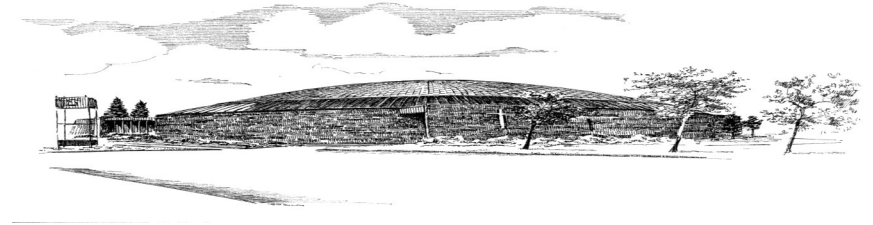


St. Joseph's Parish Newsletter

Eighth Sunday In Ordinary Time

3rd March 2019



Monday	10.00 a.m.	Bridie and Eugene Gannon
Tuesday	10.00 a.m.	Chris Mostyn
Wednesday	10.00 a.m. 6.15p.m.	Dominic and Bridget Lavin Frank, Mary and Geraldine Leyden
Thursday	10.00 a.m. 6.15p.m.	Mary Killoran Gerry Dodd
Friday	10.00 a.m. 6.15p.m.	Elizabeth Johnson, Dominic and Honora Mc Glynn and Rita Mc Glynn Liam Coen Eugene Cregg Jim Clarke Charles Dwyer Gerard and Cecil Egan Maura and John Mc Loughlin Mary and Sean Mulhern and Deceased Members of the Toman Family Etta Brennan
Saturday	10.00a.m.	John Cronin (Months Mind)
Vigil	7.30p.m.	Seamus O' Gara
Sunday	9.30a.m.	Gerard Scanlon (1st Anniversary) and The Deceased Members of the Scanlon Family
	11.30a.m.	Mark Jackson

Accord Elphin :

Office Administrator required for the Accord Centre, Sligo. 9.5 hours per week. Excellent organizational and interpersonal skills required with a knowledge of Computers. For further information contact Accord Sligo at 071-9145641 or email accordsligo@eircom.net
Letter of application including reference and C.V. to be submitted by March 16th 2019. Starting date 1st April 2019.

SPANISH CLASS with Laura - Thursdays at 11am. Cost: €40 for 6 sessions. Booking essential. Please register your interest for a lunch time class from 12.30pm-1.30pm.

WIDOW & WIDOWERS SUPPORT GROUP Support for those grieving the death of their spouse. Thursday March 14th, 7.30pm-9pm. Cost: Donation. No booking necessary.

LOSS OF RELATIONSHIP

For those who have lost a relationship through death, separation or divorce. Booking essential. Starting Wednesday April 10th for 6-9 weeks, 7.30pm to 9.30pm.

PAEDIATRIC FIRST AID with Absolute Safety. Wednesday March 6th from 9.15am-4.30pm Booking essential. Cost: €40. Contact Boyle Family Resource Centre.

Lenten Opportunity for Busy People:

Short reflections by Fr. Niall Ahern available to listen / podcast @ www.elphindiocese.ie/reflections

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 For Lent

Monday To Friday :10:00 a.m. and 6.15p.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 & 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 beside the Sacristy.*

May I be no one's enemy, and may I be the friend of that which is eternal and abides. May I never quarrel with those nearest me: and if I do, may I be reconciled quickly. May I love, seek, and attain only that which is good.

May I wish for everyone's happiness and envy none.

May I never rejoice in the ill-fortune of one who has wronged me.

When I have done or said what is wrong, may I never wait for the rebuke of others, but always rebuke myself until I make amends.

May I win no victory that harms either me or my opponent.

May I reconcile friends who are angry with one another.

May I never fail a friend who is in danger. When visiting those in grief

may I be able by gentle and healing words to soften their pain.

May I respect myself. May I always keep tame that which rages within me.

May I accustom myself to be gentle, and never be angry with people because of circumstances. May I never discuss who is wicked and what wicked things he has done, but know good people and follow in their footsteps."

(Prayer of Eusebius, 3rd century)

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS FOR SAT. / SUN. 9TH / 10TH MARCH:

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

9.30 a.m.: Laura Tighe, Miriam Mc Gee, Sean Mc Keon

11.30 a.m.: Catherine Davitt, Martin Dolan, Nonie Lavin, Mary Martin

READERS FOR SAT. / SUN. 9TH / 10TH MARCH:

7.30 p.m.: Theresa Feeney

9:30 a.m.: Marie Mc Namara

11.30 a.m.: Danny Tiernan

Pope's Intention For March *'That Christian Communities, especially those who are persecuted, feel that they are close to Christ and have their rights respected.'*

Lent: Ash Wednesday is on 6th March. Mass at 10a.m. and 6.15p.m.

