

Tusla, Meitheal - Meitheal is a Tusla led process for children and families who may need support. Meitheal enables families to identify what is working well and not so well in their child or young person's life and work towards changes they would like to see happen for their child or young person. For more information on Meitheal please contact 0876562844 or email meitheal.ppf@tusla.ie

Faith Renewal Opportunity - Open to nurturing your faith and connection with others by joining a group that will explore St. Matthew's Gospel?
See www.elphindiocese.ie/matthew for details of Elphin diocese's winter scripture initiative. Newcomers welcome at all centres.

Upcoming Events in Star of the Sea Retreat and Conference Centre, Mullaghmore, Co. Sligo

*For more info and booking details, please see www.staroftheseacentre.com/events or email staroftheseacentre@gmail.com or call Frank or Louise on 071 9176722.

***Eucharistic Healing Service - Monday 10th November at 7:30pm** in Our Lady Star of the Sea Public Oratory, Mullaghmore, Co. Sligo, F91 CC98. Led by Deacon Frank McGuinness and Louise McGuinness. Free Event. All Welcome!

***Bible Foundation Courses for Beginners – 28th – 30th November 2025 and 6th – 8th March 2026.** Led by Deacon Frank McGuinness. Cost: €290. Price includes full board and accommodation. This is an opportunity for anyone who would like to get more comfortable reading and praying with the bible. Each participant will receive a free copy of the bible and resource kit on how to simply navigate and understand the big picture of salvation history. The weekend seeks to equip participants to confidently read and share the Bible.

***Forge of the Saints Retreat led by Dr Peter Howard (Fulton Sheen Institute) – 10th – 14th November 2025** Please see events page on www.staroftheseacentre.com for booking and contact details for this event.

***Retreat for Men - 12th – 14th December 2025.** Led by Frank & Louise McGuinness. Cost: €260 includes full board. An opportunity to come away from the busyness of life and spend time getting to know yourself better as a son of God the Father, hear his voice and step deeper into your mission and calling. Mass [Eucharistic Adoration] Eucharistic Healing and Confession. Time for renewal and rest in the company of new friends in the beauty of Mullaghmore.

Youth 2000 Retreat - Youth 2000 Connaught retreat takes place from November 21st to 23rd in Summerhill College, Sligo. Workshops, music, talks, testimonies & more. Donation only. Register online at Youth2000.ie/contact connaught@youth2000.ie for more information

Grange Post Primary School

Open Evening Thursday November 13th Phone **071 916 3514**

Couch to 3K in Grange – Get moving, get confident and reach 3K in our 6-wk programme!

Start date: 6th Nov | **Day:** Thursday 7-8pm |

Location Naomh Molaise Gaels GAA Club, Grange.

Perfect for beginners or anyone looking to get active again!

Walk, jog, or run at your own pace, everyone welcome.

€25

Abide in His Love Women's Conference - Commencing Nov 21st to 23rd 2025 in the Great Northern Hotel, Bundoran Co. Donegal. An Amazing event for women exploring the beauty & gift of their feminine identity in Christ. Guest Speakers include Sr. Mary Madeline Todd OP (USA), Megan Madden from 'A Mother's Lace' (USA/UK), Fr. Barry Braum, Fr. Mark Wharton (UK), Fr. Francesco Mary Gavazzi, CFR, the Nashville Dominican sisters, & Mass with Archbishop Eamon Martin. See Eventbrite for tickets & more info. Not to be missed!

Benbulbin CCE Winter Session

23rd Nov 3-5pm, Batty's of Carney – All Welcome

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Parish of Ahamlish and Inishmurray

Grange ✠ Cliffoney ✠ Mullaghmore

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Sunday 09th November 2025

THE DEDICATION OF THE LANTERN BASILICA



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

Weekend Mass Times

Saturday – Mullaghmore 6:30pm
Saturday - Grange 8:00pm

Sunday – Cliffoney 10:30am
Sunday – Grange 12noon

Mullaghmore Masses

Saturday 08th November	6:30pm	Phyllis Wallace (1st Anniv)
Saturday 15th November	6:30pm	
○ Nov 10th	7:30pm -	Eucharistic Healing Service
○ Dec 8th	9pm	

Cliffoney Masses

Sunday 09th November	10:30am	Michael Christie (30th Anniv) and his sister Rita Preece, Died 3/10/25 in Scotland
Sunday 15th November	10:30am	

Eucharistic Adoration Cliffoney Church

Wednesday 12th November 25 @ 7-9pm

Collection €842

Grange Masses

Saturday 08th November	8:00pm	
Sunday 09th November	12noon	Mary Keaney (4th Anniv) & Joe & Patricia Keaney John Lockhart (27th Anniv) John Bruen & deceased of the Bruen & Scanlon Families
Thursday 13th November	9:30am	Peggy Gathercole-Bergin, Cranford New Jersey, USA
Saturday 15th November	08:00pm	Charlie Lafferty (25th Anniv) Jim & Kathleen Gilmartin & deceased McDermott & Gilmartin Families, Lislary
Sunday 16th November	12noon	Nana Kilfeather (16th Anniv) Danny O'Connor (22nd Anniv)
Collection €1380		

Dates for your Diary

- 11am - SACRAMENT OF Confirmation – April 30th Grange Church
- 11am - FIRST HOLY COMMUNION MAY 9TH GRANGE CHURCH
- 11am - FIRST HOLY COMMUNION MAY MAY16TH CLIFFONEY CHURCH

November Masses & Remembrance

The annual list of the dead is available in church porch.

