BOHERLAHAN & DUALLA NEWSLETTER

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We remember in our prayers the following whose anniversaries occur around this time: BOHERLAHAN	
Sun 15 July 11.00am	James & Josephine Wade, Camas
Mon 16 July 7.30pm	Fr Martin Ryan and his parents James & Josephine,
	Cashel, and Castlemoyle
	DUALLA
Sat 7 July 6:30pm	John O'Meara, Ballytarsna; also Nora Colville, Coleraine, and
	daughter Celine Kennedy
Sun 8 July 9:30am	Paddy & Gertie Wardick and deceased Wardick family
Sun 15 July 9:30am	Gus & Josie Barry, Coleraine

Wed 11 July is the feast of St Benedict, abbot, patron of Europe. His rule is followed by the Benedictines and Cistercians.

HOLY COMMUNION MINISTERS (On duty next week)BOHERLAHAN:Nora Moloney; Mary Ryan (N.) & Katie O' DwyerDUALLA:Billy Gleeson; Mona Heffernan



Boherlahan-Dualla Parish Pastoral and Liturgy Group: are planning our next Family Mass on Saturday evening 14 July. The theme of the Mass is "Parish Family and Music". We hope to hold this Mass in Our Lady of Fatima Church, Dualla at 6.30pm.

World Meeting of Families and Papal Visit: Sincere thanks for your support to this collection last week. If you were away or missed you, you can make your contribution by putting your envelope in the offertory collection. There are some envelopes available in the porches of the churches.

Parish Tax Reclaim Scheme: Fr Egan sincerely thanks all who returned their Enduring Forms, and wishes to express appreciation for your loyalty and cooperation. If you have any difficulty he will be happy to talk to you. A full account of the benefits of the scheme will be made available later.

Festival of Families Celebration, Croke Park: This event takes place on Saturday, 25 August in Croke Park. Every family in Ireland will be represented at this event by one family from their parish. If you would like your family to be in the draw to be selected for this celebration , please let us know.

Papal Mass in the Phoenix Park: A few people have asked if there is a bus going from the parish to this event. As of now the answer is No, but if enough people show an interest this may be arranged.

Care and Vigilance in our Cemeteries: a few regrettable incidents in and around our cemeteries have been reported recently. Everyone's vigilance would help to ensure this does not occur again. Please report any suspicious activity.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock: will take place on Sunday 5 August. Further details later.

Walk the Mass Path: The Ardmayle Heritage Society and The Parish Journal Society invite as many as possible to walk the Mass Path on **Sunday 15 July**, starting from the Church in Ardmayle to the Church in Boherlahan arriving for 11am mass. Those taking part should meet at Ardmayle church at 10am. Families and persons of all ages are welcome.

The Ardmayle Heritage Society annual outing will take place on Sat 21 July touring Rearcross and Kilcommon. Book your seat on the bus through any member of the Society.

Grandparents' Pilgrimage to Knock: date for your diary: Sunday 9 September.

Missionaries for Life: Holy Rosary for the protection of all life from conception to natural death will continue every Friday at 12 noon in Liberty Square, Thurles. All are welcome.

Lough Derg 2018: The Three Day Pilgrimage is currently open. You may begin on any day until Monday 13 August. Advance booking is not necessary. The Lough Derg team can help you to co-ordinate public transport or link up with Pilgrimage Organisers in your locality, phone Lorraine on 071 9861518 (from NI +353) email: info@loughderg.org

Historical Journal: The 2018 journal is now with the printer. Thanks to the contributors of articles and photographs. Membership of ≤ 10 is now due, which will guarantee a copy of the journal. Please give to any member of the Journal Society.

Community Website: www.boherlahandualla.ie has reports and lots of photos from the recent Parish Sports evening, and from the Co. Tipperary Community Games Athletics Finals in which many young parishioners competed and were successful. You can also see a group photo from the launch of Tim Joe McGrath's book of poetry. Thanks to everyone who supports the website by sending material to the editor@boherlahandualla.ie.

PHIL COULTER - CATHEDRAL ECHOES - Tickets now available in the Parish Centre, Cathedral Street and Bookworm, Liberty Square. Enjoy an evening with the internationally renowned composer and musician Phil Coulter in the Cathedral of the Assumption, Thurles on Friday September 28. This event will mark the beginning of our fundraising for the Cathedral re-roofing project. Ticket Donation: €35.00.

Safeguarding Policy in the Archdiocese and in the Parish: A concise policy leaflet is available in the church and on the Diocesan website. Our Parish Safeguarding representatives are Chris Hayes and Ann Marie Devane. The Diocese has introduced Child Friendly safeguarding leaflets and a poster, which can be found in the porch of the churches. The Church has a sacred obligation to ensure that children are welcomed, cherished and protected in a manner consistent with their central place in the life of the Church.

Thought for the Week

To put the world in order we must first put the nation in order; To put the nation in order we must first put the family in order; To put the family in order we must first cultivate our personal life; To cultivate our personal life we must set our hearts right (Confucius)



Food for Thought: Sometimes we talk too much to hear what God would say. Other times we're preoccupied with activities of the day. Oh, how we need to just be quiet, and listen with our hearts to what the Holy Spirit speaks, that truth that He imparts.

(Connie Campbell Bratcher).

World Meeting of Families: The following key moments will be included:

- 1. A **National Opening** on Tuesday 21 August will take place simultaneously in each of the dioceses of Ireland.
- 2. A three day Congress from 22-24 August in the R.D.S. Dublin.
- 3. A **Festival of Families** on Sat. 25th August, comprising a reflective concert style event within a prayerful and joyful atmosphere, in which personal stories of faith will be shared by families from all continents.
- 4. A **Closing Mass** will be celebrated by Pope Francis in the Phoenix Park on Sunday 26 August with thousands of people from Ireland and across the world.

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Gathering in Preparation for the World Meeting of Families: "Walking Together as Families Today." St Patrick's College, Maynooth, 19-20 June 2018. Speakers, workshops, conversations, prayer, and much more, on variety of topics relating to family life. Registration: €15 (incl. lunch & teas/coffees). Tickets available on www.eventbrite.ie (under "Walking Together as Families Today"). Further info: contact Aoife at specialevents@spcm.ie