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Sunday 26th: €855.



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**Bohola/Shraheens Newsletter**

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**14th Sunday in Ordinary Time – 3rd July 2022**

###### Masses for the Week

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| **Saturday, July 2nd.** | **8.00pm*\** Vigil** | **Michael & Josephine Manley, their son Tommy & his wife, Maimie, daughter Mary Harte, son Martin and grandson, Dermot.** |
| **Sunday, July 3rd.** | **9.30am  *Shraheens*****11.30am*\* Bohola*** | **For all the People.****Mary Lavin Dunleavy, Altinea.** |
| ***No Mass on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday or Friday this week – Fr. O’Mahony on holidays.*** |
| **Wednesday, July 6th.** | **10.30 – 11.30am****7.00 – 9.00pm** | **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.****Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.** |
| **Thursday, July 7th.** | **11.00am*\**** | **Funeral Mass of Colin Hornsby.** |
| **Saturday, July 9th.** | **8.00pm Vigil** | **Annie & Martin Groarke, Ballyglass and deceased family.** |
| **Sunday, July 10th.** | **9.30am  *Shraheens*****11.30am*\* Bohola*** | **Private Intention.****For all the People.** |
| ***The 11.30am Sunday Mass will be live-streamed on the Bohola Post Facebook Page every Sunday.******Any other Masses are put online when requested. (Marked with \* above)******All Bohola Masses will be broadcast on the 105.5 FM Radio channel.*** |

***Recent Deaths:*** Please pray for the happy repose of the soul of *Colin Leonard Hornsby*, Breaffy Road, Castlebar and formerly of Carroward and Scunthorpe, UK, who died on Tuesday last, June 28th. His remains will repose in Kilcoyne's Funeral Home, Thomas Street, Castlebar on Wednesday next from 7.00pm to 8.00pm. Removal from the Funeral Home on Thursday 7th July at 10.15am, arriving in Bohola for his Funeral Mass at 11.00am, followed by cremation in Shannon Crematorium. May he rest in peace.

Your prayers are also requested for the happy repose of the soul of *Richard Mountney* who died suddenly in Preston on Friday last, July 1st. Funeral arrangements later. May he rest in peace.

***Baptism:*** On Saturday last, June 25th, we were delighted to welcome *Bonnie Ann McNicholas*, Mascot, New South Wales, Australia, into God’s family. Congratulations to her parents, Jonathan (Shanaghy) and Keely (Sydney), her godparents and wider family circle and we wish them every blessing for the future.

***Wedding Bells!*** Heartiest congratulations to *James Byrne*, Carrowkeel and *Tina Melody*, Foxford, who were married in Belleek Castle on Saturday last, June 25th. We wish them a long and happy life together.

***Holidays!*** Fr. O’Mahony will be away on holidays until July 22nd. Hopefully there will be no need but in case of emergency please contact Swinford *(087-1338200)*, Fr. Convey, Straide *(094-9031029)* or Fr. Quinn, Kiltimagh *(094-9381198 / 087-9082342)*.

***Welcome to the Table:*** This is a day of celebration for young people (18-30) in the diocese of Achonry. It will be a time to celebrate faith and life with other young people in a welcoming and joyful atmosphere. There will be an opportunity to hear how one sports star – Andy Moran – combines sport, work and faith. You will have time to respond to what he has to say. There will be a Mass, celebrated by Bishop Paul Dempsey. This will be followed by a barbecue and live musical entertainment.

This will all happen at St Nathy’s College, Ballaghaderreen, F45 V122, on **July 17th beginning at 5.00 pm**. Please register on Eventbrite by scanning the QR code alongside. Further details can be found at this link: [*https://achonrydiocese.org/youthministry*](https://achonrydiocese.org/youthministry). There are links to other proposed events as well.

***Youth Gathering Choir:*** In preparation for the Diocesan Youth Gathering which will take place on 17th July, there will be a choir practice for the Mass to be celebrated that evening. The practice will be from *8pm to 10pm* in the Oratory, St Nathy’s College on **this Monday evening, 4th July**. Singers and musicians from across the diocese welcome. Younger singers and musicians especially welcome.

***Father Peyton Centre Notice:*** The Father Peyton Centre recently opened an Information Hub in Knock village close to the old church called *‘Mission of Father Patrick Peyton CSC’*. They are looking for volunteers to help out in the centre so if you would be willing to assist, please call the Centre on *096-45374*.

***Priesthood in Achonry Diocese:*** The Lord asked his disciples to "Pray the Lord of the harvest to send labourers into his harvest" (Mt 9:38; Lk 10:2). Have you the courage to respond to God’s call? Contact our Vocations Director, **Fr Paul Kivlehan, The Presbytery, Ballaghaderreen, Co. Roscommon. Tel. *094-9860011*, Mobile *087-3683535*, E-mail** ***pkivlehan@achonrydiocese.org***or contact any local priest for more information.

