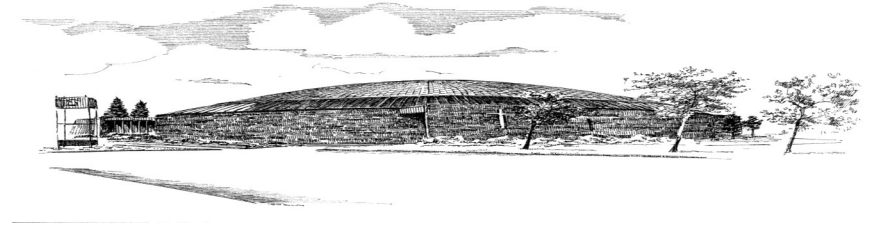


St. Joseph's Parish Newsletter

30th Sunday In Ordinary Time

27th October 2019



Monday	10.00 a.m.	James, Mary and Michael Wynne
Tuesday	10.00 a.m.	Michael and Margaret Hoare and The Deceased Family
Wednesday	10.00a.m.	Thomas and Elizabeth Scanlon
Thursday	10.00a.m.	
Vigil	7.30p.m.	Anna Casserly
Friday	9.30a.m. 11.30a.m.	Thomas and Mary Killalea and The Deceased Family Helen Scanlon <i>'Feast of All Saints'</i>
Saturday	10.00 a.m.	Dominic Henry (Months Mind)
Vigil	7.30p.m.	All Our Faithful Departed
Sunday	9.30a.m.	All Our Faithful Departed
	11.30a.m.	All Our Faithful Departed

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT:

Support for those grieving the loss of a loved one. Tuesday's October 29th & November 5th at 8pm. at Boyle Family Resource Centre (FRC). Cost: €3/donation.

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 (FRC). Please text the word FOOD + your first name to 0860496467 to receive details.

COUNSELLING & PSYCHOTHERAPY:

Appointments are available Monday to Friday, day and evening. Therapeutic Support for Families, Children, Adolescents, Couples and Individuals. The cost is on a sliding scale and is negotiable. Please contact Marie on 0719663000 or Maura on 0719663841. All our programmes and services are confidential and professional.

BASIC FIRST AID Friday 6th December 9.30am-5pm. Booking essential. Cost: €60

FAMILY SUPPORT DROP IN CLINIC Wednesday mornings during primary school term 9.30am-12pm. An interagency project together with Boyle FRC, Foroige & Tusla. (No Clinic on Wednesday 30th October).

ENGLISH LANGUAGE CLASS with Michael O'Toole

English language classes are for those whose English is not their first language. Tuesday's 12pm-1pm. Cost: donation.

WIDOW & WIDOWERS SUPPORT GROUP :

Support for those grieving the death of their spouse. Thursday 14th November from 7.30pm-9pm and monthly thereafter in Boyle Family Resource Centre. Cost: €3/Donation. No booking necessary.

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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 & 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.*

The Meaning of Life:

After the Second World War, a Greek man named Alexander Papaderous founded an Institute of Peace and Understanding on the island of Crete, as a response to the atrocities that had taken place there during the war. One day, while taking questions at the end of a lecture, someone asked him ‘What is the meaning of life?’ In response, Papaderous took a small mirror out his wallet, and said: ‘I am a fragment of a mirror whose whole design and shape I do not know. Nevertheless, with what I have I can reflect light into the dark places of this world – into the black places in the hearts of men and women – and change some things in some people. Perhaps others may see and do likewise. This is what I’m about. This is the meaning of my life.’

Papaderous was a person of great humility, aware of how small and seemingly insignificant each one of us is, but full of faith that we can still do great things. Like the tax collector in the parable we hear today, he was aware of his unworthiness, but open to light and hope.

