

# Bohola/Straide/Shraheens Newsletter

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33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time – 13<sup>th</sup> November 2022



## Masses for the Week

Saturday, November 12 <sup>th</sup> .	12 noon* 7.00pm Vigil <b>Straide</b>	Funeral Mass of Micheál Walsh, Ardacarra. <b>Michael Bourke, Grallagh (4<sup>th</sup> Anniversary).</b> <b>Michael &amp; Annie Mary McKeon, Redhill and sons, Padraic &amp; Peter.</b> <b>First Communion Grow in Love.</b>
Sunday, November 13 <sup>th</sup> .	9.30am <i>Shraheens</i> 11.00am* <i>Bohola</i>  12.30am <b>Straide</b>	For all the People. James Tierney, Ardgullen, his wife, Eileen & Tommy Quinn. John Kelly, Lismirrane & London. First Communion Grow in Love. <b>Prayers at the War Dead Memorial.</b>
Monday, November 14 <sup>th</sup> .	11.00am* 8.00pm <b>Straide</b>	Funeral Mass of Ann Tallott (née O'Brien). <b>Service of Remembrance of the Dead &amp; Prayers for the Bereaved.</b>
Tuesday, November 15 <sup>th</sup> .		No Mass.
Wednesday, November 16 <sup>th</sup> .	10.00am <b>Straide</b> 10.30 – 11.30am 7.00 – 9.00pm	<b>Holy Souls.</b> Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.
Thursday, November 17 <sup>th</sup> .	10.00am <b>Straide</b>	<b>Holy Souls.</b>
Friday, November 18 <sup>th</sup> .	8.00pm*	<b>Holy Souls (Light a Candle).</b>
Saturday, November 19 <sup>th</sup> .	7.00pm Vigil <b>Straide</b>	<b>For all the People. (Followed by Rosary in Cemetery)</b>
Sunday, November 20 <sup>th</sup> .	9.30am <i>Shraheens</i> 11.00am* <i>Bohola</i>	Margaret & Patrick Carney. Kieran Howley, Carragolda.
<p><b>The Bohola weekend Mass will be live-streamed on the Bohola Post Facebook Page every weekend.</b> <b>Any other Bohola Masses are put online when requested. (Marked with * above)</b> <b>All Bohola Masses will be broadcast on the 105.5 FM Radio channel.</b> <b>All Straide Masses can be seen live on <a href="http://www.straideparish.com">www.straideparish.com</a> or <a href="http://www.churchtv.ie/straide">www.churchtv.ie/straide</a>.</b></p>		

**Recent Deaths:** Please pray for the happy repose of the souls of the following:

Micheál Walsh, Ardacarra, who died on Wednesday last, November 9<sup>th</sup> and whose funeral took place in Bohola on this Saturday.

Ann Tallott (née O'Brien), Kilkenny City and formerly of Treenduff, who died on Thursday last, November 8<sup>th</sup>. Her remains will repose in the Sheridan Community Centre on Sunday from 5.00pm to 7.30pm. Her funeral Mass will be celebrated in Bohola on Monday at 11.00am followed by private cremation.

Bridie Cannon (née Campbell), Carrowbeg, Ayle, Westport, who died on Thursday, November 3<sup>rd</sup> and whose funeral took place in Islandeady on Monday last. She was the sister of Helen O'Brien, Treenduff.

Mary Wallace, Glasnevin, Dublin, who died on Sunday, October 30<sup>th</sup> and whose funeral took place in Dublin on the following Thursday. She was the sister-in-law of Breda Wallace, Sheridan Park.

Evelyn Gauhan (née Dempsey), Castlebar Road, Foxford, who died on Monday last, November 7<sup>th</sup> and whose funeral took place in Foxford on Thursday. She was the mother of Marie McDonnell, Ballinculla.

Delia Gallagher (née Connor), Philadelphia and formerly of Knockshanvalley, who died earlier this week in Philadelphia. She was the sister of the late Jimmy Connor, Knockshanvalley and the late Ann Maloney, Ballyvary.

We extend sympathy to their families and pray they are at peace.

**November Remembrance of the Dead:** A Service of Remembrance will be held in Straide church on Monday, November 14<sup>th</sup> at 8.00pm. All our dead (and, especially, those who died during the past year) will be prayed for and remembered.

**Light a Candle Ceremony** takes place with Mass in Bohola church on Friday evening next, November 18<sup>th</sup> at 8.00pm when we will remember in a special way those who have died in the past year, also for all our loved ones buried here or elsewhere and for those who have nobody to pray for them. Those attending can take a lighted candle on entering the church and keep it with them through Mass and take it home afterwards.

**Cemetery Rosaries** for all our dead will be recited in Straide after Mass next Saturday evening, November 19<sup>th</sup> and in St Joseph's Cemetery and in the old graveyard in Bohola after Mass on Sunday, November 27<sup>th</sup>. All are dependent on reasonable weather.



Nov. 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup>:

**Bohola:**

€1,165.

**Straide:**

Envelopes - €357.

Loose - €110.

Restoration - €185.

Thanks for all  
your contributions.

**Bohola Pastoral Council Election Time!** We need a minimum of 4 new members to join the Pastoral Council for a four-year term. Do you know someone who might be suitable for the role (including yourself)? Nomination papers can be collected from the church and placed in the ballot boxes this Sunday or Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> November. Before you nominate, please confirm with the person that they will be happy to accept the position.