***Martin Sheridan/Western People Bursary Awards 2022:*** Congratulations to the following winners of this year's bursary awards: Niall Mc Loughlin, Barrick Hill, Newport for Cycling (€3000), Rebecca McGrath, Ballyjennings Stables, Ballinrobe for Horse riding/Dressage (€1,000) and Eoghan Jennings, Cloghan, Westport for Tennis (€1,000).

The awards were presented by Councillor Michael Smyth, Cathaoirleach of Mayo County Council, at a ceremony in the Community Centre on Tuesday last, 28th June. Our thanks to Mayo County Council, the Western People, the adjudicators and the local committee who made all this possible. We wish all our young sports stars every success in their future endeavours.

***Save Our Communities / Save Our Schemes:*** You are invited to attend a public meeting regarding the national crisis our rural social schemes (RSS) and Tús schemes are currently facing. It takes place this **Monday, 4th July at 7pm in the TF Royal Hotel & Theatre, Castlebar**.

Mayo North East Leader Partnership and South West Mayo Development Company’s RSS and Tús Supervisors will host this public meeting and we invite you to attend to get an understanding of the deepening crisis we face with all our schemes across the county. We have very serious concerns about the sustainability of all these schemes and our ability to continue to support our local community groups who without the schemes support, would most certainly struggle to maintain their facilities and services. Indeed, many key rural services would cease completely. At the heart of the problem is the lack of government funding and meaningful engagement to address critical issues, some of which can be solved without any cost to the government and would serve to make our schemes more effective.

Please attend and show your support not just for our RSS and Tús schemes but all the community organisations we support on a daily basis.

***We wish Ronan, the Mayo Minor Team and management every success in their quest for All-Ireland glory on Friday evening next***

 ***(Mayo V Galway, Hyde Park, Roscommon, Friday 8th July at 7.15pm)***

***Moy Davitts 50/50 Draw:*** Congratulations to Tommy Guilfoyle who won a jackpot of €480 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).

***New Pilgrim Path Website of the Week, July 3rd:*** *Meditative Music from Taizé ….* Taizé in France is an ecumenical monastic community comprising over 100 brothers from Catholic and Protestant traditions. It welcomes visitors from across the world and has become one of the world's most important sites of ecumenical Christian pilgrimage, with a focus on youth. Over 100,000 young people from around the world make pilgrimages to Taizé each year for prayer, Bible study, sharing, and communal work.

The Taizé chant is a form of contemporary liturgical song. It uses repetitive structures that can easily be memorized, along with other parts for solo voices, choirs, and instruments. Its very simplicity brings immense peace and calmness. Even those who may not believe in the religious element of the music would not be able to deny its beauty. It is a valuable aid to meditation and prayer, whether individual or communal. Listen to an hour of music from Taizé at: [***www.newpilgrimpath.ie***](http://www.newpilgrimpath.ie).

***Interested in the Synodal Process?*** In building hope in our Church and for our World? Why not consider a postgraduate course in theology? The Loyola Institute of Theology at Trinity College will challenge, form and inform you. Now is the time to take the opportunity to become a more informed member of our Christian community. Check out our website for details of courses available and for scholarships offered: [*https://www.tcd.ie/loyola-institute/*](https://www.tcd.ie/loyola-institute/). If you would like to discuss possibilities please email Fáinche Ryan at *faryan@tcd.ie* or *kirwanm6@tcd.ie*.

***Home Instead*** provides Home Help to the elderly in their homes safely and happily. They are actively recruiting Caregivers throughout Co Mayo but particularly in the following locations: Louisburgh, Westport, Swinford, Ballinrobe, Cong, Shrule, Kilmaine, Ballyhaunis, Ballina, Castlebar, Knock, Kiltimagh, Foxford, Knockmore, Partry, Ballintubber, Belmullet, Kincon, Crossmolina and Killala.

For further information please email *info.mayo@homeinstead.ie* or phone the office on *094-9044785***.**

***Mayo Recovery College:*** The Mayo Recovery College are facilitating their free Summer Sessions every Wednesday in July from 10am to 1pm in the Atlantic Technological University, Castlebar. Anyone with an interest in mental health and wellbeing is very welcome to attend any/all dates. Call/text *086-0294901* or email *karen@mentalhealthireland.ie*. See also [*www.recoverycollegewest.ie*](http://www.recoverycollegewest.ie/).

***Mayo Tutorial School Irish Course:*** Leaving Certificate Irish preparatory & revision courses in Gaelscoil Raifteirí, Castlebar from 25th to 29th July. Call *087-1179280* or email *mayotutorialschool@gmail.com* for more information.

***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.

***Hey kids, why don’t you try a new social networking tool?....It’s called ‘outside’!***