***Offertory Donations***

***Weekend 10th/11th:***



*Bohola:*

 €770.

*Straide:*

Envelopes - €134.

Loose – €59.30.

Restoration Fund - €45.

 *Thanks for your generosity to both the Offertory and to the priest’s Harvest collection.*

**Bohola/Straide/Shraheens Newsletter**

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**25th Sunday in Ordinary Time – 18th September 2022**

###### Masses for the Week

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| **Saturday, September 17th.** | **8.00pmVigil *Straide*** | **Martin Walsh (5th Anniv.), his wife, Marian, brothers Joe & Tommy, sisters Philomena & Mary and all deceased of Lavelle & Walsh families, Ballylahan/Westport.** |
| **Sunday, September 18th.** | **9.30am*\* Shraheens*****11.00am*\* Bohola*** | **Bridie Lavelle, Bohomore.****Elizabeth (Libby) Moriarty (1st Anniversary).** |
| **Monday, September 19th.** | **10.00am *Straide*** | **For all the People.** |
| **Tuesday, September 20th.** |  | **No Mass.** |
| **Wednesday, September 21st.** | **10.00am****7.00 – 9.00pm** | **Private Intention………(*Adoration follows until 11.30am)*****Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.** |
| **Thursday, September 22nd.** | **10.00am *Straide*** | **Private Intention.** |
| **Friday, September 23rd.** | **8.00pm**  | **Private Intention.** |
| **Saturday, September 24th.** | **8.00pmVigil *Straide*** | **For all the People.** |
| **Sunday, September 25th.** | **9.30am*\* Shraheens*****11.00am*\* Bohola*** | **Teresa O’Brien, Tavanaughkanaffe, (2nd Anniversary).****George (John) Aitken, Barleyhill and Dromintee; and deceased members of the Aitken, Phillips and Mulholland families.****Mary Ivers, Althbawn.** |
| ***The Bohola weekend Mass will be live-streamed on the Bohola Post Facebook Page every weekend.******Any other Bohola Masses are put online when requested. (Marked with \* above)******All Bohola Masses will be broadcast on the 105.5 FM Radio channel.******All Straide Masses will be live-streamed on www.straideparish.com or www.churchtv.ie/straide.*** |

***Recent Deaths:*** Your prayers are requested for the happy repose of the soul of *Carmel O’Brien*, Boleyard, who died on Sunday last, September 11th and whose funeral Mass was celebrated in Bohola on Wednesday followed by a private cremation service on Thursday. May she rest in peace.

Your prayers are also requested for the happy repose of the soul of *Mary Tuohy (née Rochford)*, Feakle, Co Clare, who died on Friday, September 9th and whose funeral took place in Feakle on Monday last. She was the sister of Bridget McGeever, Carragolda. May she rest in peace.

***Straide Pastoral Council:*** The election campaign is ongoing! You will find information on the nature and aims of a Pastoral Council on the back of the one page missalette in Straide. You will also find a nomination /voting slip at the back of the church. Please consider putting your own name forward or nominating someone you think would be suitable to serve on the Council. If nominating another person, please check with them first that they are willing to let their name go forward. Nominations will close next Sunday, **September 25th**. Canvassing won’t disqualify!

***Monastic Experience Day at the Poor Clares Galway:*** The Poor Clares, Galway are hosting a Monastic Experience Day on Saturday, September 24th from 10am to 5pm. The day is designed to help young women who are exploring the possibility of a religious vocation to find out more about the Poor Clare way of life. If you are under 40 and would like to attend the day you can book a place at: *vocations@poorclares.ie*.

***Reflection Day at Holy Hill, Saturday, October 8th:*** It's time to get grounded! Join us for a Day of Reflection at Holy Hill Hermitage, Skreen, Co Sligo on Saturday, October 8th from 10:30am to 4:30pm. The theme will be "Resonating with the Word". One of our strengths in these times is gathering together to grow spiritually. "There you will show me what my soul is seeking." A simple lunch will be served. Donations welcome. Come for all or part of the day. All are welcome.

To register, email *friendsofcarmeholyhill@gmail.com*. Details are also on church notice-boards.

***Anam Cara Mayo***, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Parent Evening on Tuesday, 27th September at 7:15pm in the T.F. Royal Hotel, Castlebar. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not. We now also offer an online support service. Please contact us on *info@anamcara.ie* or *085-2888888* for any queries. For more information see [*anamcara.ie*](http://anamcara.ie/).

***Free Draw - Win a Trip to Medjugorje with the Irish Centre:*** For more details go to our website [*www.med-irishcentre.com*](http://www.med-irishcentre.com/), telephone *01-4434510* or email *reservations@med-irishcentre.com*.

***Coffee Morning & Bake Sale in Aid of Mayo Roscommon Hospice*** will take place on Thursday next, 22nd September in Bohola Community Centre from 10.00am to 2.00pm. Please come along and support this worthy cause. All are welcome. Any queries, contact Vera on *087-6401155*.

