



Ss. Peter & Paul's Church, Straide

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Masses

Feast of the Ascension May 28th & 29th 2022

Saturday, 28th	8:00 pm	Patrick, Agnes & Delia Mulroy	Gurranard
Sunday, 29th	11:00 am	Moya & Jim Molloy	Knockshanbally
Monday 30th	10:00 am	People of the Parish Community	
Tuesday, 31st	7:00 pm*	Maisie Walshe (Birthday Remembrance)	Blanemore
Wednesday, 1st	8:00 pm*	Carmel Hall (4 th Anniversary)	Grallagh
Thursday, 2nd	10:00 am	Private Intention	
Friday, 3rd	10:00 am	Private Intention	
Saturday, 4th	3:00 pm	Margaret McKeown (Month's Mind)	Grallagh
	8:00 pm	Kathleen Smyth (4 th Anniv.)	Blanemore
Sunday, 5th	11:00 am	Paddy, Nora, Jackie & Ita McHale	Ogthoose

*Please note – the later times of Masses on Tuesday at 7 pm and Wednesday at 8 pm in the evening.

We recommend—that masks continue to be worn in Church for the time being. There is no legal requirement to do so.

All Ireland Rosary Rally – will be held at Knock Shrine on Saturday, June 4th commencing at 1.30 pm. The afternoon will include Talk, Rosary, Stations of the Cross and Mass. The chief celebrant will be Archbishop Jude Okolo, Papal Nuncio to Ireland. Bishop Michael Duignan will preach. Rosary talk will be by Fr. Marius O'Reilly.

Thanks - to all those who attended the inaugural Martin Sweeney Memorial Lecture at the Michael Davitt Museum on Friday evening, May the 20th. An Associate Professor from the University of Colorado will travel to the museum to deliver our next lecture in mid June. Further details will be made available in due course. (John Reid)

Lough Derg Three Day Pilgrimage runs Wed 1st June until 15th August (Sat 13th Aug is final day to begin the Pilgrimage). Admission €80 | Booking advised | Concessions available for students, seniors and groups. All booking info, including organised parish groups available at www.loughderg.org, or telephone (071) 9861518.

Next Sunday - is Pentecost Sunday. The Pentecost Collection is taken up on that day. Envelopes available at exit door

Church Rosters—for June are listed below. Readers can pick up readings and prayers from the altar rails after Mass.

Rosters for June 2022

Ministers of the Word: June:	Saturday Evening:	Fiona Kelly & Geraldine Hynes
	Sunday Morning:	Deirdre Coleman & Sarah Canning
Prayers of the Faithful: June:	Saturday Evening:	Fiona Kelly
	Sunday Morning:	Sarah Canning
Offertory Collectors: June:	Saturday Evening:	Denis Canning & Paddy McHale
	Sunday Morning:	Michael Jordan & Peadar Lennon



Church roof apex ridge tiles – are in the process of being sealed at the moment. They have been letting in water during winter storms. Sorry for any inconvenience the work may cause. The work should be completed shortly.

Foxford Social Club (formerly Foxford Daycare) - are now accepting new members. The club is suitable for people in the early to moderate stages of dementia, people with early On-Set dementia, people living in rural isolation as well as people living on their own and in need of company. The club operates weekly Monday to Friday. For more information call (094) 9256662 or email factmanager101@gmail.com.

Please Remember – Newsletters are 'single use items'. If you take one on the way into church, please bring it home with you. Do not discard it on the seat or return it to where you got it from.

Donations to all collections - can be made securely and conveniently online at www.straideparish.com.

Many thanks - to all who use this facility and to all who contribute to, and support, the running costs of the church.

Bohola Moy Davitts GAA club - is currently seeking expressions of interest from interested individuals to address the future refereeing needs within Mayo GAA. We are looking for Past Players, Current Players, Coaches, Parents and Supporters to represent the club as a referee within the county in the coming years. Training will be provided, and you will be given the opportunity to perfect your skills by officiating underage matches before working your way up through the age grades. For further information please contact Bernie at secretary.moydavitts.mayo@gaa.ie

Moy Davitts 50/50 Draw - Congratulations to Emma Galligan who won €585 in the Moy Davitts 50/50 draw last Saturday. Tickets are available in the usual retail outlets and <https://smartlotto.ie/Bohola-moy-davitts>

Thought for the Day: Sorrow looks back, worry looks around, faith always looks up (Unknown).

Newsletter: Items for inclusion to be handed into the Parochial House by 12pm on Thursday or email pp@straideparish.com.

Additional News Items – can be found on the online Newsletter edition at www.straideparish.com

Foxford Alzheimer's community trust - We are currently looking for staff to work in our new day service /social club in Foxford. We have 2 positions to fill. The first being a social activities coordinator. The other being a bus driver/site care taker. We can only accept those who are in current receipt of social welfare payments. Contact (094) 9256662 or email factmanager101@gmail.com. No experience needed; training will be provided. Also, all new members welcome. Give us a call to book your place.

Accord Counselling - Challenging times can be rough on relationships. When it comes to protecting your most precious investment (your marriage), talk to ACCORD. Our services, based on your needs, not your ability to pay, can help you get the most from your marriage. Morning and evening appointments are available. Office hours are from 10 am to 1pm Monday to Friday, contact (094) 92 54944 or email accordcharlestown@gmail.com.

Mayo Cancer Support - offers a range of emotional support to people with cancer and their families. Call 094 9038407 for information.

Bereavement Support Group at Knock Shrine - Life after a family bereavement can feel very lonely. Sometimes spending time with others who know the experience can be helpful. A *Bereavement Support Group* meets every Wed at 11am at the Family Centre, Knock. All are welcome. More information from Monica Morley Knock 094-9375320.

COVID-19 Support Line for Older People – ALONE Professional staff are available to answer queries and give advice and reassurance where necessary. The support line is open 7 days a week, 8am - 8pm, by calling 0818 222 024.

CCTV – operates 24 / 7 within the Church and in the Church car park. The parish policy concerning CCTV can be found on the parish website (www.straideparish.com) – as can all parish policies.

A prayer for Ukraine



Loving God,
We pray for the people of Ukraine,
for all those suffering or afraid,
that you will be close to them and protect them.
We pray for world leaders,
for compassion, strength and wisdom to guide their choices.
We pray for the world
that in this moment of crisis,
we may reach out in solidarity
to our brothers and sisters in need.
May we walk in your ways
so that peace and justice
become a reality for the people of Ukraine
and for all the world.
Amen



Knock Counselling Service – available at (094) 93 75032 or log on to www.knockshrine.ie/counsel

IF YOU NEED HELP

Many parishioners have volunteered to help those who may not be able to shop, collect medicines, go to the Post Office etc. during this Coronavirus outbreak. If, at any time, you need help with these chores call me on (094) 9031029 and I will liaise with the many volunteers within the community who are very happy to help out. Keep safe, keep healthy and, at all times, follow HSE / Government guidelines. Say a prayer, too, for all who have caught the virus and for all medical staff, carers and volunteers who are working so extremely hard at this time.
St. Vincent de Paul (Foxford) – can provide help for those in Straide who may be in need of food or fuel. Contact (085) 8887777