Please Note: FR. KELLY will make his First Friday calls on Friday 28th July.

Mass in honour of **BLESSED ALEXANDRINA** will be held in Termonbacca on Sunday the 30th July at 7.30 pm. Everyone welcome.

We have **LIVE STREAMING** from St. Eunan's Cathedral. This means that anyone who has broadband is able to watch all Ceremonies online at www.mcnmedia.tv and from our own website: www.steunanscathedral.ie

We are looking for any 'BAKERS' willing to Bake for a function in Loreto Convent Foyer/Canteen after the 'Mass of Thanksgiving' for Bishop Philip Boyce on Wednesday 26th July at 7.30 pm and after the 'Mass of Thanksgiving' for Fr. Eamonn McLaughlin on Sunday 13th August at 6.30 pm. We are also looking for 'HELPERS' to assist in the preparation of the venue on both evenings. If you are willing to bake/help, please contact Mary on 086-0870446.

The Cathedral Quarter will be hosting a **FUNDRAISING QUIZ** in the Central Bar at 9.30pm on Wednesday 26th July. Money raised will go towards the restoration of an Iron gate on the Church Lane and other ongoing projects. Teams of four cost €20 or €5 per person. Raffle prizes on the night.

A RELIC OF SAINT TERESA OF CALCUTTA, formerly known as Mother Teresa is visiting Ireland. On Tuesday 8th August the Relic will arrive into the Cathedral at 5 pm and will leave at 2 pm on Wednesday 9th August. We will have Guided Hours of Prayer and an All Night Vigil during the visit. We invite and encourage Parish Groups/Individuals to LEAD AN HOUR OF PRAYER during this time. Please call the Parish Office on 9121021.

On **Sunday 13th August**, Fr. Eamonn McLaughlin will celebrate the 6.30 pm Mass in the Cathedral followed by light refreshments in the Loreto Convent Foyer/Canteen. Everyone is very welcome. Fr. McLaughlin will take up his next appointment in Rome in early September.

The **YOUTH 2000 SUMMER FESTIVAL** will take place from the **17th - 20th August** at the Cistercian College, Roscrea, Co. Tipperary for young people aged 16-35. This is an opportunity not to be missed to experience the Catholic Faith. Over 1,400 young people from all corners of Ireland attended last year. The festival is donation only. Free buses travelling from all around Ireland. For more information please visit www.youth2000.ie or contact the Youth 2000 Office on 01-6753690.

A weekend of **HEALING & RENEWAL** directed by John Pridmore and St. Patrick's Community will take place in Ards Friary from **Friday 25th - Sunday 27th August**. For Bookings or further information please email: info@ardsfriary.ie or contact Ards Friary on 9138909. Everyone welcome.



ST. EUNAN'S CATHEDRAL LETTERKENNY NEWSLETTER Sunday 23rd July 2017

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS OF THANKSGIVING



For twenty-two years **BISHOP PHILIP BOYCE** has served the people of Raphoe Diocese. We thank God for the service that Bishop Boyce has given and all of us are asked to continue to remember him in prayer as he begins his well-deserved retirement. On Wednesday 26th July, at 7.30pm in the Cathedral, we will have a Mass of Thanksgiving. You are invited to attend. Afterwards we will share a cuppa in the Loreto Secondary School canteen.

ORDINATION OF BISHOP

As you know **FR ALAN McGUCKIAN** will, please God, be ordained as Bishop of Raphoe on Sunday 6th August at 3pm in the Cathedral. All of us are asked to pray for Fr Alan as he prepares to take up this great and challenging role. All thirty-three parishes will be involved in this ceremony and so, due to the limits on space, a ticket will be required to attend. If you would like to attend this ceremony please leave your name in the Parochial House by Friday 28th July. If it is oversubscribed we will have



to have a draw to select who will attend and represent the parish. This seems to be the fairest way that this selection can be done.

MASS OF WELCOME

On Monday 7th August we will have **Mass of Welcome** for, and with, our **new** Bishop at 7.30pm in the Cathedral. This Mass will be an opportunity for all to meet and greet the first Jesuit Bishop in Ireland.

