

# Parish of St. Ultan

BOHERMEEN –CORTOWN- BOYERSTOWN

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Twenty Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
1<sup>st</sup> October 2023

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'We are called to be a welcoming caring faith community who bring people to Jesus who sends us out with Good News for all'.

## Seeing your Life through the Lens of the Gospel by John Byrne OSA. *The Intercom*

1. It is possible to be a dutiful and observant Christian, and yet feel there is something missing. Does it not make a huge difference when your heart is in what you are doing? It is so much better than just going through the motions. Where do you experience that most in your life?
2. The desire of Jesus for us is that we grow in that kind of committed, enthusiastic involvement in life. What encourages you to grow in this way? Recall times when your relationship with God, or with another person, was something that gave you energy, hope or joy. What lessons do you learn from those memories?
3. The elders probably thought well of themselves in contrast to the tax collectors and sinners. Perhaps you know some unconventional people, ones who appear to ignore the 'right' way of doing things, and yet they have taught you something about true goodness.



**THE CHOSEN** is a film series about Jesus Christ, adapted from the four Gospels which tells the story of the birth, life, death and resurrection in the setting of the world as it was in Jesus' time under the harsh rule of the Roman Empire. It touches on many issues that are relevant to our modern lives, poverty, racism, prejudice, inequality. It is funded exclusively from donations and is being watched by many millions throughout the world. The first of 6 episodes will be shown in **the Parish Centre on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> October at 7.30pm. All are welcome.**

**MONASTIC VOCATIONS WEEKEND:** The Cistercians at Glencairn Abbey invite you to discern God's Call to monastic life. If you are a single woman, aged 19-40, come and experience their monastic life of prayer, work, hospitality and contemplation in the solitude and beauty of Glencairn, Co Waterford, 27 – 29 October. Visit [www.glencairnabbey.org](http://www.glencairnabbey.org) or more information. Contact Sr. Sarah, Vocation Director at email: [vocations@glencairnabbey.org](mailto:vocations@glencairnabbey.org)

**ANAM CARA MIDLANDS**, the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding its monthly Parent Evening for bereaved parents on Wednesday 11th October at 7:15pm in the Mullingar Park Hotel. 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 also offer an online service. For more info call 01 404 5378.

**DRAWING AND SKETCHING COURSE** A 6 week drawing and sketching class starts 26<sup>th</sup> October 10am-12pm in Claremont Stadium, Commons Road, Navan. Tuition of this course is funded and delivered by LMETB Community Education Service. Registration costs €15. To book contact (046) 902 9693.

**JIGSAW ONE GOOD ADULT WORKSHOP** Claremont Stadium in partnership with Jigsaw Meath will host a One Good Adult Workshop on 25th October from 7pm - 8.30pm in Claremont Stadium, Commons Road, Navan. This workshop is ideal for anyone involved in voluntary or community work is also suited to any adult who wishes to be the One Good Adult in the life of a young person. For more information contact Claremont Stadium on (046) 902 9693 or visit [www.claremontstadium.com](http://www.claremontstadium.com).

**Mass Intentions** Sat. 30<sup>th</sup> to Sun. 8<sup>th</sup> Oct.  
**Bohermeen Church**-Daily Mass at 9.30am  
(Funeral replaces Mass)

