

BOHERLAHAN & DUALLA NEWSLETTER

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We remember in prayer:

BOHERLAHAN

Sat 18 May 7.30pm
Mon 19 May 7.30pm

Christopher Croke, Regaile
Andy & Patti Fitzgerald, St Joseph's Ave. & their
granddaughter **Amber Heffernan**; also for **Lawrence and Mary
Devane**, Lr. Nodstown



Sun 26 May 11.00am

Timmy Hyde, Camas

Pray for: Fr Noel O' Connor SCA, New Inn and Pallottine Fathers, who was interred last week.

DUALLA

Sat 18 May 6.30pm
Sun 26 May 9.30am

Frank La Flamme, Garryard and his mother **Kathleen
John Walsh**, Ballinree

Fri 24 May: World Day Of Prayer For The Church In China. See the prayer to our Lady of Sheshan below.

HOLY COMMUNION MINISTERS (On duty next week)

BOHERLAHAN:

Mary Coman; Anne Flanagan; Katie O Dwyer.

DUALLA:

Julie Ann Ryan; Marion Gleeson



First Holy Communion was celebrated at Our Lady of Fatima Church, Dualla, on Saturday. Twenty pupils from Little Flower NS, Ballytarnsa, and Dualla NS received the Eucharist for the first time. Sincerest congratulations and prayerful good wishes to the boys and girls, their families, teachers and schools on this important moment in the lives of all concerned. Next Saturday morning the children from Scoil San Isadóir will celebrate their First Holy Communion in Immaculate Conception Church, Boherlahan at 11.00am. We thank the teachers, parents and all who helped in their preparation.

Easter Holy Water: We invite you to continue the good tradition of taking home Easter Water and sprinkling it on the houses and land. This Easter may God bless all our homes and our daily work.

Diocesan Listening Process: We had a very successful gathering of the Deanery representatives on last Thursday evening in Holycross. We now continue to advance the Listening Process and form plans for later in the year.

Ardmayle May Novena for the Dead: Sun 19 - Mon 27 May at 7.00pm each evening.

Pilgrimage to Lough Derg: Cashel and Emly three days (See Church Poster for details).

Visitation of the Sick: Hospitals and nursing homes are no longer permitted to provide a list of parishioners who are their patients or residents. This is due to the new law called General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR). If you have a family member in a hospital or nursing home who would like a visit from a priest, please contact either priest of the parish (see telephone numbers at the top of the newsletter).

Marriage Congratulations: We rejoice with and congratulate the following who were married in recent times. Michael McGrath, Thurles and Michelle Lee, U.S.A.; Thomas Howard, Lr. Nodstown and Tarin Schultz, Canada; Emmanuel Sauvage and Theresa Lawrence, Lios Dubhaile; Leonie Dwyer, Ballytarnsa and Fergus Keegan, Westmeath; Liam Moloney, Ballytarnsa and Noirin Kelly, Lattin; Robert Campion, Killenaule and Yvonne Ryan, Ballytarnsa; Philip Thornton, Ballyheens and Eavan Ryan, Dundrum; Dearbhaile Maher Farnavarra and Pdraig Hayes, Cahervillahow.

The Annual Padre Pio National Pilgrimage at Holycross Abbey takes place on Sunday 26 May beginning at 1.30pm with recitation of the Rosary, Stations of the Cross, Anointing of the Sick and concelebrated Mass at 3pm. Tel 0504 43124 or hbparishoffice@gmail.com

National Catholic Charismatic Renewal Conference: RDS Ballsbridge, Dublin on Saturday 22 June (10.00am - 8.00pm). Speakers: Jean-Luc Moens and Rev. Ruth Patterson. Further Information Sr Bridget Dunne 021-4251100 or nscireland1@gmail.com. Website www.ccreland.org

The Ardmayle Heritage Society will walk the Kilbreedy road on Thursday evening May 23. This will be a walk and talk lead by Peter Meskell. Assemble at the church in Ardmayle at 7pm. All are welcome.

Comedy Dinner Theatre featuring Liam Ó Maoldhomnaigh & Karen O'Connor at Brian Ború Bar, Cashel on Friday 24 & 31 May. Ticket including dinner €25. Booking in advance please at 062-63381

Dualla Village Preschool : Would like to remind parishioners that enrolment for our 2019/2020 ECCE preschool year is open. We will be operating from our brand new facility at the community field. Please contact 087-1902184. Limited spaces available.

A Prayer for the Easter Season

Risen Lord, help us to remember that you are with us in every time of perplexity to guide and to direct; that you are with us in every time of sorrow to comfort and console; that you are with us in every time of temptation to strengthen and to inspire; that you are with us in every time of loneliness to cheer and befriend; that you are with us even in death to bring us to the glory of your side. Make us to be certain that there is nothing in time or in eternity which can separate us from you, so that in your presence we may meet life with gallantry and death without fear. You turn our darkness into light, in your light we shall see light. Lord in your mercy, hear our prayer. Christ the Lord is risen today! Alleluia.

Prayer of Pope Benedict to Our Lady of Sheshan (the Marian shrine at Shanghai, China)

Our Lady of Sheshan, sustain all those in China who, Amid their daily trials, continue to believe, to hope, to love. May they never be afraid to speak of Jesus to the world, And of the world to Jesus.

In the statue overlooking the Shrine you lift your Son on high, Offering him to the world with open arms in a gesture of love. Help Catholics always to be credible witnesses to this love, Ever clinging to the rock of Peter on which the Church is built. Mother of China and all Asia, pray for us, now and for ever. Amen...



After the resurrection Mary and the apostles met Jesus in a new way. They did not recognise him. Their eventual recognition of him was more in his gift of consoling them, in familiar gestures like the breaking of bread and explaining the Scriptures. Consider the consolation which Christ gives to his disciples, and compare how friends are accustomed to consoling friends. From their place in heaven our dead share with us something of the consoling grace of the Risen Lord Jesus. Sunday is, in fact, a mini Easter!

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.

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

