Monday	10.00 a.m.	Nora and Frank Hughes
Tuesday	10.00 a.m.	Mary Mc Dermott (1st Anniversry)
Wednesday	10.00a.m.	Tom Nallon
Thursday	10.00a.m	John Joe Mc Kenna
Friday	10.00a.m.	Mary and P.J. Daly
	7.30 p.m.	Alice and Tom O' Dowd John Egan
Saturday	10.00 a.m.	Martha Mc Guinn (Months Mind)
Vigil	7.30p.m.	John and Molly Shanley
Sunday	9.30a.m.	People of the Parish
	11.30a.m.	Mary Henry, Annie and Jim Doddy

RAINBOWS/SPECTRUM: A group for children/teenagers who have lost a parent or significant other through death, separation or divorce. Introduction night for parents Wednesday 22nd January from7pm-8pm in Boyle Family Resource Centre. For more information, please contact the Centre on 0719663000.

YOGA: with Liz Dwyer

Last class before Christmas Wednesday 11th December. Resumes Wednesday 15th January 11am-12pm. Cost: €10 per session or €50 for 6 sessions in Boyle Family Resource Centre.

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. Last day for distribution before Christmas is Wednesday 18th December 2.30-3.30pm.

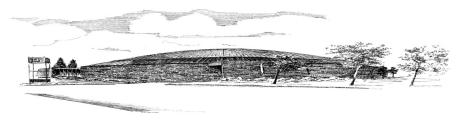
COUNSELLING & PSYCHOTHERAPY: Appointments are available Monday to Friday, day and evening. Therapeutic Support for Families, Children, Adolescents, Couples and Individuals. The cost is on a sliding scale and is negotiable. Please contact Marie on 0719663000 or Maura on 0719663841. All our programmes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

ROSCOMMON SUICIDE BEREAVEMENT LIAISON SERVICE:

Roscommon Suicide Bereavement Liaison Service 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 (FRC) on 0719663000. This service is funded by the HSE National Office for Suicide Prevention.

CLOTHING BANK FOR YOUR WINTER CLEAR OUT: There is a clothing bank outside Boyle Family Resource Centre which accepts old clothes and bed linen, handbags, and shoes that are sent for recycling. Your support and donations are very much appreciated as this helps raise funds towards the Centres programmes and community work. NO DUVETS AND PILLOWS AS THEY WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED BY THE RECYCLING COMPANY. Thank you.

St. Joseph's Parish Newsletter Second Sunday of Advent 8th December 2019



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.

Advent Litany

Jesus Word o

f Justice, Come to dwell here.

Maranatha Come Lord Jesus

Jesus Word of Mercy, Live amongst us.

Maranatha Come Lord Jesus.

Jesus Word of Healing, Heal our sorrow.

Maranatha Come Lord Jesus.

Jesus Word of Comfort, Bring us hope now.

Maranatha Come Lord Jesus.

Jesus Word of Gladness, Fill our hearts now.

Maranatha Come Lord Jesus.

Jesus Word of Wisdom, Come Renew us.

Maranatha Come Lord Jesus.



EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS FOR 14TH AND 15TH DECEMBER:

7.30 p.m.: Maura Clarke, Mary Clifford, Michael Costello, Alan Deane

9. 30 a.m.: Laura Tighe, Yvonne Bonnici, Kathleen Brennan

11. 30 a.m.: Betty Mc Dermott, Pamela Nutley, Mary Regan, Carmel Regan

READERS FOR 14H AND 15TH DECEMBER:

7.30p.m: Michael Gilmartin **9:30 a.m.:** Sheila Tipper

11.30a.m.: Margaret Coughlan

Welcome Fr. Jonas:

We welcome to our Parish and to Ireland Fr. Jonas Rebamontan. Fr. Jonas who is from the Philippines arrives in Ireland this week and will take up duties in our Parish at the beginning of January. Fr. Tito will return to his home at the end of January.

Ecumenical Carol Service:

The Annual Ecumenical Service will be held here in St. Joseph's Church on Thursday next 12th December at 8p.m. A collection in aid of Mayo / Sligo Hospice will take place.

Penitential Service:

Our Penitential Service in preparation for Christmas will take place this year on <u>Sunday 15th December at 6p.m.</u> Please note change of time.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul Annual Appeal:

The Annual Collection for the Society of St. Vincent De Paul will take place at all Masses next weekend Saturday & Sunday 14th / 15th December 2019.

Thank you for you ongoing support to our local conference, your generosity is greatly appreciated.

Offertory Collection amounted € 2575.71 on Sunday 1st December.

Annual Christmas Concert - Strokestown

Cór Comáin Ladies' Choir & Youth Choir present their Annual Christmas Concert in the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Strokestown, Co. Roscommon on Sunday 15th December 2019 at 7pm. Tickets are priced €10. Proceeds in aid of Strokestown Church Restoration Fund & HeartSafe Project, Kiltrustan, Co. Roscommon. Conductor: Derek Mahady. Soloist: Maria Matthews. Accompanist: Celine Kelly. Percussionist: Stephanie Pawula.

DEMENTIA SUPPORT SOCIAL: There is a Dementia support social gathering at Keadue Social Services Centre on Wednesday 11th December from 12.30 - 3pm 2019. If you have dementia, or are supporting someone with dementia, you are invited to join us for lunch and a chance to chat. There will be music, activities and information available. To reserve a place ring Julie on 0861749816. Numbers limited and latest opportunity to book is 12 noon on Monday 9th.

The Way of Gentleness – Strandhill:

A personal enrichment journey for Advent. Saint Patrick's Church, Strandhill. Mondays 9th and 16th December at 8pm.

<u>Advent Scripture Sharing Group Resources</u>: available to download at <u>www.elphindiocese.ie/advent</u>. Can also be used for private prayer. All welcome to use.

<u>Short Advent Reflections</u> by Fr. Niall Ahern available to listen and to podcast at <u>www.elphindiocese.ie/advent-reflections</u>. Oriented toward people who experience this as a busy time of year.

Support for Bereaved Parents:

Anam Cara Mayo, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Parent Evening on Tuesday 17th December at 7:20pm in the T. F Royal Hotel, Castlebar, Co. Mayo. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not. Please contact us on info@anamcara.ie or 085 2888 888 for any queries.

Medjugorje Young Adult Pilgrimage July 2020 led by Bishop Kevin Doran: The Diocese of Elphin through its office of Young Adult Ministry is planning a young adult pilgrimage to Medjugorje from 15/16 − 22/23 July 2020. The Pilgrimage is open to young adults who are between 18 and 35 years of age at the time of travel. The cost per person sharing is €650. For more information, detail of costs, registration form etc. please see the diocesan website on www.elphindiocese.ie/medjugorje2020 or contact Frank McGuinness, Director of Young Adult Ministry, on 087 9880690 frank.mcguinness@elphindiocese.ie. €50 discount for those who book before 30th January 2020.