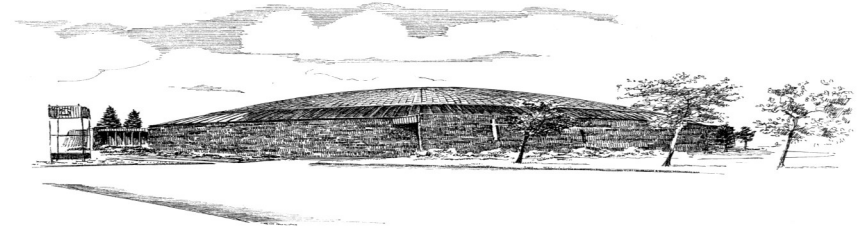


St. Joseph's Parish Newsletter

Fifth Sunday of Easter

29th April 2018



Monday	10.00 a.m.	Michael Hannon
Tuesday	10.00 a.m.	Andrew Hopkins
Wednesday	10.00a.m.	Padraig, Margaret and Bernard Mc Dermott
Thursday	10.00 a.m.	Catherine and John Wynne
Friday	10.00 a.m.	Kathleen Casey
	7.30p.m.	Billy Feely and The Deceased Family Members Pat and Patricia Sweeney and The Deceased Members of the Lloyd Family Paddy Casey Patrick, Margaret and Bernard Mc Dermott Marie Coen and Patrick Coen Ellen Connolly Tommy Beirne Patrick and Julia Donnellan
Saturday	10.00 a.m.	Kevin Mc Dermott (Months Mind)
Vigil	7.30p.m.	Christy Regan
Sunday	9.30a.m.	People of the Parish
	11.30a.m.	Fr. Tommy Moran and The Deceased Family Members

Family Fun Day:

Family Fun Day at Cavetown Lake, Croghan on Sunday 6th May starting at 2p.m. Entertainment on the day, free tea and coffee craft displays fairy forest walk, kids events and much more. Something for everyone. Please come along and support.

WIDOW & WIDOWERS SUPPORT GROUP in Boyle Family Resource Centre:

Support for those grieving the death of their spouse. Thursday May 10th, 7.30pm-9pm

PARENT AND TODDLER GROUP in Boyle Family Resource Centre:

Parent/toddler groups can be a great way of meeting other people with children the same age as yours in your area. It is open to childminders, grandparents and other guardians. Every Tuesday and Thursday morning from 10am-12.30pm Cost: Donation. Bazz Art Tuesday May 15th, 10am-11am sharp. All welcome.

COMMON SENSE PARENTING : This is a 6 week programme helping parents to learn skills to encourage their children's positive behaviour, discourage negative behaviour and teach their children alternatives to problem behaviour. Boyle Youth & Family Support, Bridge Street, Boyle 10am-12.30pm. Dates to be arranged. For booking please contact the Boyle Family Resource Centre. Cost: €20. Booking Essential.

BOYLE FOOD PARTNERSHIP: Community FEAD and Food Cloud. If you and/or your family need food, we distribute food through these programmes at Boyle Family Resource Centre. Please text the word FOOD + your first name to 0860496467 to receive details. Distribution times are: Monday 2.30pm - 4pm Wednesday 2.30pm - 3.30pm or Friday 3pm-4.30pm.

Sunday Mass Times

7:30 p.m. Vigil of Sunday & Eve of Holy Day
9:30 a.m. & 11:30 a.m. Sunday & Holy days

Weekday Mass Times

Monday To Thursday :10:00 a.m.
Friday 10a.m. and 7.30p.m.
Saturday 10a.m.



Baptisms

Sundays at 12:30 p.m. (two weeks notice required)
Application forms available from Sacristy

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 10:25 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. & 7:00p.m. to 7:20 p.m.
First Friday before all Masses

Marriages

Parish Contact Numbers

Rev. Gerry Hanly P.P.96 62218

Rev. Tito Abuda C.C.96 62012

Parish Office & Sacristy96 62643

Parish Office Hours: 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

24hr Duty Phone Number 086 8262643

Parish e:mail office@boyleparish.ie

*Deadline for Newsletter notices is 12.00 pm Thursday.
All notices to be left in to the Parish Office located at the Sacristy.*

Thought

In a relationship, connectedness is important. Relationships cannot be taken for granted and need time and care to be life-giving. What does your experience tell you of the truth of this in your relationships with God? With your friends? With your family? With communities or groups to which you belong?

In The Joy of the Gospel, Pope Francis wrote: 'I invite all Christians, everywhere, at this very moment to a renewed personal encounter with Jesus Christ.' He goes on to suggest that when individuals, or groups, focus on Jesus there is an increase of energy and vitality. Have you seen this happen?