PRIEST ON DUTY THIS WEEK: Fr. Eamonn Kelly

Sunday 23rd July

Masses ~ 8 am, 10 am, 12 noon and 6.30 pm

Baptisms - 1.30 pm

St. Pius X Adoration Chapel is open at 1 pm

AA Meeting in the Pastoral Centre - 11 am and 8.30 pm

Al-Anon Meeting in the Pastoral Centre - 8 pm

Monday 24th July ~ St. Sharbel Makhluf

8 am Mass ~ Maurice McGarry

10 am Mass ~ Deceased members of Bianconi Family

Morning Prayer (9.40 am) (Monday to Saturday)

St Pius X Adoration Chapel is open Confessions in the Cathedral - 8 pm

Grow Mental Health Meetings in the Pastoral Centre - 7.30 pm

AA Meeting in the Pastoral Centre - 8.30 pm

Tuesday 25th July ~ St. James

8 am Mass ~ Brigid & Patrick McMonagle

10 am Mass $\sim \mathbb{R}$

St. Pius X Adoration Chapel is open

Legion of Mary Meeting in the Conference Room after 10 am Mass

Legion of Mary Meeting in the Parochial House at 7 pm

Baptism Preparation in the Parochial House on Tuesday 1st August - 6.45 pm

Divine Mercy Prayer Group in the Cathedral - 7 pm

Gamblers' Anonymous Meeting in the Pastoral Centre - 8.30 pm

Wednesday 26th July ~ Ss Joachim & Anne

8 am Mass ~ sswzx

10 am Mass ~ Jimmy Duffy

7.30 pm ~ Mass of Thanksgiving - Bishop Philip Boyce

St. Pius X Adoration Chapel is open

Mother's Prayer Group Meeting - Conference Room - 7 pm

Cathedral Choir Practice in the Conference Room - 8 pm

RECENT BAPTISMS ~ We welcome into God's Community

Iva Kelechi Ozulumba ~ Myra Adaora Ozulumba ~ Jaden Malibe Ozulumba ~ Rhema Amara Ozulumba ~ Ryan John Quigley ~ Abhi Jay Patta ~ Ruben Jay Carlin ~ Remy Drein ~ Josh Matthew Lynch ~ Harper Evie McElhinney ~ Senán James Liam O'Duibhir ~ Luke Patrick McIntyre ~ Priya Elizabeth Mary Fox ~ Orlaith Ashley Kerr-Fox

Thursday 27th July

8 am Mass ~ Barney McGinley (First Anniversary; Dermot 'Murphy' Kildea 10 am Mass ~ ®

St. Pius X Adoration Chapel is open

AA Meeting in the Pastoral Centre - 5.30 pm

Charismatic Prayer Meeting in the Conference Room - 8 pm

Friday 28th July

8 am Mass ~ Special Intention

10 am Mass ~ Stephen McCafferty (First Anniversary)

1 pm ~ Nuptial

7.30 pm Mass ~ Michael Sweeney (First Anniversary), Jimmy Duffy, Tom Ferrie, Patrick Baxter, Mary Baxter, William Baxter, Annie NcGlinchey.

St. Pius X Adoration Chapel is open

* FR KELLY will make his FIRST FRIDAY CALLS TODAY

Al-Anon Meeting in the Pastoral Centre - 10.30 am

AA Meeting for Women in the Conference Room - 1 pm

AA Meeting in the Pastoral Centre - 5.30 pm

Cursillo Women's Prayer Group in the Conference Room - 8 pm

Saturday 29th July ~St. Martha

10 am Mass ~ Mary Ryan (Month's Mind Mass)

 $1pm \sim Nuptial$

Confessions ~ 12 noon - 1 pm and after 7.30 pm Mass

5 pm ∼ Baptisms

7.30 pm ~ Vigil Mass

AA Meeting in the Pastoral Centre - 11 am

Narcotics Anonymous in the Pastoral Centre - 5.30 pm

Parish Office Hours: Monday to Friday (9.30 am - 4.30 pm)



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Live WEB STREAMING from the Cathedral is available on our Website Parish Pastoral Council Email: conwalandleckpc@gmail.com

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS ~ 16th July - €5662 **PARISH EXPENDITURE**: €3993.03

Thank you for your gift to God and His Church

St. Vincent de Paul ~ Parish of Conwal and Leck ~ 9129503 **St. Vincent de Paul** ~ Parish of Aughaninshin ~ 9122366