***Pencil & Paint Art Classes in Straide Community Hall*** begin on Monday, 26th September at 7pm. Adult Classes, no experience required. Just 14 places available. To book, contact *087-6883880* or email *scdg16@gmail.com*. Funded by Mayo, Sligo & Leitrim Education & Training Board. €5 donation to cover costs would be appreciated

***Moy Davitts 50/50 Draw:*** Congratulations to Pat Cunningham who won a jackpot of €510 in the Moy Davitts 50/50 draw last Saturday. A huge thank you to everyone who supported last week's draw, it is greatly appreciated. Tickets are available in the usual retail outlets and by clicking [*https://smartlotto.ie/Bohola-moy-davitts*](https://l.facebook.com/l.php?u=https%3A%2F%2Fsmartlotto.ie%2FBohola-moy-davitts%3Ffbclid%3DIwAR2-SMSQVJnLPM1gbMk8VYcVq5QSNWsE5b18UD-SHwPhuifGrX08SNDlJc8&h=AT0MiLZlj4q4DBPOl03vVXSokuVERXZawyK8tGPOdkMD6iUtbbGAIDrP1wUMXoHHwBpf8OCfEYLll7lUaWyYzni7elqLyyDX1hxrkiRT4iLddt75pWrUPCYemDN43SvOspaI&__tn__=-UK-R&c%5b0%5d=AT1bnP92vRmesJAH-zh16Oyc956taFyWxM0_3VLfj4QSf9SmpZw5cpQ61Vc5tvJdChYPj7SPty0LDMmT-1CuL0y1Dj6Ia-SpXR1Lif8cNpBMb3zmcNd83NlOLtCy4LEd6sxibGw9D72uG7DGqfgmtrvFR5ZcIPXTwnc_aJIQcIYHHlU6GWM4y_sHX7uH).

***Health, Weight & Wellness*** is a weekly online programme every Tuesday at 8pm. FREE September Programme. For enquiries, contact Mary Lally on *087-2764539*.

***Fitness Circuit Classes*** with Ciara every Monday at 7pm in Louisville, Kiltimagh, F12T1H2. Limited spaces. Booking is essential so please call *086-2188068* to secure your place.

***New Pilgrim Path Website of the Week, September 18th:*** *Season of Creation - Listen to the Cry of the Earth ….* The Season of Creation is marked throughout the Christian world from 1st September to 4th October. In this Season of Creation, we are called upon to listen to the voice of creation, to the voices of those who suffer the impacts of climate change, to the voices of those who hold generational wisdom about how to live gratefully within the limits of the land. These are voices of the Earth. The global Christian family is called to awaken to the urgent need to heal our relationships with creation and with each other and to encourage our parish communities to do the same, “for we know that things can change!” (Laudato Si’, 13).

New Pilgrim Path has some beautiful and inspiring resources to help us listen more closely to the cry of the Earth. Access them at [***www.newpilgrimpath.ie***](http://www.newpilgrimpath.ie).

***Market @ the Plaza Christmas 2022:*** Knock Christmas Market will be held on Saturday, 10th and Sunday 11th December at Pope Francis Plaza, Knock from 10am to 4pm. Always a great event with beautifully hand-crafted gifts made by local crafters from the west of Ireland. Ideally located adjacent to Knock Shrine, with great restaurants and gift shops close by. Wheelchair accessible, free car park and toilet facilities will be available. A wonderful day for all the family to enjoy.

*Market @ the Plaza* takes place on the last Sunday of the month, next market date is Sunday, 25th September.

If you would like to take part in our market please contact Leonie on *086-8486924* or email *leoniekilroy@gmail.com*. Follow us on Instagram & Facebook @ Knock Market & Events.

***Autumn 2022 Night Classes Mayo College of Further Education, Westport and Castlebar:*** Classes commence on the week of the 3rd October for both Certified and Hobby courses in Westport and Castlebar. Detailed information and signup on *www.mayocollege.ie* in the night class section.

***Transition to Adult Services in County Mayo:*** An Information Fair for young people with a disability and their families will take place on Wednesday, 26th October from 12:00 noon to 3:00pm in Breaffy House Resort, Castlebar.

***Castlebar VTOS (MSLETB) Places Available:*** Students may study for a range of Courses/Awards all certified by QQI Level 5: Culture and Heritage, Business Administration, Language and European Studies, Tourism and Business Studies, (ECDL) (European Computer Driving Licence), Apprenticeship Preparation, Health and Fitness, Health and Safety at Work also on offer. Email: *pauladonnellan@msletb.ie* for further information.

***FREE Computer Course Now Enrolling!*** Are you out of work and interested in gaining a wide variety of Computer Skills that will enable you to return to the workplace? You can gain a QQI level 5 qualification and ICDL Certificate. If so, you could be entitled to free training at National Learning Network. Participants are provided with laptops for the duration of the course. The course is a blend of centre and home-based learning. If you are interested, please contact Sharon Allen on *087-2909064* or email *sharon.allen@nln.ie*.

***Free Online Living Well Programme:*** The next programme begins on *Tuesday 20th September (10.30am to 1.00pm)*. Programmes also begin on *October 6th, 12th and 26th* and on *November 2nd and 4th*. Limited places. This is a six-week free online group programme delivered by trained leaders, most of whom are also living with a long-term health condition. You must register in advance as places are limited to 10/12 participants. Please note, you do not have to disclose your health condition on the programme. Please contact Liam Gildea on *086-0142675* or by email at *lgildea@southmayo.com*. You can find out more information on the programme on our website: [*www.hse.ie/livingwell*](http://www.hse.ie/livingwell).

***Mayo Cancer Support*** provides FREE support services to those affected by cancer. Call *(094) 9038407*.

***GROW Meetings:*** GROW is a self-help group helping people suffering from depression, stress, anxiety, panic attacks, loneliness, shyness etc. Meetings are held every Tuesday night at 8.00pm in Ballina Community Centre. All welcome.

***North West STOP*** offers a *free counselling* service with no waiting lists. Call or text *086-7772009* to arrange an appointment.

***Shopping with your husband is like hunting with the game warden!***