The parable also reminds us that we are not the source of our own life. It is a gift from God, from our parents, and from all who have nourished us. Give thanks for those who have been a source of life for you.

God is glorified by our being fruitful. When has human fruitfulness reminded you of God at work in our world?

(John Byrne osa)

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS FOR 5TH / 6TH MAY:

7.30 p.m. : Mary Clifford, Michael Costello, Alan Deane, Bridie Farrell

9.30 a.m. : Melissa Beirne, Yvonne Bonnici, Kathleen Brennan

11.30 a.m. : Francis Walshe, Marie Wynne, Mary Martin, Teresa Carty

READERS FOR 5TH / 6TH MAY :

7.30p.m: Cathy Garavan

9:30 a.m. : Bernadette Tivanan

11.30a.m. : Evelyn O' Donnell

First Friday: Friday 4th May is the First Friday of the month. Confessions before all Masses.

Communion Calls:

Fr. Gerry will make his Communion Calls on Thursday 3rd and Friday 4th May.

Fr. Tito will make his Communion Calls on Friday 4th May.

Pentecost Celebration:

You are invited to four hours of Prayer and Reflection in Galilee Community on Saturday, May 19th (Eve of Pentecost) from 1pm - 5pm. Fr. Willie Moran OCD will be the guide and celebrant. We will conclude with Mass at 4:15pm Cuppa served midway through the afternoon. Cost €15. Booking essential: Phone 0719664101 or 0858837226 Email: galileecomunity@gmail.com. Galilee Community, Tintagh, Boyle.

World Meeting of Families Candle:

To help us prepare for The World Meeting of Families we invite each family to take a candle home with them as a focus of prayer. Candle has the logo of the World Meeting of Families and are available at all the Church doors.

All Ireland Rosary Rally - Knock:

Saturday 2nd June at Knock Shrine. Stations of the Cross and Rosary at 2pm, Mass at 3pm celebrated by Bishop Kevin Doran, homilist Fr John Walsh OP. Followed by prayers for healing. www.allirelandrosaryrally.com

Social Dancing:

Social Dancing (wals, quick step, fox trot , jiving and more) takes place every **Wednesday evening from 8 to 10p.m. In St. Joseph's Resource Centre.** Good Fun! Good Exercise! Everyone welcome to come along.

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY:

Darkness into Light is an Annual 5k Walk/Run in aid of Pieta House. On Saturday the 12th of May at 4.15am a community will come together at St Joseph's Hall and walk in support of positive mental health. This is a truly unique experience made by YOU. Family, friends and friends you haven't met yet gathering in support of those who may be struggling or those we have lost. Together we stand together as a community and shine a beacon of light and hope. This will be Boyle's second year to host the world wide event.

Bri Association (Brain Injury Support Group):

Roscommon brain injury support group meetings which run on the 1st of the month, that is Tuesday 1st May in the Abbey Hotel, Galway Road, Ballypheason, Co Roscommon from 7.30pm. Our Roscommon facilitator is Margaret Mc Gauran. It is for people who have experienced a brain injury and their carers to come along to the meeting for support through this difficult time. More information on Bri is www.briireland.ie

Grow:

Are you finding it difficult to cope with life's problems? Perhaps Grow can help you. Grow is a free confidential, support group promoting positive mental health using a 12 step programme and we meet in Boyle in The Rectory part of the Family Life centre each Monday night at 8pm. (except bank holidays). For further information you can contact: grow.ie or Info line 1890 474 474, or Mary 085 1493508. Just come along you will be warmly welcomed.

Annual Lourdes's Fundraising Social :

3rd Annual Lourdes's Fundraising Social will take place in the Tulsk Inn on Bank Holiday Monday the 4th of June at 9pm. Music on the night by Brian Kerrigan, Jimmy Kearney, Frank Nelson, Stephanie Fehilly, John Carlos and Many More. Raffle on the night and Refreshments served. Tickets available on the Door or from any Strokestown Branch committee member.

Life Skills , Mindfulness & Relaxation Classes x 6 Weeks.

Cuan Aire, Family Centre, Castlerea. Evenings: Tuesday 8th May 7pm - 9pm OR Mornings: Wednesday 9th May 10.30 -12.30 Rated 10/10 by Participants - This Proven Programme is Practical, Gentle, Life Supporting and suitable for men & women. Reduce stress, anxiety and depression with Mindfulness practices & Mindfulness eating. Learn the life skills to manage fear , worry, emotions, relationships & much more...€159 Call Geraldine [085 2749493](tel:0852749493)

Offertory Collection amounted to €2665.49 on Sunday 29th April.

Thank you.