In today’s Gospel we are invited to put ourselves in the shoes of the Pharisee, who regarded himself as superior to others, and the tax collector, who throws himself on the mercy of God. Which of them sees the bigger picture? (Jane Mellett)

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS FOR 2ND AND 3RD NOVEMBER:

7.30 p.m.: Martin Purcell, Keith Suffin, Pat Taylor, Gloria Bohan

9.30 a.m.: Pauline Feely, Miriam Mc Gee, Aidan Lavin

11.30 a.m.: Kathleen Candon, Amy Commons, Kathleen Cregg, Mary Martin

READERS FOR 2ND/ 3RD NOVEMBER :

7.30p.m.: Cathy Bermingham

9:30 a.m.: Catherine Carr

11.30a.m.: Noel Kennedy

Feast of All Saints:

Friday 1st November is the Feast of All Saints—Mass times—Vigil (Thursday at 7.30p.m., and Friday 9.30a.m. and 11.30a.m.

Saturday 2nd November is the Feast of All Souls.

Communion Calls:

Fr. Gerry will make his Communion Calls on Thursday 31st October.

Fr. Tito will make his Communion Calls on Thursday 31st October.

Rosary In Cemetery For November:

The Rosary will be prayed at Plunkett Avenue Cemetery on Sunday 3rd November at 11a.m.

The Rosary will be prayed in Assylinn Cemetery (Old Graveyard) on Sunday 3rd November at 12.30p.m.

Mass of Remembrance:

The Vigil Mass on Saturday 2nd November will be celebrated for all who died in our parish during the past year. Family members, relatives and friends of the deceased are especially invited to attend this annual Mass of Remembrance, also the Mass on Sunday morning will be celebrated for all our dead.

Offertory Collection amounted € 2201.49 on Sunday 20th October. Thank you.

2nd November : Norms For Indulgences At The Commemoration Of All Souls.

1 From 12 noon on 1st November until midnight on 2nd November all who have confessed , received Holy Communion and prayed for the Pope’s intentions (one Our Father and Hail Mary, or any other prayer of one’s choice) can gain one plenary indulgence by visiting a Church or oratory, and there reciting one our Father and the Apostles’ Creed.

This indulgence is applicable only to the souls of the departed.

Confessions may be made at any time within the week preceding or the week following 1st November. Holy Communion may be received on any day from 1st November to 8th November.

2 The faithful who visit a cemetery and pray for the dead may gain a plenary indulgence applicable only to the Holy souls on the usual conditions once per day from 1st to 8th November.

The condition mentioned above apply also for this.

Climate Change Talk in St. Joseph’s Resource Centre:

A talk give by Philip (Chris) Reid , Professor of Oceanography will take place on this Sunday 27th October from 7 to 9p.m. in St. Joseph’s Resource Centre. Professor Reid has worked for a number of decades on climate change, its impact on marine ecosystems and the important role that the ocean plays. Professor Reid is author of more than 200 publications.

Run Walk and Roll For Cancer Research:

Thank you to each and everyone who supported and helped out with this year's event .

Thank you to all provided refreshments on the route. Well done to the pupils of St .Josephs Boys N.S. for raising €867.00. To date €3082.60 has been raised with more monies to come in. Thank you all once again.

Diocese of Elphin, Pastoral Development & Renewal Gathering 2019 in conjunction with the Vocations Committee. **Saturday November 9th, 9:30am to 4:15pm**, St. Joseph’s Hall, Marian Rd, Boyle, Co. Roscommon. Guest Speakers: **Mr Eddie Stones**, Emmanuel House of Providence, Clonfert & **Bishop Kevin Doran**. More detail available on diocesan website at www.elphindiocese.ie/gathering

Seeking the face of God: Galilee Spirituality Centre:

Our relationship with God is a journey of discovery. You are invited to four very special Tuesday evenings in November to explore how we can discover God in personal faith, scripture, creation and community. All welcome. 7.30-9.00pm closing with tea. €5. Booking and enquiries info@galilee.ie 071-966-4101.

Night 1: November 5th **Bishop Kevin Doran: The God of My Life** Bishop Kevin will speak from a personal perspective on faith and the God he has met through his own life.

Annual Holy Souls Pilgrimage to Knock : On Saturday 2nd November (All Souls Day) at 1p.m. in Blessed Sacrament Chapel—Mercy and Holy Souls Chaplet with Mass and Rosary.

For attention of Parents / Guardians:

It has been brought to our attention that Ruth Coppinger proposes introducing compulsory HSE lessons in all schools, starting with Junior Infants. All details are to be aught including abortion so parents if you don’t want this please contact your local TD .