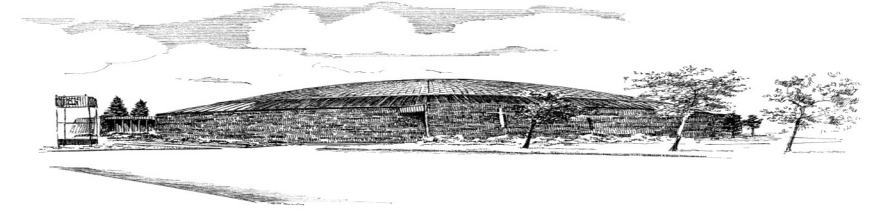


**St. Joseph's Parish Newsletter**  
**24th Sunday In Ordinary Time**  
**16th September 2018**



<b>Monday</b>	<b>10.00 a.m.</b>	Fred and Ellen Hever and The Deceased Family
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>10.00 a.m.</b>	Elizabeth, William, Christopher and Michael Ivers Teresa and Jimmy Connors
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>10.00a.m.</b>	Mary Mort and The Deceased Family Members
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>10.00 a.m.</b>	Florence and Thomas Connolly
<b>Friday</b>	<b>10.00 a.m.</b>	Michael and Margaret Duffy Patrick and Evelyn Callery
	<b>7.30p.m.</b>	Martin and Dolly Daly and The Deceased Family Paddy and Kathleen Sharkey Tom Appleby Edward Hayes Annie and Hugh Hayden and The Deceased Family Michael Kelly and The Deceased Family Members Paddy Ryan
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>10.00 a.m.</b>	Daniel Sheridan (Months Mind)
<b>Vigil</b>	<b>7.30p.m.</b>	Mary Agnes Corcoran and The Deceased Family
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>9.30a.m.</b>	People of the Parish
	<b>11.30a.m.</b>	Noel Carroll (1st Anniversary) Tom and Kay Carroll

**Spiritual Outreach to Catholics residing in Nursing Homes and other Residential Care Settings:** All welcome to attend the following meetings: Wed 19th Sept from 8pm – 9.20 pm, Hannon's Hotel, Roscommon. Wed. 26th Sept 8pm – 9.20 pm, The Library, Summerhill College, Sligo. Participation of Nursing Home personnel, Ministers of the Word and Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist particularly welcome.

**COUNSELLING & PSYCHOTHERAPY:** Please contact Marie on 0719663000 or Maura on 0719663841. All our programmes and services are confidential and professional. Boyle Family Resource Centre.

**ROSCOMMON SUICIDE BEREAVEMENT LIAISON SERVICE:** Roscommon Suicide Bereavement Liaison Services is a free & confidential service that provides assistance & support to families & individuals grieving the death of a loved one by suicide. Contact: Tiffany Jennings Walsh, Suicide Bereavement Liaison Officer on 0857407856 or Boyle Family Resource Centre on 0719663000. This service is funded by the HSE National Office for Suicide Prevention.

**PARENT AND TODDLER GROUP:** Every Tuesday and Thursday morning from 10am–12.30pm Cost: €2/Donation.

**YOGA WITH LIZ DWYER:** Wednesdays from 11am-12pm. Cost: €10 per session.

**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 Saturday :10:00 a.m.  
 Friday 10a.m. and 7.30p.m.



**Baptisms**

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

**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**

Minimum 3 Months Notice

**Parish Contact Numbers**

Rev. Gerry Hanly P.P. ....96 62218

Rev. Tito Abuda C.C. ....96 62012

Parish Office & Sacristy .....96 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 beside the Sacristy.*

'What good is it, my brothers and sisters, if you say you have faith but do not have works?' These are the words of St James in the second reading today, and in the gospel Jesus speaks quite sternly to Peter: 'The way you think is not God's way but man's...' This is a reminder for us all to check what path we are walking. Jesus' path was radically different to what people of his time expected of a Messiah. It was a path that would lead to much sacrifice. Being a Christian today means being counter-cultural and making sacrifices for a greater good. As we walk together through this Season of Creation can we as parish lead by example and show our commitment to caring for the earth? The future of our environment depends on the action we take now as a society. We can be proud that in July Ireland became the first country in the world to divest from fossil fuels. This is a good news story. As parishes can we join with the eco-groups in our community to rejoice in the good gift of creation, to share eco-stories and hear other good news of what is already happening. Perhaps you can explore becoming an 'eco-parish'? (<http://ecocongregationireland.com>) This is an issue that the Church can link with the wider community and offer a space to dialogue and pray.

