

BOHERLAHAN & DUALLA NEWSLETTER

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We remember in our prayers: BOHERLAHAN

Sat 9 Feb 7.30pm

Sonny (Martin) Maher, Gaile

Sun 10 Feb 11.00am

Peggy O' Dwyer, Tubberadora

Sun 17 Feb 11.00am

P.J. O' Connell, Kilbreedy and Cashel

PRAY FOR:

Michael Gleeson, Tipperary; **Mary Mc Inerney**, Cashel;

Patrick Quinlan, California & Cashel, interred last week.

DUALLA

Sat 9 Feb 6.30pm

Anne Curtin, Coleraine;

Sat 16 Feb 6.30pm:

Paddy & Statia O'Donnell, Gortnakellis

Jimmy Fogarty, Graunn : *Month's Mind Mass*



Mon (11 Feb) is **World Day of the Sick**, and the **memorial of Our Lady of Lourdes**.

Thursday (14 February) is the **feast of Ss Cyril** (826-69), monk, and **Methodius** (815-85), bishop, Patrons of Europe.

Fri 16 Feb is the **Worldwide Day of Prayer for Survivors and Victims of Sexual Abuse**.

HOLY COMMUNION MINISTERS (On duty next week)

BOHERLAHAN: Katie O' Dwyer; Mary Ryan (N) & Nellie Taylor

DUALLA: Marie O' Gorman & Billy Gleeson



Parish Envelopes and Annual Financial Report: The Annual Financial Report, Calendar and Collection Envelopes have been distributed to the homes of the parish. If anyone did not get this correspondence, we apologise. If you call in to the sacristy and let us know, we will rectify the situation. Our sincere and heartfelt thanks to all who contribute to our parish and to all who help in the preparation and distribution of the envelopes

Dualla Church Choir: A public meeting to form a weekly choir in Dualla was held last week in Dualla Church. The response was most encouraging, and bodes very well for the future of the choir. Musicians as well as singers are invited and encouraged to join too. An organist/keyboard player would be particularly welcome to support the singing. Guitarists and other instrument players will be greatly appreciated too. Come along to our next meeting on this **Tuesday evening (12 Feb) at 8.0pm in Dualla Church**.

New Year Resolution: Living your life as a Catholic in Ireland at this time can be challenging. The need to be educated in the faith is very important. One way to help you in this would be to read some Catholic literature. Would you consider buying *The Irish Catholic* or *The Sacred Heart Messenger*? It would be a good start. Let us know in the sacristy if you are interested.

Boherlahan-Dualla Parish Pastoral Leadership Group will meet on this Monday 11 February at the Parochial House, Boherlahan, 8.15pm.

Archdiocese of Cashel and Emly Pilgrimage to Lourdes 2019: five nights (15-20 June) fully inclusive price €745. Bookings/contact: see the poster in the church porch.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament: The times are as follows:

- **Boherlahan**, every Mon 10.00am- 12noon, 2.00pm-3.00pm; 6.00pm-8.00pm.
- **Dualla**, every Friday morning 8:45 to 9:30am
- **Acorn Lodge:** every second Thursday afternoon 2:30 to 3:30 pm

We are invited by the Lord to deepen our prayer life. Do come along and watch one hour. Let us build friendship and intimacy with Jesus. He will grant us many graces and blessings.

Boherlahan Bingo: Bingo each Monday night in Boherlahan Hall at 8.30pm. Do come along, there are great prizes. Buses serving local surrounding areas.

Boherlahan Parish Council: Meet in Boherlahan Parish Hall on Tues eve next 8pm.

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.

Remembering the Little Ones: A Liturgy to remember little children who left this life too soon and to help their parents and families to cope with the loss, will be held in St John the Baptist Church, Cashel, on next Sunday 17 February 7.30pm.

Prayer of the Sick (for World Day of Prayer for the Sick)

Lord God, you are calling us today to come to you to be forgiven, refreshed, strengthened, healed, and made new again. We answer that call and come to you. You welcome all our needs. Look into our hearts and see our deepest needs. And as long ago your compassion reached out to everyone, let it now move you once again to give us faith and hope, to forgive all our sins and to heal our pains, wounds or diseases. Amen.

CASHEL & EMLY DIOCESAN LOURDES FUND - DRAW – 1 March 2019

Tickets €20. Tickets available from : **Parish Office 062-62200/ 086-8604240**

Mary Quinn 087-7470529 / Kathleen O'Donnell; Mary Donnelly

Reflection on Christian Courage: *Isn't courage something we really admire in people? A child learning to walk and making efforts, even if he falls or she has to be helped at every step. A young person trying again after exam failure, or making yet another job application. People who make it against the odds of illness or disability or deep hurt. Courage is strength from the inside. How to nourish this strength? Just look at the face of Jesus and see the face of God alive with courage despite rejection; a face communicating strength—strength born in the depths of his suffering—strength to his friends like you and me when we suffer. We need courage in life; when the care we try to offer is rejected and we feel let down and no good. We need courage when we try to work on behalf of those who are neglected, homeless, poor, and our efforts are destroyed by greed in society. We need courage in the love which cares for people in pain, and we feel helpless and angry on their behalf. Look at the face of Jesus, alive and shining with courage; look at the eyes of Jesus, eyes hopeful with love and friendship, shining with compassion, for you and me; an enduring love which is faithful forever. His endurance won him victory even over death; he will ensure that our endurance will win us ours.*