**Sat. 30<sup>th</sup> Sept.**

Cortown at 6.00pm

-Peter Reilly-11<sup>th</sup> anniversary

**Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> October**

Boyerstown at 10.00am

-Noel Kerrigan 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary

-Lily Harte

-Patrick, Eddie & Margaret Farrelly

Bohermeen at 11.30am

-for the people of the parish

**Mon. 2<sup>nd</sup> Oct.**

Bohermeen at 9.30am

-St. Joseph's Young Priests

**Tues. 3<sup>rd</sup> Oct.**

Cortown at 8.00pm

-Divine Mercy Mass

**Sat. 7<sup>th</sup> Oct.**

Boyerstown at 6.00pm

-for the people of the parish

**Sun. 8<sup>th</sup> Oct.**

Cortown at 10.00am

-Bridie Lynch-2<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary

Bohermeen at 11.30am

-Kevin & Thomas Gilenan-Ann. Mass

-Francis & Nancy Farnan-Ann. Mass

-James & Rose McDonnell-Ann. Mass

-Joe Reilly, Neilstown-6<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

**Ministers of the Word:**

**Sun. 1<sup>st</sup> Oct:** -DTiM Parents

**Sun. 8<sup>th</sup> Oct:** Ray/Michelle Finnegan

**Eucharistic Ministers:**

**Sun. 1<sup>st</sup> Oct:** Jennifer Reilly & Margaret Farrell

**Sun. 8<sup>th</sup> Oct:** Julie Yore

**Finances - Thank You**-We wish to acknowledge and thank all those who have sent in their Offerings and weekly envelopes and all those who pay by standing order. This really helps our finances. It is greatly appreciated. Offerings can be made by;

- leaving your weekly envelopes into the envelope boxes in the Churches or into the Parish Office.
- Tap to donate machine located in the Church
- go online and do a weekly/monthly direct debit to

Bank of Ireland, Navan,

IBAN IE04 BOFI 903509 8059 7424

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**Building Fund €521.00 Priests Offerings €55.00**  
**Offertory Collections: Bohermeen -€197.00**  
**Cortown -€109.00 Boyerstown - €182.00**  
**Tap to Donate €30.00**

**Thank you to all who contribute, collect and count.**

**INTRODUCTION TO THE BIBLE ON KELLS WEBCAM**

Beginning Monday, 2nd October, Fr. John will continue his introduction to the Bible. This year he will introduce the St. John's Gospel on Mondays at 12 noon. Each session will last 25 minutes (approx). You can access the talks as you would the Mass each day on [www.kellsparish.ie](http://www.kellsparish.ie) (If you cannot access the talks on the webcam, you are welcome to come to Kells Church to attend in person). The sessions will be recorded.

For queries, you may contact Fr. John on email: [jlowebyrne@gmail.com](mailto:jlowebyrne@gmail.com)

**MEATH CAREERS EXPO** 11<sup>th</sup> October in The Ardboyne Hotel Navan, 12noon to 8.00pm. 100's of jobs on offer. Meet the employers, live interviews and CV clinics. Check out the jobs and register for FREE at [www.careersexpo.ie](http://www.careersexpo.ie)

**ST. CIARAN'S COMMUNITY SCHOOL KELLS** will hold their Open Night on Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> October from 5.30 to 7.30pm. All 6<sup>th</sup> class primary boys and girls and their families are welcome.

**VIATORES CHRISTI'S (VC) VENTURE TRAINING PROGRAMME**

Viatores Christi's (VC) live interactive online Venture training program takes place this autumn. Programme dates are October 7th-8th, November 4th-5th, and 25th-26th. For just €300, candidates receive 6 interactive training days from a range of experts as well as access to 20+ hours of important online self-directed training material. Candidates can register their place via Google Forms here: <https://forms.gle/uEMw3oMFz9NayAr6>

For more information, contact VC's Training Officer, Sorcha, at [sorcha@viatoreschristi.com](mailto:sorcha@viatoreschristi.com).

**NEW ALTAR SERVERS NEEDED** for Bohermeen. If your child is interested, there will be a short training session on Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> Oct. at 3.15pm in Bohermeen Church. Contact Aveen on 087 982 4121.

**VOCATIONS IN DIOCESE OF MEATH:**

Fr Tony Gonoude, Vocations Director for the Diocese of Meath, will celebrate Mass for Vocations to the Sacred Priesthood in St Oliver's Church, Navan (C15NC83) on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> October at 7.30 pm. In the Homily we will reflect on Christ, Priest and Teacher. Live from

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