group €650 per person sharing
More Information – www.elphindiocese.ie/medjugorje
youth@elphindiocese.ie

Raffle Fundraiser in aid of Aoibheann's Pink Tie National Children's Cancer Charity
Venue: Moran's Bar Grange-Friday 26th July 2024 @ 8pm
Top Prizes

- 1) Liverpool FC Jersey signed by Alisson (with Certificate of Authenticity)
 - 2) €225 Centre Parcs Voucher
 - 3) 2 nights B&B for 2 people in the Great Northern Hotel
 - 4) Scooter Concert Tickets
 - 5) Munster Rugby Jersey signed by Team
- 100 plus additional Prizes to be won!**

Job Vacancy - Lough Derg:
Applications are invited for the post of *Pastoral Programmes Co-ordinator* at Lough Derg. For more details and job description, contact Maureen mboyle@loughderg.org or 071-9861518. Closing date 5th July at 12noon.