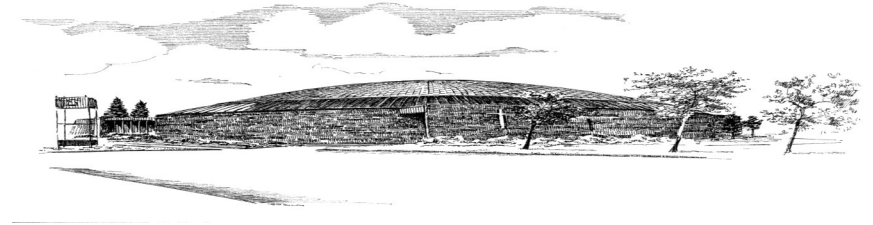


**St. Joseph's Parish Newsletter**  
**Seventh Sunday In Ordinary Time**  
**24th February 2019**



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| <b>Monday</b>    | <b>10.00 a.m.</b> | James and Joseph Dwyer and The Deceased Family Members  |
| <b>Tuesday</b>   | <b>10.00 a.m.</b> | Br. John Hopkins  |
| <b>Wednesday</b> | <b>10.00 a.m.</b> | Kevin Beirne  |
| <b>Thursday</b>  | <b>10.00 a.m.</b> | John and Mary Ann Mc Keon   |
| <b>Friday</b>    | <b>10.00 a.m</b>  | Gus and Christina Burke and The Deceased Family Members   |
|                  | <b>7.30p.m.</b>   | Mick and Ann Slein and Kate Horan<br>Doreen and Tony Caldbeck<br>Michael, Mary, Gerard and Mattie Doran<br>Pat Kenny<br>Sean J. and Mary Mc Quaid |
| <b>Saturday</b>  | <b>10.00a.m.</b>  | Margaret O' Connor (Months Mind)  |
| <b>Vigil</b>     | <b>7.30p.m.</b>   | Oliver Mc Dermott   |
| <b>Sunday</b>    | <b>9.30a.m.</b>   | Tommy Halton (1st Anniversary) Eleanor Halton   |
|                  | <b>11.30a.m.</b>  | John Kelly  |

**Elphin Diocesan 3 day pilgrimage to Lough Derg**

Fri. June 21st to Sun. June 23rd. More details @ [www.elphindiocese.ie/lough-derg](http://www.elphindiocese.ie/lough-derg)

**Knock Marriage Introductions** - helping to bring people together with a view to marriage. Ireland's first and only Catholic Marriage Introductions Agency. Phone: 094-9375960.

Website: [www.knockmarriageintroductions.com](http://www.knockmarriageintroductions.com)

**FAMILY SUPPORT DROP IN CLINIC**

A drop in confidential space for parents and families to call in and receive support and a listening ear about issues and concerns about you and/or your children. Wednesday mornings during primary school term 9.30am-12pm. An interagency project together with Boyle FRC, Foroige & Tusla. Boyle Family Resource Centre.

**COUNSELLING & PSYCHOTHERAPY** - Please contact Marie on 0719663000 or Maura on 0719663841. All our programmes and services are confidential and professional.

**ROSCOMMON SUICIDE BEREAVEMENT LIAISON SERVICE** - This 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.

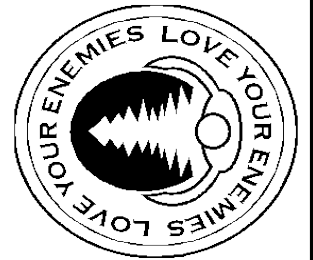
**ENGLISH LANGUAGE CLASS** - Tuesdays from 12.30pm-1.30pm Cost: €3/donation. Booking essential. For more information, please contact the Centre. All welcome. Tutor: Maura Doherty

**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.*

### Using our Gifts

Using our gifts is building community. If we are not faithful to our gifts, we are harming the community and each of its members as well. So it is important that all members know what their gifts are, use them and take responsibility for developing them; it is important that the gift of each member is recognised and that each is accountable to the others for the use to which this gift is put.

We all need each other's gifts; we must encourage their growth and our fidelity to them. Everyone will find their place in community according to their gift.

They will become not only useful but unique and necessary to the others. And so rivalry and jealousy will evaporate.

