

Family
WHERE LIFE BEGINS
& LOVE NEVER ENDS

Family
IS EVERYTHING



BOHERLAHAN - DUALLA PARISH OUR FAMILY OF FAMILIES

Boherlahan - Dualla, is focusing on family life in all its diversity as we prepare for the World Meeting of Families (WMOF) in Dublin during August 2018, which Pope Francis is planning to attend.

The great goodness of family life is the very soul of our parish. Our parish treasures each family and every individual member. The vitality, energy and goodness of families truly build up the kingdom of God in our area. We are better when together. The Church, like any family, makes mistakes which have led to some people feeling hurt. Recognising this, the Church wishes to reach out to all.

A framework of suggested themes for each month is given overleaf. Parish groups, clubs, schools, individuals etc. are invited to reflect on and to develop these or related activities.

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October	Commencement of Parish Preparation
November	Remembering our Dead
December	New Life and All Life (e.g. Christmas Party; Mental Health Support initiative)
January	Renewing Family Life. Diocesan Listening Evening
February	The Joy of Family Love (e.g. Renewal of Marriage Vows; Celebration of Marriages and Families)
March	Celebration of Community (e.g. Group Art Project; Focus on Community Service & Volunteering)
April	Easter Water Blessings (e.g. families, homes, animals, pets, fields, vehicles etc.)
May	Novenas at parish grottoes (e.g. prayers for particular family intentions/areas of family life; First Holy Communions)
June	Family picnic day, with music, dance, drama, art display, games etc.
July	Walking Together in Faith (e.g. walking to Mass on our Parish Camino)

Family Masses on the last Sunday of each month, related to the themes, have commenced. Families are invited to represent different areas of the parish. Tea, chat etc. in the Hall after these Masses.

Discussion groups are also planned on the Pope's document "Amoris Laetitia: The Joy of Love".

BE PART OF MAKING OUR PARISH A PLACE OF WELCOME AND INCLUSION. EVERYONE'S CONTRIBUTION IS VALUABLE.