We take this opportunity to sincerely thank the outgoing members of the present Council – Patria Jordan, Pat Clarke, John Jordan and Paul MacNicholas – for their sterling service over the last number of years and we look forward to their continued support in the future.

**Remembrance Sunday in Straide:** Prayers will be said and flowers laid at the War Dead Memorial in Straide this Sunday – Remembrance Sunday, 13<sup>th</sup> November, at 12.30pm. The Castlebar Marching and Concert Band will be in attendance. All are welcome and are also invited for refreshments afterwards in the Copper Beech Bar.

**Annual Mass and Gathering for Bereaved Parents:** A special Mass for Bereaved Parents will take place in St John's Rest and Care Centre, Knock Shrine, on this Sunday, 13<sup>th</sup> November at 3pm. The names of all deceased children will be read out during a special ceremony of light. Celebrant will be Fr Brendan Hoban. All bereaved parents / grandparents are welcome to attend.

**Afternoon of Prayer for Ministers of Holy Communion:** An afternoon of Prayer and Reflection for the Special Ministers of Holy Communion in the St Joseph's Cluster (Bohola) will take place in Kilmovee on Sunday, November 20<sup>th</sup> from 3.00pm to 5.00pm, led by Fr Stephen Farragher. It will begin with a talk in the Community Centre in Kilmovee at 3.00pm, followed by a cup of tea/coffee and will conclude with a Holy Hour in Kilmovee Church from 4pm to 5pm.

**Making Sense of the Sunday Gospels:** Taking a closer look at the Sunday Gospels and how they relate to our daily lives, using the traditional practice of Lectio Divina, "Praying with Scripture." The sessions continue on Tuesdays, November, 15<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> in An Chroi, Tubbercurry F91 X772 from 7.30 to 9.15pm each evening. The sessions will be led by Stephen Giblin.

**New Pilgrim Path Website of the Week, November 13<sup>th</sup>:** *Climate Change Film from Vatican ....* New Pilgrim Path's featured website this week is chosen in the context of the COP27 climate change summit currently taking place in Egypt.

First published in 2015, *Laudato si'* became a rare papal encyclical that permeated mainstream discourse. It hit a nerve and became a global sensation. It also gave rise to the *Laudato si'* Movement, which has now produced a new film called 'The Letter: A Message for our Earth'. Voices from the peripheries are usually ignored in global summits and environmental decision-making, typically dominated by powerful corporate interests. Rather than considering the policy decisions of those in power, the 80-minute feature film focuses on how people at the grassroots level can bring about change. In the movie, a diverse group of climate activists, indigenous people and scientists meet with Pope Francis to dialogue about the environment. Watch this compelling film at [www.newpilgrimpath.ie](http://www.newpilgrimpath.ie).

**Totus Tuus Scripture Conference 2022** is live on Radio Maria Ireland from 2pm on Saturday, 19<sup>th</sup> November. Speakers include Sr. Caitriona Kavanagh OP, Brian O'Driscoll (Paving the Way Home), Fr. John McCarthy (Cloyne Diocese) and Fr. Terence Crotty OP. Listen to Radio Maria Ireland downloading the Radio Maria Ireland app, Saorview Channel 210 or live at [014373277](tel:014373277).

**Straide Quiz Night:** We are holding a fun Quiz night in Straide Community Hall on Saturday, 12<sup>th</sup> November at 9pm. €10 per person / 4 people per table. This is a fundraiser for the ongoing upkeep and utility costs of our local Straide Community Hall so your support would be hugely appreciated. A bit of fun for a worthy local cause.

**Soccer and Basketball for Kids** starts in Bohola Community Centre on Thursday, 24<sup>th</sup> November and continues every Thursday and Friday evening from 6.30 to 8.30pm. **Registration Night** is this Wednesday, November 16<sup>th</sup> from 8.00pm to 9.00pm in the Community Centre.

**Moy Davitts 50/50 Draw:** Congratulations to Gráinne McHale 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>.

**Anam Cara Mayo**, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding a Parent Evening on 22<sup>nd</sup> November 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](mailto:info@anamcara.ie) or [085-2888888](tel:085-2888888) for any queries. For more information see [anamcara.ie](http://anamcara.ie).

**Mayo Cancer Support Men's Group:** Mayo Cancer Support will convene a Men's Support Group at its headquarters, Rock Rose House, 32 St Patrick's Avenue, Castlebar (opposite Mayo University Hospital) this Thursday, November 17<sup>th</sup> at 7.00pm. Participants will gain insight, support and understanding from peers who have gone through a similar cancer journey, either personally or with a loved one. Come along on the night or call [0949038407](tel:0949038407) for more details. All are very welcome.

**Charity 5Km Fun Walk/Run:** The Ashford Castle estate staff are running a 5K fun run/walk in aid of Daisy Lodge (Cancer fund for Children) and the Mayo Roscommon Hospice Foundation on Sunday, 20<sup>th</sup> November at 12.30pm. The starting point is Mrs Tea's boutique on the Ashford Castle Estate.

**Memorial Walk for Hospice:** The 2022 Mayo Roscommon Hospice 5km Memorial Walk will take place on Sunday, November 27<sup>th</sup> around the vicinity of Knock, as part of Shine A Light Tree Lighting Ceremony. The candlelight walk will start at 5.00pm followed by the Tree Lighting Ceremony at the Pope Francis Plaza, Knock. Register online at [www.hospice.ie](http://www.hospice.ie). All are welcome.

**As I said before, I never repeat myself!**

