BOHERLAHAN & DUALLA NEWSLETTER

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We remember in prayer:	BOHERLAHAN
Sat 31 Aug 7.30pm	Denis O' Dwyer, Kilbreedy
Sun 1 Sept 11.00am	Br Patrick Ryan (Mason), Ballyroe and Nenagh
Thu 5 Sept 9.00am	Patrick O' Dwyer, Thurlesbeg & Dublin
Sun 8 Sept 11.00am	Mary Donnelly, Nodstown (Month's Mind);
	Michael & Sarah, John & Michael Connors, Thurlesbeg
Mon 9 Sept 7.30pm	Fr Patrick Maher, Freighduff
PRAY FOR: Jack Crowe, Dundrum, who was interred last week.	
	DUALLA
Sat 31 Aug 6.30pm	Jimmy O' Gorman, Ballinure
Sat 7 Sept 6.30pm	John & Bridget Bergin, Grallagh, & daughters Bernie &
Tricia; Eamon Quinlan, Ballykelly	

Today is **World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation.** The theme has been evident in the writings and speeches of Pope Francis since the beginning of the pontificate. Let us all play our part in caring for the world we live in.

Tue 3 Sept is the feast of **St Gregory the Great** (540-604), pope and doctor of the Church. A promoter of plainchant in the Church's music, widely honoured as a patron of musicians.

In today's Gospel we hear that 'All those who exalt themselves will be humbled and those who humble themselves will be exalted.' Our Listening Process identified that Pope Francis has generated much positivity in his humility and one parishioner said, 'The Church should practice humility and openness' (p. 32 Diocesan Listening Report). How best can we move forward in humility and openness?

HOLY COMMUNION MINISTERS (On duty next week) BOHERLAHAN: Aidan Ó Gormáin; Nora Moloney & Pat Maher DUALLA: Julie Ann Ryan; Marion Gleeson



First Friday: Friday 6 September is the First Friday. Fr. Egan and Fr. Dunne will make the usual calls to the sick and the housebound. Mass and confessions at the usual times.

St Joseph's Young Priests' Society: Monthly meeting on Tue 3 Sept after 9.30am Mass in Dualla. All welcome. **Adoration** in Acorn Lodge will take place on Thurs 5 &19 Sept from 2.30 to 3.30pm. Please come along to spend some time in the presence of the Lord.

Our Lady of Fatima National Pilgrimage: Sun 1 Sept at Holy Cross Abbey. Ceremonies commence at 2pm, with Mass at 4pm.

Date for your Diary: Lourdes Pilgrimage Sat 13June - Thurs 18 June 2020.

Sick and Housebound: If any member of your family or a neighbour would like to be included in the priests' monthly visits for the sacraments, please contact either priest of the parish (see telephone numbers at top of newsletter).

Shanahan-Quinlan Mission Outreach Fund: A Mission Outreach Fund has been established in the Archdiocese. The Fund is named after two famous Irish Missionaries of the 20th century who hail from the Archdiocese: Bishop Joseph Shanahan and Bishop Thomas Quinlan, both natives of the parish of Borrisoleigh. The aim of the Fund is to help missionaries from the diocese and elsewhere, working on mission anywhere in the world. The Fund aims to provide small grants to assist with church projects. All contributions to be sent to Diocesan Office, Archbishop`s House, Thurles, made payable to the "Archdiocese of Cashel and Emly Mission Outreach Fund".

Vocations To Priesthood/Religious Life: "Woman, you have great faith." It takes faith to hear God's call in our lives. His call can take us on unexpected paths of deeper trust and love. Is God calling you to life as priest? Contact: Fr Joe Walsh 086-7714888

Solemn Novena in honour of Our Lady of Perpetual Help: Holycross Abbey 8-16 Sept.

Altar Servers: A number of Altar Servers have completed their term of duty. We thank them for their dedication and loyalty. We wish them well as they move on to new pastures in secondary school. We now invite a new group to come along and join the existing servers The Altar Servers play an important role in our parish and in doing so they develop their own confidence and leadership qualities. We truly appreciate all the parents for their cooperation, support and encouragement.

Boherlahan-Dualla Parish Pastoral Leadership Group: Meet Mon 9 Sept, 8.15pm

School Reopening: Dualla National School: Mon 2 Sept. The other two schools have opened. We wish all involved in the work in our schools continued success during the coming year. We appreciate the significant contribution you make to the wellbeing and development of the children of the parish.

Community Website: www.boherlahandualla.ie. Contact editor@boherlahan.ie for information or to submit content. Articles and photographs always welcome.

Dualla Show: Sincere thanks to all helpers, sponsors and volunteers for making last Sunday's Show a wonderful spectacle and an enjoyable experience.

Cashel Arts Festival: Sept 19-22. Poetry compositions are invited on the theme *Celebrating* 700 years of the Walls of Cashel. Selected poems published later. See parish website.

Solidarity: We know that God will ask each of us, "What did you do for your brother? (cf. Genesis 4:9-10). The globalization of indifference, which today burdens the lives of so many of our brothers and sisters requires all of us to forge a new worldwide solidarity and fraternity capable of giving them new hope and helping them to advance with courage amid the problems of our time and the new horizons which they disclose and which God places in our hands.

Called to Faith: O Lord, call us by name and help us to see our need for a true and lasting faith. May our trust in you and in your promises lead others to trust your goodness. Let your mercy heal our broken world, may there be peace and consolation in all our hearts. Direct us in the ways of faith. May belief in your name spread from our homes and our schools that all may come to believe. May our deeds find their inspiration in you, that your love can reach out to touch the hearts of everyone. Amen.