(Jean Vanier)

#### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS FOR SAT. / SUN. 2ND / 3RD MARCH:

**7.30 p.m.:** Keith Suffin, Pat Taylor, Gloria Bohan, Michael Brennan

**9.30 a.m.:** Carmel Keenan, Aidan Lavin, Mary Lavin

**11.30 a.m.:** Teresa Carty, Kathleen Candon, Amy Commons, Kathleen Cregg

#### READERS FOR SAT. / SUN. 2ND / 3RD MARCH:

**7.30 p.m.:** Donal J. Farrell

**9:30 a.m.:** Bernie Kemple

**11.30a.m.:** Evelyn O' Donnell

**First Friday: Friday 1st March is the First Friday of the month.**

**Confessions before all Masses.**

#### Communion Calls:

Fr. Gerry will make his Communion Calls on Thursday 28th February and Friday 1st March.

Fr. Tito will make his Communion Calls on Friday 1st March.

#### First Holy Communion:

All children preparing for First Holy Communion are asked to attend 'Do This In Memory' and 'Bridge Programme' Mass on Sunday 3rd March at 11.30a.m.

#### Confirmation Preparation:

Confirmation preparation continues with 'You Shall Be My Witnesses' Programme on Wednesday 27th February in Abbey Community Collage at 8p.m.

#### Elphin Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes:

The annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes will take place from 30th August to 3rd Sep-tember 2019. Under the leadership of Bishop Kevin Doran. Fully inclusive price €735 in-cludes 5 nights full board. Booking forms available from Pilgrim Section at Joes Walsh Tours on 01 2410800. For details on the Sick/Assisted Section contact Rev. Raymond Milton on 090-6661115.

**Lenten Scripture Sharing Groups:** Resources available to download at

[www.elphindiocese.ie/lent](http://www.elphindiocese.ie/lent) Support for new groups also available.

**Lenten Opportunity for busy people :** Short reflections by Fr. Niall Ahern available to listen / podcast at [www.elphindiocese.ie/reflections](http://www.elphindiocese.ie/reflections)

**Scoil na nAingal Naofa Open Day** for Parents/Guardians on Tuesday March 5<sup>th</sup> at 2p.m .Enrolment can be completed on the day .Email: scoilnnn@gmail.com. Phone: (071) 9662737. **Afterschool Club (School Students Only): Option A:** 2.10 p.m.- 3. 10p.m**Option B:** 2. 10p.m or 3.10-5/5. 30p.m Further details on Enrolment.

**Knowing Yourself- A Myers-Briggs Workshop:** With Mr Ian Neylon on Wednesday February 27th from 10.00am-4.00pm. Cost €30 (self-funding) including a light lunch. Numbers limited, booking essential at Galilee Community, Boyle .On the day, using the Myers-Briggs tool, we will reflect on our personalities, attitudes and preferences in order to understand ourselves better and also appreciate how others may differ from us. Ian Neylon (BSc, Dip Couns) has been a Myers-Briggs practitioner for over thirty years.

**WHIST DRIVE:** Friday March 8<sup>th</sup> In Ballinafad Hall.

Beginners games from 7:15 – 7:45pm, Drive commences at 8:00pm

Refreshments provided €5 entry; Prizes given. Organised by Aughanagh Parish Council'.

**Farming Community** Úna Bhán Tourism are delivering **FREE** Computer Training Courses again in March, please call Nigel on 071 966 3033 to register. Courses include how to send and receive emails / search the internet in a safe & secure way / tax car online / on-line banking / phone apps / Agfood.ie to record calves, Farm-to-Farm Movements & Herd Profile / and lots more .

**Diabetes Ireland** are planning to host an 'Ask the Experts' workshop for people with Type 2 diabetes in Hannon's Hotel Roscommon town on March 7th at 7pm. This event is free, but **booking is essential** by phoning Diabetes Ireland on 071-914 6001.

**Boyle Holiday Group :** Are traveling to Dungarvan,,Waterford & places of great interest from Monday the 10th of June to Friday 14th of June. Staying at The Park Hotel , Dungarvan. People interested in going please contact :Mary Regan, 0861298355 or 0719663544.

**Sligo Charismatic Prayer Group :**will host Catholic Lay Evangelist, International Conference Speaker, MARIA VADIA , who will lead a day retreat in Sligo Clayton Hotel with Praise, Worship, Music, Teaching and Healing Ministry on Saturday , 16th March, 09.30-5.30 pm Hot Lunch available, early booking essential to 0876998397 All welcome.

**Fundraiser in Aid of Elphin Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage Assisted Pilgrims**

**Fund :** Will be held in the Abbey Hotel, Roscommon on Friday 8th March at 9p.m. Music and Dancing from 9pm to 1am.Tickets: €10 available on the door.

**Offertory Collection** amounted to €3107.29 on Sunday 17th February.