

Parish of St. Ultan

BOHERMEEN –CORTOWN- BOYERSTOWN

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Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
29th 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'.

POINTS to PONDER by Patricia Datchuck Sánchez. *The Intercom*

In Calcutta, India, there is a children*s home named Shishu Bhavan; founded by Mother Teresa, the home continues to be operated by her community, the Missionaries of Charity. On the wall of the home hangs a sign which reads:

People are unreasonable, illogical, and self-centered.

LOVE THEM ANYWAY

If you do good, people will accuse you of selfish ulterior motives,

DO GOOD ANYWAY

If you are successful, you win false friends and true enemies,

SUCCEED ANYWAY

The good you do will be forgotten tomorrow,

DO GOOD ANYWAY

Honesty and frankness make you vulnerable,

BE HONEST AND FRANK ANYWAY

What you spent years building may be destroyed overnight,

BUILD ANYWAY

People really need help but may attack you if you help them,

HELP PEOPLE ANYWAY

Give the world the best you have and you'll get kicked in the teeth,

GIVE THE WORLD THE BEST YOU'VE GOT ANYWAY

Mother Teresa counseled her young charges that the challenges offered by this sign can be met only if human beings are motivated by a love and a respect for one another which looks beyond faults, differences, ulterior motives, success and failure. Love such as this originates in God who has taken the initiative of loving all people; once that love is known and experienced, it becomes contagious and must necessarily spill over and inform all other relationships.

THE CHOSEN is a film series about Jesus Christ, adapted from the four Gospels. The fourth of 8 episodes will be shown in the Parish Centre on **Tuesday 7th November** at 7.30pm. All are welcome.

LIST OF THE DEAD - Masses on 1st Fridays throughout the year and on All Souls Day (2nd Nov.) are offered for our faithful departed. For the **List of the Dead**, we ask you to use the purple envelope and name sheet from your weekly box of envelopes. If you cannot locate this envelope, there are some sheets available in the Church. The list should then be returned with Mass offering to the Parish Office as soon as possible for inclusion in the Book of the Dead, which will be in all Churches during the month of November. The REMEMBRANCE TREE will also be in the Churches. You should write the names of your departed ones on the tags and hang them on the tree.

INTRODUCTION TO THE BIBLE ON KELLS

WEBCAM Fr. John continues his introduction to the Bible. This year he will introduce the St. John's Gospel on Mondays at 12 noon. For queries, you may contact Fr. John on email: jplovebyrne@gmail.com

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

in Bohermeen Church (Crying Room) from 3.00pm to 6.00pm (Monday - Friday). All welcome to spend some quiet prayer.

BOHERMEEN COMMUNITY CENTRE

are holding a Christmas Market on Sunday 26th of November from 10.00am to 4.00pm. Please come along and support.

OFFERING DAY- Sunday 5th November is an Offering day. Please use the white envelope in your box of envelopes.



Mass Intentions Sat. 28th Oct. to Sun. 5th Nov. **Bohermeen Church**-Daily Mass at 9.30am (*Funeral replaces Mass*)

Sat. 28th Oct.

Cortown at 6.00pm

-for the people of the parish

Sun. 29th Oct.

Boyerstown at 10.00am

-for the people of the parish

Bohermeen at 11.30am

-Paddy Ball-8th Anniversary

Mon. 29th Oct

Bohermeen at 10.00am-St Joseph's Young Priests

Tues. 31st Oct.

Vigil Mass for the Feast of All Saints

Boyerstown at 6.30pm

Wed. 1st Nov. Feast of All Saints

Cortown at 10.00am

Bohermeen at 11.30am

Thurs. 2nd Nov. Feast of All Souls

Bohermeen at 10.00am

Sat. 4th Nov.

Boyerstown at 6.00pm

-Terry & Lily Bennett

-William, Mary & Gerard Swan &

Oliver Hilliard

Sun. 5th Nov.

Cortown at 10.00am

-May McNamee-2nd Anniversary

-Edward & Teresa Casserly-Ann. Mass

Bohermeen at 11.30am

-Mary (Maisie) Reilly-21st Ann. And dec'd members of the Reilly & Gill families

Ministers of the Word:

Sun. 29th: Rachel McCormack

Sun. 5th Nov: Ann Ryan

Eucharistic Ministers:

Sun. 29th Oct: Tracy Mulvany-Cahill & Carmel McQuaid

Sun. 5th Nov: Joe Murtagh & Margaret Farrell

PRAY for Brian Reilly, Castletown, Navan, (brother of Angela Daly) and Mary Hickey (nee Farnan), Castletown KP, (formerly of Ardraccon) and Cilla Battersby, Ballybeg, Cortown, who died recently. May they rest in peace.

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 €370.00 Priests Offerings €100.00

Offertory Collections: Bohermeen -€274.00

Cortown -€92.00 Boyerstown - €212.00

Tap to Donate €10.00

Thank you to all who contribute, collect and count.

ST. JOSEPH'S NS. BOYERSTOWN

are now accepting applications for enrolment for September 2024. Enrolment forms are available from the School Office which can be contacted at boyerstowns@gmail.com or 046 902 7252. The deadline for receipt of completed enrolment forms is Friday, 24th November 2023.

YOUTH MEET & PRAYER GATHERING (+18 years)

will take place in the Church of the Holy Trinity, Ratoath at 7:30pm on Friday 3rd November. Inspired by the Spirit of World Youth Day 2023 this is an opportunity for young adults to join together for prayer, reflection & discussion assisted with the support and guidance of priests from the diocese and the Franciscan Sisters of the Renewal. Share the invite and bring a friend or two. Contact Fr. Mark English for more info: duleekparish@gmail.com

ANAM CARA MIDLANDS

the organisation that supports bereaved parents, is holding its monthly Parent Evening for bereaved parents on Wednesday 8th November 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

MISCARRIAGE ASSOCIATION OF IRELAND:

Annual Service of Remembrance takes place on Sunday 12th November at 3pm in St Teresa's Church, Donore Avenue, Dublin 8. All parents, siblings, grandparents and others affected by the loss a baby are very welcome to attend.