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Parish Office- The Nativity of St John the Baptist - 24th June 2018

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World Meeting of Families 21-26th August 2018

Registration for tickets for Pope Francis' Knock Shrine visit and for the WMOF2018 Closing Mass in Phoenix Park will open from Monday 25th June www.worldmeeting2018.ie Before registration please read our FAQs and plan for a big journey! #popeinireland

Diocesan Meeting.

A meeting of the Clogher Priests in Fermanagh and Donegal took place last week to discuss the problems relating to the availability of clergy in Parishes and the difficulties relating to cover for times of illness, holiday time etc. the meeting was inconclusive in discovering answers to the problems if the traditional availability of clergy was the solution but agreed that education of the laity in relation to the question was necessary so that more basic parish and non-priestly administration might be undertaken by laity. This would allow essential priestly work to be accomplished by a lesser number of clergy in times of sickness etc. Whatever the future may bring, it is clear that an incoming new Bishop will only have the clergy presently available to him in the Diocese and that a very clear and futuristic plan will be necessary for the Diocese. The plan for the next five years will be demanding and difficult.

St Joseph's the Rock - Parish Meeting

Many thanks to all who attended the rock meeting and offered their help in days to come. There is very little doubt that where a Church no longer has a resident Priest and where the Parish has only one Priest, the daily help of laity is greatly needed. There are many middle-aged and retired people resident beside all Churches. To give an hour a day to help the Church in non-priestly activities allows the Priest time for his priestly work. That will be the way forward in ALL parishes in days to come. The wonderful result of such service by laity not only helps the parish but gives them a deeper understanding of how a Church and Parish operates. That deeper understanding also helps them in their prayer and spiritual attitude to life. A meeting of all those interested in helping will take place very soon.

Papal Visit of Pope Francis to Ireland.

Parish Offices do not have tickets available for the areas Pope Francis will visit. Tickets are only available through the World Family Website (WMOF2018). The tickets are free but would involve personal planning of any journey especially the final stages where 2park & ride2 from a distance will be necessary. RTE will presumably cover the complete event, giving those who may be unable to travel the opportunity to share in the event.

Extra 12.30pm. Mass during the months of July & August.

Due to the Summer increase in Bundoran Mass attendance by visitors, traditionally an extra Mass has been added to the schedule. This will take place from July 1st. to Sept 2nd incl. at 12.30pm but has not been available in June nor will be in September due to the lack of available clergy. It is wonderful that this is such a necessity and that visitors show such an interest in being present at Mass while on their holidays. We ask all hotels and B&Bs to take note of mass-times and advertise them within their premises. A Summer Mass Time Schedule is available from the Parish Office.

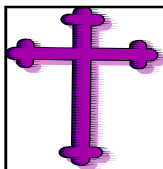
Cemetery Renovations / Extensions

Will take place at St. Joseph's during July and in Bundoran during late August

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Saturday (Vigil) Private Intentions.

Sunday 8.30am. Thomas & Catherine McCrory (Bundrowes).

11.00am. People of the Parish.

Monday 10am. Private Intentions.

Tuesday 10am. Private Intentions.

Wednesday 10am. Prayer Service.

Thursday 10am. Private Intentions.

Friday 10am. Private Intentions.

Saturday 10am. Private Intention.

Saturday 7pm. Private Intentions.

Sunday July 1st

8.30am. Private Intention.

11.00am. Des Kelly (Dinglei Cough) M.M.

12.30pm. Private Intentions.

Sunday June 24th at 10am:

Paddy Fox (Westport).

Annie & Michael Ward (Rathmore).

Pauric Burns (East Rock/Sligo) M.M.

Monday 10am. Prayer Service

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Wednesday 10am. Private Intentions.

Thursday 10am. Prayer Service.

Friday 10am. Prayer Service

Saturday 10am. Prayer Service.

Sunday July 1st at 10am:

Bernadette McGurl (Manger & Belleek).

Pat Slane (Ardlongfield).

PJ McCaffrey (Assaroe Road).

Special Ministers for July

7pm. B. McGourty, M. Duffy & N. Carr.

8.30am. M. Doherty & M. Fitzgerald.

11am. G McGloin, R. Doherty & B. Connor.

12.30pm. B. Ward & M. Ward.

July Ministers of the Word

7pm. Bernie Fox.

8.30am. Maura Walsh.

11am. Rhya Doherty.

July Altar Society:

Bernie McGroarty & Maura Stuttard.

Weekly Ministers 25/06/2018

Minister of the Eucharist Lucy Ryan

Ozanam House Lucy Ryan

Minister of the Word Lucy Ryan

Church Collectors for February.

7pm. Cindy O'Beirne, Kathleen McGrath, Paul Mc Gee.

8.30am. Patricia Brennan, Maura Walsh.

11am. Pat McGovern, Danny Breslin, Joe Smyth, Jim Herrity & Kathleen Cunningham.

12.30pm. Liam Ward.

Altar Servers

Saturday 30th June: Orlaith & Sean O'Neill, Conall Gavigan, Katie & Johnny Carty.

Sun. 11am. Christopher Connolly, Niamh & Aoibhe O'Donnell, Rebecca Corr Kane, Megan McNamara & Ryan Sharpe.

Liturgy Teams for July

Minister of the Word.

Eamon Daly

Special Ministers of the Eucharist.

Joe Drummond & Geraldine Loughlin

Church Collectors.

Front. Eamon Daly **Back.** Patrick Mc Kenna

Altar Society.

Philomena McGoldrick & Breege Coyle.

Important Future Dates for the Rock.

**Cemetery Sunday: Sunday September 16th
after 10am Mass.**

Thank You

The local Support Group of north West Hospice
would like to thank all the
collectors for their help on Sunflower Day.

€1,600.00 was collected and has been sent to the
North West Hospice, Sligo.



We remember all those who have died recently:

Dolores Blake (Cornhill),

Paddy Kirley (Rossnowlagh).

**Church of Our Lady, Star of the Sea, Finances.
June 16th & 17th 2018**

**Weekly Offering 109 Envelopes Returned
Envelopes €1,066.00 Baskets €900.00 Total €1,966.00**

Second Collection - €643.00 Thanks to everyone.

**Thanks to those who have made separate donations to
Church Funds.**

St Joseph's Church Finances. February 4th, 2018

**Priest's Dues 65 Envelopes Returned
Envelopes €826.00 Baskets €170.00 Total €996.00**

**Development Fund 51 Envelopes Returned
Envelopes €189.00 Baskets €70.00 Total €259.00**