

# Parish of St. Ultan

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BOHERMEEN

CORTOWN

BOYERSTOWN

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

23rd JULY 2017

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<b><u>BOHERMEEN</u></b>	Sat. 22nd July	6.30pm	Vigil Mass– Margo, Patrick & Kathleen Travers-Ann. Mass
	Sun. 23rd July	11.30am	Mass-MM-Tom Luddy
	Mon-Fri.	9.30am	Mass
	Sat. 29th July	6.30am	Vigil Mass-Pro Populo for the people of the parish
	Sun. 30th July	11.30am	Mass-Pat, Bernadette, Julia & Thomas Duffy Eugene Murtagh and decd family members
<b><u>BOYERSTOWN</u></b>	Sun. 23rd July	9.00am	Mass-Pro populo for the people of the parish
	Sun. 30th July	9.00am	Mass– Pro populo for the people of the parish
<b><u>CORTOWN</u></b>	Sun. 23rd July	10.15am	Mass-Bernadette Finegan-Ann.Mass
	Sun. 30th July	10.15am	Mass-Pro populo for the people of the parish

MINISTERS OF THE WORD BOHERMEEN: MAJELLA MURRAY, ADRIENNE BRADY  
EUCARISTIC MINISTERS BOHERMEEN: KATHLEEN KEATING ,BERNIE BURKE, SEAMUS COSTELLO, CATHAL O'REILLY  
MINISTER OF THE WORD BOYERSTOWN: MAURICE DARCY  
EUCARISTIC MINISTER BOYERSTOWN: NEIL DARCY  
MINISTER OF THE WORD CORTOWN: EDWARD CASSERLY  
EUCARISTIC MINISTER CORTOWN: MICHAEL DAVIS

**COME & SEE**-a healing hour through prayer music and reflection in Cortown Church on Friday 28th from 8-9. All are welcome.

**AN EMERGENCY COLLECTION IN AID OF TROCAIRE** will take place at all Masses this weekend. Your support would be greatly appreciated.

**THE VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY** are aware that this time of year can be particularly difficult for families with children starting or returning to school in September. Please do not be afraid to pick up the phone and ask for assistance. Free Phone Telephone No 1800 677 777. Our thanks as always to all of you who contribute to the society. Your donations do make a difference to those in need in the locality.

**MEATH DIOCESE PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK**– takes place on Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> August and will be led by Bishop Michael Smith and the choir for the Mass is the Meath Diocesan Choir. Confessions 11.00am to 5.00pm, Anointing of the Sick 2.30pm, Pilgrimage Mass at 3.00pm followed by Benediction, Rosary Procession to the Shrine and Blessing of Religious Objects. If there are no buses organised from your parish or a neighbouring parish perhaps someone could organise one for the people of the locality.

**FOUND**—A Peugeot car key, between Lawless Cross and Bohermeen on Friday 14th July. Please contact the parish office .

**IN THE INTEREST OF SECURITY**, our Insurance Co. requires that the Church doors are locked every night, therefore we have installed an automatic locking system on the door nearest the Parish Centre. This door will automatically lock every night at 10.00pm and open at 8.00am every morning. The other door will be locked during the week but will be open at weekends and during funerals. During the week, please use the door nearest the Parish Centre for access to the Church.

‘Those who seek to eliminate or diminish the role of religion in education and other areas of civil life would do well to note the conclusions of the author George Orwell, who, as an atheist, has campaigned for much of his life to remove religion from public life. In later years, however, he had second thoughts: ‘For 200 years we have sawed and sawed at the branch we were sitting on. And in the end, much more suddenly than we had foreseen, our efforts were rewarded and down we came. But unfortunately, there had been a little mistake. The thing at the bottom was not a bed of roses after all; it was a cesspool of barbed wire...  
*Gordon Linney, retired Anglican Priest, former Archdeacon of Dublin.*

**YOUTH 2000 FESTIVAL**– 17th to 20th August in Roscrea, Co. Tipperary. For further information see posters on our notice board or on [www.youth2000.ie](http://www.youth2000.ie) If any of our parishioner are interested in going, please contact Anne in the Parish Office.

PLEASE SEE OUR NOTICES BOARDS AND WEBSITE FOR MORE INFORMATION ON UPCOMING EVENTS.

BOHERMEEN € 410.10  
BUILDING FUND €608.50

CORTOWN €140.50

BOYERSTOWN € 135.10  
PRIESTS OFFERINGS €215.00

*Thank you for last weeks collection and to all who contribute weekly, monthly, yearly or by standing order .*