Bingo every Saturday night in Cliffoney Hall @ 9pm. All Welcome!

Social Dancing in Cliffoney Hall every Monday Night at 8:30 – 10pm

Joe McGorin – Two Hand Dancing Set & Ceilí

starting Thursday 9th October @ 8.30pm until 10pm | €8 per night Grange Hall | Beginners Welcome! No partners needed!

Please remember in your prayers: Kathleen Rooney (nee Gilmartin) Nov 1st at North-West Hospice. Our sympathy to her son Laurance, daughters Patricia, Samanta & Corina & families, and sister Angela, nieces & nephews, neighbours & friends. Funeral mass was celebrated in Grange Church on Nov 4th with burial in Ahamlish Cemetery.

Peggy Gathercole-Bergin (died Oct 24th). Cranford, NJ, USA. Our sympathy to her husband Eddie & family.

Rev John Tivnan/Brinkman, Maryknoll Missionary, NY, USA Died July 11th 2025 in NY aged 83 years; a priest of 54 years. Born on 36th April 1942 in Manhattan, NY, one of three children of Thomas Brinkman and Margaret Tivnan. Margaret, his mother was reared in Grange (in the house now occupied by Edward & Alex Moran) she had two sisters and one brother. Her father was one of six boys born & reared in Shrivarevagh, Ballinful. Their home in Grange was a shoemaker shop, a restaurant on fair days, and he had a hackney car – an enterprising man. He sent his 3 daughters to America one by one. Margaret was sent aged 11 to her aunt in NY who worked in Bloomingdales. Margaret finished her education in NY, later married Thomas Brinkman (of German extraction). Fr John was ordained on May 22nd 1971. Later that summer he celebrated his first Mass in Ireland in Grange Church which he visited on a number of occasions. Fr. John's first assignment was to Japan, where he became proficient in the language and wrote academic articles on Japanese Spirituality. He later taught at Fordham University and at the Institute of Asian Studies, St. John's University. He wrote on Climate Change and served on the advisory committee for the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops on this issue. The Environment / Ecology & the Mission of the church were central to his writings. Fr. John is survived by his brother, nephews and sister Mary Jane Seitz who accompanied him from NY. Fr John was interred in Drumcliffe graveyard on Nov 5th after Mass in Grange Church, alongside his mother Margaret and his grandparents.
May he Rest in Peace.

Saint Cardinal John Henry Newman – Newest Doctor of the Church

On the first day of November feast of all saints, a very significant event happened in the life of the Church, Saint Cardinal John Henry Newman was proclaimed a Doctor of the Church by Pope Leo XIV. It is a title conferred on Saints for their outstanding contribution and insights into the faith and our understanding of the faith. Saint John Henry Newman is certainly a Saint of our time. Many of his ideas and contributions in terms of thought became the foundation of the Second Vatican Council and also the Synodal pathway which we are undertaking at the moment. His return to the scriptures, the development of doctrine, the primacy of conscience, the importance of education and an informed Catholic laity. Bishop Fintan Monahan of Killaloe Diocese invites viewers to embark on a journey into the life, writings and enduring influence of this remarkable figure in a new video series. To view the episodes see <https://www.facebook.com/share/v/16iTJVBz8P/>

Rosary & Prayers for the dead in Ahamlish Cemetery Sunday 16th at 1pm

- Sunday 9th Nov – Rathcormac at 3pm
- Sunday 23rd Nov – Drumcliffe at 3pm
- Sunday 16th Nov – Carrigeens at 3pm

The Annual Remembrance Mass for those who died during the last twelve months will take place in

- Mullaghmore Oratory Sat Nov 22nd at 6.30pm
- Cliffoney Church on Sunday Nov 23rd at 10:30am
- Grange Church on Saturday Nov 22nd at 8pm

Elphin Priests Inservice will take place this week, but I am contactable on my phone – 087 7986 602

Book Launch of “From Sligo to Stringybark” by Michael O’Connor

Venue: Glass House Hotel, Hyde Bridge Sligo

Date: 21st November 2025 @ 8pm

The true story how three Irish Policemen, members of the Colony of Victoria Mounted Police Unit in Australia, were cruelly murdered by the Australian Bushranger Edward “Ned” Kelly in October 1878. One of those murdered was Constable Thomas Lonigan who is recorded as being a native of Sligo and was the inspiration for this book and title. ALL WELCOME!

Cliffoney Community Forum – Annual Christmas Fair

Sat 6th December at 2pm – 6pm | Lots of crafters | Home Baking | Music and Santa Visit. Refreshments and Raffle – All Welcome!