

# BOHERLAHAN & DUALLA NEWSLETTER



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We remember in our prayers the following whose anniversaries occur around this time:

## BOHERLAHAN

Sat 22 July 7:30 pm Jackie & Mem Maher, Nodstown  
Sat 29 July 7:30 pm William & Nellie Murphy, daughters Eileen, Catherine (Ryan), and son PJ (Month's Mind), Freighduff  
Sun 30 July 11:00 am Rose and J.J. McGrath, Clonmore

## DUALLA

Sat 22 July 6:30 pm Garry Murphy, Raheen & London  
Sun 23 July 9:30 am Paddy & Gertie Wardick and family  
Sat 29 July 6:30 pm All interred in our local cemeteries

**PRAY FOR:** Martin Esmonde, Moyne; Eileen Buckley, Cork, interred last week.



**Tuesday 25 July: Feast of St James, Apostle.** Often called *James the Greater*, he was the first of the Apostles to die for Christ. Many people, including the youth, visit his shrine at Compostela, Spain, following one of the traditional routes of the *Camino*.

**Wednesday 26 July: Memorial of Ss Joachim and Anne, parents of the BVM.** We remember in our prayers our own grandparents, especially for the values they have passed on to us. See below the notice of the special mass in the Cathedral today.

**Saturday 29 July: Memorial of St Martha**, who welcomed Jesus into her home. She is a patron of innkeepers, cooks and dieticians.

## HOLY COMMUNION MINISTERS (On duty next weekend)

**BOHERLAHAN:** Anne Flanagan; Aidan Ó Gormáin & Mary Ryan (N)

**DUALLA:** Pauline Toomey; Marie O' Gorman



## VOCATIONS TO PRIESTHOOD/RELIGIOUS LIFE

"The Spirit too helps us in our weakness, for we do not know how to pray as we ought." Do you approach the Lord in prayer with the confident strength given by the Holy Spirit, asking that He make known your unique vocation? If you are discerning your vocation contact: Fr Joe Walsh 086-7714888 or your local priest.

**CEMETERY MASS AND BLESSING OF GRAVES:** it is important for us all to remember to pray for our dead. Please join with others from the community as we honour their memory. Remember to pass on the word to others, especially family and relatives.

- **Ballyherbery cemetery** (blessing of graves) Saturday 29 July 5:30 pm
- **Dualla cemetery** (usual Mass & blessing of graves) Saturday 29 July 6:30 pm. If raining Mass will be in the Church.
- **Ballysheehan cemetery** (blessing of graves) Saturday 29 July 7:30 pm

**Families are reminded that graves may need tending during this season of rapid growth.**

**DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK:** Sunday 6 August bus will leave from outside the Parish Church in Cashel at 7:30 am on that morning. If you wish to travel please book with Kitty Peters on 087-2297403 (see also the poster in the porch of the Church).

**TRÓCAIRE EMERGENCY COLLECTION:** Will take place in our parish on next weekend **29/30 July**. Nearly 25 million people in Somalia, Kenya, South Sudan and Ethiopia are currently in urgent need of food and water due to drought. At the moment Trócaire is reaching over 150,000 people across the region with emergency food, water and sanitation. They need our help, so please be as generous as you can.

**SACRISTAN IN BOHERLAHAN CHURCH.** We are still hoping and praying for a replacement for Pat and Mary. If anyone has interest in helping, you are invited to approach either of the priests in the next week.

**CATHOLIC GRANDPARENTS ASSOCIATION:** Cathedral, Thurles, on Wed 26 July (feast of Saints Joachim and Anne), at 7:30 pm, Mass of Thanksgiving will be celebrated to acknowledge the role that grandparents play in passing on the faith. All are welcome.

**SAFEGUARDING CHURCH MINISTERS:** We thank you for your cooperation thus far. When you have completed the form you received, the parish then sends it to the Garda Vetting Office. They will then make contact with you by email asking you for more detail. It is important to reply to this request as soon as possible as there is only a limited period of time available to respond. If you are having any difficulty with the process the priests will be available at any time to help you.

**STUDY THEOLOGY BY DISTANCE LEARNING:** venue: Priory Institute, Tallaght, Dublin. Posters with relevant information in the porch of the Church.

**CROAGH PATRICK REEK SUNDAY:** 30 July. Mass will be celebrated hourly on the summit from 8:00 am to 2:00 pm. Reconciliation/Confession 7:30 am to 2:00 pm.

**HISTORICAL JOURNAL SOCIETY:** The 2017 journal is complete and with the printer. A debt of gratitude is owed to the contributors of articles and photographs. Subscribers are reminded that €10 is now due. Give to any member of the society immediately. This will guarantee a copy of the journal.

**DUALLA PLOUGHING ASSOCIATION:** Annual Threshing and Field Day on Sunday, 30 July. All proceeds going to charity. Usual sideshows and auction.

**COMMUNITY WEBSITE:** [www.boherlahandualla.ie](http://www.boherlahandualla.ie). Contact editor@boherlahan.ie for information or to submit content. Articles and photographs always welcome.

**BOHERLAHAN-DUALLA GAA LOTTO:** Winning Numbers: 2, 7, 10, 23. Five Match 3 Winners: Tom Delaney; Norma McCarthy; Maureen Long; Agnes Maher.

**CHALLENGES IN LIFE:** Sooner or later as we go through life problems and difficulties of varying sorts come to every one of us. Some people seem to get less misfortune than others, but no one escapes altogether. William Blake wrote: "Life is made of joy and woe, And when this we rightly know, Safely through the world we go." But it is in time of grief rather than happiness that we discover the true strength of our own character, the real worth of so-called friends, and the true depth of our faith in God. As an old Chinese proverb says: "You can't prevent the bird of sorrow flying over your head, but you can prevent it from nesting in your hair."