The gospel today urges us to walk God's ways not man's.

***'I wish to address every person living on this planet ... to enter into dialogue with all people about our common home ...***

***The climate is a common good, belonging to all and meant for all. At the global level, it is a complex system linked to many of the essential conditions for human life. 'Pope Francis' (Jane Mellett)***

***During the Season of Creation, we join together to rejoice in the good gift of creation and reflect on how we care for it. This season offers a precious opportunity to pause in the midst of our day-to-day lives and contemplate the fabric of life into which we are woven. There is an urgent need to find solutions to the crisis facing our common home. We are living beyond our means and exhausting creation for ourselves and our children.***

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS FOR 22ND / 23RD SEPTEMBER:**

**7.30 p.m.:** Danny Mulryan, Geraldine Mc Dermotroe, John Joe Mc Guinness  
Regina Mc Loughlin

**9.30 a.m.:** Andrew Carr, Breege Donoghue, Marian Dwyer

**11.30 a.m.:** Yvonne Shannon, Brian Scanlon, Francis Walshe, Marie Wynne

**READERS FOR 22ND / 23RD SEPTEMBER:**

**7.30p.m:** Michael Gilmartin

**9:30 a.m.:** Bernadette Mc Carrick

**11.30a.m.:** Niamh Wynne

**Clerks Collection:** Area Collectors are kindly asked to collect envelopes for Clerks Collection after all Masses this weekend September 15th and 16th.

**Station Mass:** If any family wish to host Station Mass in the Tawnytaskin area or any other area, please contact your area priest.

**Boyle Scouts:** Registration Night for all New and Existing members will be held on Wednesday 19th September between 7.00 pm and 9.00 pm in the Scout Den. All Parents who wish to enrol a child for the coming year, must please register them on this night. The minimum age is strictly 6 years old. Please note that while we are accepting registration of New Members, places will be dependent both on returning member numbers and Leader numbers and therefore cannot be immediately guaranteed. Weekly meetings will resume where possible the following week, beginning Monday 24th September. Due to a shortage of Leaders, some of our Sections will not be able to re-open, as things stand. Being a Leader can be hugely rewarding, many people even finding that they enjoy it!! Full training provided. Anyone who may be interested in becoming a Leader in any of the Sections would be most welcome and can contact the Group Leader on 086 8360222 or any Leader for further details.

**Scoil na nAingeal Naofa:** The pupils from Scoil na nAingeal Naofa will attend the 10a.m. Mass on Monday 24th September to celebrate the start of the school year. Parents and guardians are welcome to join them

**Mayo Roscommon Hospice—Boyle Support Group:**

Please support the National Coffee Morning on Thursday next 20th September. The following outlets have also very kindly agreed to host a Coffee Morning again this year: Clarkes Bar and Restaurant, Daly's Bar, The Plunkett Home, Stewart Oil, Open Table . Loftus Medical Centre will host at a later later.

**Boyle Community Tennis Association:** are hosting a Family Fun Day and Cake Sale on Saturday 22nd September from 2p.m. to 4p.m. in the Tennis Club. This is to continue to raise funds for much needed improvements to our Club facilities. Come and see what we achieved so far. All donations welcome.

**Access to Psychological Services Ireland:** This is a free HSE service for adults aged 18+, who are experiencing mild-moderate mental health difficulties. They provide short-term cognitive behavioral therapy and guided self help. Individuals who would like to attend the service can self-refer by phone or refer via the walk-in clinic in Roscommon Town. The service is free for residents of Roscommon and the Boyle area currently has no waiting list to be seen. For further details contact 0906—665020.

**Members of Western Alzheimers Voluntary Committee:** are appealing to all bikers out there to take part in our Motorcycle Run which takes place from Hannons Hotel on Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> September. Registration at 10.30am. €20 per bike. Proceeds to Western Alzheimers.

**The Annual Run Walk n Roll in Aid of Cancer Research** will take place in Boyle on Sunday the 21st October .

**Ward Agricultural Consultants Ltd** are holding a GLAS Training course on Saturday 29th September at 10.00am to 5.00pm places limited. It is a requirement of the GLAS programme to undertake the training day. DAFM pays you €158 to complete the training. 0879193371 to book your place.

**Offertory Collection** amounted to €2733.73 Sunday 9th September.