Please Note : Mass Times for Lent are : 10a.m. and 6.15p.m. Monday to Friday.

Trócaire Lent 2019 :

Trócaire Boxes are available at all the Church doors, please take one.

If you would prefer to use an envelope there is one with the box..

Your generosity over the years has enabled Trócaire to make a real and lasting difference.

Our Lady of Fatima Statue will visit St. Joseph's Church , Boyle

Our Lady of Fatima Centennial Pilgrim Statue will visit St. Joseph's Church, Boyle on Monday 18th March. Starting with procession at 9.45 a.m. and Mass at 10a.m., followed by a talk and blessing of scapulars. More info contact Mary: 087-7971474 or 086-2552809.

Bridge Programme: The first session of the Bridge Programme for all Parents / Guardians of children for First Holy Communion will take place upstairs in St. Joseph's Resource Centre, commencing with a cup of tea at 7.45pm and starting at 8p.m. on **Wednesday evening 6th March.**

Offertory Collection amount to €2234.76 on Sunday 24th February. Thank you.

Eucharistic Adoration For Lent:

Along with 'Giving Up' for Lent why not 'Take Up' 30 minutes of Eucharistic Adoration before the Blessed Sacrament once a week for Lent. The 30 minutes Adoration can be on your own, with family or between family members.

'Aging Well': A Journey of Discovery and Engagement: Facilitated by Dr. Kevin Egan, a lecturer in psychology for many years at All Hallows Collage, Dublin. Lecture will take place in Abbey community Collage on Tuesday 12th March at 8p.m. No booking required and all are welcome. Donation of €5.

AGM of St. Joseph's Hall :

The AGM of St. Joseph's Hall will take place on Thursday 7th March at 7p.m. in the Hall. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Dementia Support Group North Roscommon:

On Thursday 7th March we are facilitating the first of the Spring sessions that will provide a space for information and peer support for those with dementia, their carers, families and friends. These will be held in St Joseph's Resource Centre in Boyle starting at 11.00 am and finishing before 1pm. The events are free and tea and coffee is provided. Subsequent sessions on April 4th and May 2nd will deal with other relevant topics in St Joseph's Resource Centre, Abbeytown, Boyle and there is ample free parking. Contact 087-2783778 for more information or call to Boyle Citizens Information Centre."

Boyle Holiday Group : Are traveling to Dungarvan,, Waterford & places of great interest from Monday 6th May to Friday 10th May. Staying at The Park Hotel, Dungarvan. People interested in going please contact :Mary Regan, 0861298355 or 0719663544.

"An Evening With Percy French": The County Leitrim Percy French Society will host an evening in Tawnytaskin Community Centre on Sunday 10th March at 8p.m. Tickets are €10. For booking / tickets contact Ann on 086-8130005. Tickets also available in Una Bhan, Boyle Credit Union, Adam's Apple, Mc Gee's Jewellers and from Mary Nicholson.

Lent Challenge for Hospice: Mayo Roscommon Hospice invite you to join them for the 40 day 'Lent Challenge' and collect one item per day from your home to donate to a hospice shop at the end of the 40 days. The items can be clothes, shoes, bric a brac, jewellery- anything goes. Your support would be appreciated. Call 0949388666.

New Mission Awareness Team: The formation of a new Mission Awareness Team in the Diocese of Elphin is being explored. Its aim will be to promote and foster mission awareness at home and overseas. A meeting will be held on Tuesday 12th March at 7:30pm in St Coman's Club, Abbey St, Roscommon. Interested parishioners and especially those who have worked overseas on mission/development work are invited and welcome to attend. Enquiries to Deacon Wando Araujo 0872600338 or email: wanedileo@hotmail.com

Lenten Retreat – Galilee Centre: March 9th "From Hosannas to the Hill: A Lenten Retreat", Led by Fr Vincent Sherlock. Cost €30 (incl. light lunch). Booking essential. On Palm Sunday they roared "Hosanna!" and on Good Friday "Crucify him". Sometimes it can be difficult to find our voice in the crowd and today we might look at this, reflecting on some of the characters of the Easter Days and the story that takes us there.

Smart Start Preschool Open Evening: Thursday 28th March from 5pm-6.30pm in Aughnagrange, Boyle.