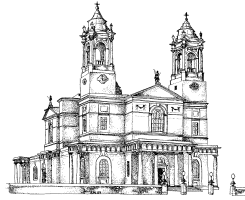
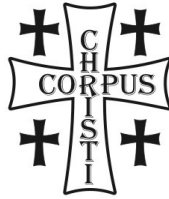


SS. PETER & PAUL'S CHURCH - MASS INTENTIONS 8TH TO 15TH JULY

Saturday:	6:30 pm	Martha Derwin 1st Anniv
Sunday:	9:00 am	People of the Parish
	10:30 am	Alice Corrigan
	12 Noon	Annie & Frank Dunleavey
Monday:	9:30 am.	Michael Duignan
	7:30 pm	Nora & Jimmy O Connor, Patrick Nestor, Kathleen James Anthony & Dan O Sullivan
Tuesday:	7:30 am	Mass in Divine Master Sisters, Oratory
	9:30 am	
Wednesday:	9:30 am	Michael Shine
Thursday:	7:30 am	<i>Mass in Divine Master Sisters, Oratory</i>
	9:30 am	Tommy Duignan
Friday:	9:30 am	
	7:30 pm	Malcolm Biggs, Brendan Beirne, Jim Bell, Anne Ward
Saturday:	9:30 am	Paddy Darcy (Jnr)
	6:30 pm	Joe Kelly,
Sunday:	9:00 am	People of the Parish
	10:30 am	Jimmy O Brien
	12 Noon	Jim Coffrey, Anne, Terry & Charlotte Whelan



Rota's - Ss Peters & Pauls

New Rotas For Eucharistic & Readers available in the Sacristy

A Scriptural Thought

Remember the scripture about Lot's wife, who looked back and turned into a pillar of salt? She had nothing on the priest who looked back while driving and turned into a light pole!



Thank you

Thank you for your continued support of the Bell Circle and weekly collection

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday 8th July 2018

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Mass Times & Intentions - St Brigid's Church - Drum

Sat. 7th. 8 p.m. Joe & Mary Harney, Rockfield.
Sun. 8th. 10 a.m. Gloria Walshe, Crannaghbeg.
Fri. 13th. 7 p.m. Martin & Mary McManus, Drumlosh.
Sat. 14th. 8 p.m. Patrick Seery, Clonellan.
Sun. 15th. 10 a.m. Mary & Tom Hynes, Johnstown. , deceased family members.



Mass Intentions - Clonown

Sun. 8th. 11.15 a.m. Johnny & May Harney, John & Nell Salmon. Ballinaculla.
Sat. 14th. 12 noon Annie O'Boyle, St. Comans Park. Month's Mind.
Sun. 15th. at 11.15 a.m. Jimmy Dunning & sister Maureen. Newrow.



There is a long list of threats around us:

- Terror
- Cancer
- Killing others unlike us in all their variety
- Loneliness
- Shame
- Death



The list goes on and we know it well.

And in the midst of threat of every kind

You appear among us in your full power,
In your deep fidelity,
In your amazing compassion

You speak among us the one word, that could matter;
"Do not fear"



And we in our several fearfulness, are jarred by your utterance.

On a good day, we know that your sovereign word is true.
So give us good days by your rule,

- Free enough to rejoice,
- Open enough to change,
- Trusting enough to move out of new obedience,
- Grace enough to be forgiven and then to forgive.



We live by your word.
Speak it to us through the night,
that we may have many good days through your gift.

Recent Deaths

We remember in prayer those who were laid to rest in past week, Sr Angela Forde, Battery Heights, Catriona Meehan (Nee Nichlson) Liberty, Ballydangan, Kathleen Mc Cormack, College Park.

Date for your Diary

Annual Mass of the Angels will take place on Wednesday August 22nd in Ss Peter and Paul's Church at 7.30pm . More details nearer the time.

Art Class

Location- Cornafulla Dates- MON 16th July- FRI 20th Time- Class A 10am-12noon, Age group - A 5yrs - 9yrs Class B 2pm - 4pm, Age group B 10yrs-13yrs, Cost- 50 euro per child. Contact details (please text) Emma Rock 085 8323 262

Drum Community Care Fundraising Night:

Country Music Night in Athlone Springs on July 14th commencing at 10pm. Admission €5. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

Annual Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock

The Annual Elphin Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock will take place on Sunday 19th August. Bishop Kevin will celebrate Mass at 3pm in Knock Basilica, with Anointing of the Sick at 2.30pm

Medjugorje Pilgrimage:

Youth week pilgrimage to Medjugorje August 1-8th 2018. Limited places. A week of powerful encounters, prayer music, testimonies and fun. For further enquiries contact Lisa 087 6274621 or Angela 089 2107277

The Irish Cancer Society

Needs an extra 15 drivers for our Volunteer Driver Service in Westmeath to drive cancer patients to and from their chemotherapy appointments in the following hospitals – the Mater; St. James's; St. Vincent's and Tallaght. We are looking for drivers with free weekday availability and who have a car available to them. Drivers should be able to commit to driving at least two full (week)days a month. All volunteer expenses are paid. If you would like to volunteer, please call Laura on 01 2310 594, email transport@irishcancer.ie for an application form.

Elphin Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes:

Church Gate collection in aid of the assisted pilgrims section will be taken up on the 30th June and 1st. July. This year 60 assisted pilgrims from the diocese will travel to Lourdes. The money collected will be used to defray the costs of this section of the pilgrimage. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

The Lighter side of Life

A gal from the city asked an old farmer, "which is grammatically correct: to say a hen is "setting" or "sitting?" The farmer replied, "I guess I don't know that one, miss, and it really don't interest me none, what does interest me, when I hear a hen cackle is if she's "laying" or "lying!"



The Doctor put a stethoscope to the patients chest. The patient said "Doc, how do I stand?"

The doctor replies "That's what puzzles me"