

Straide/Bohola/Shraheens Newsletter

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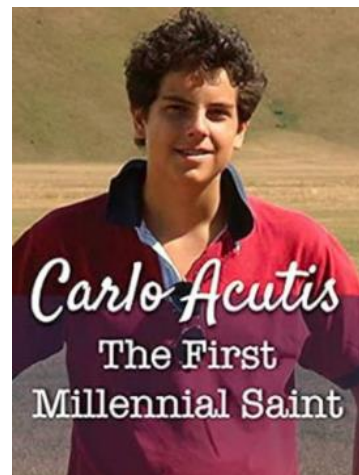
16th Sunday in Ordinary Time – 19th July 2026



The Week Ahead

Saturday, July 18th.	12 noon <i>Straide</i> 8.00pm <i>Straide</i>	Nancy Rainey, Blanemore. (1 st Anniversary) James Maloney & his wife Ann, Tavnabeg. (Veneration of relic of St Carlo Acutis follows)
Sunday, July 19th.	9.30am <i>Shraheens</i> 11.00am <i>Bohola</i>	Jimmy Mullaney, Boleyard, (7 th Anniversary), his wife Mary Gerard, and their son, Kieran. (Veneration of relic of St Carlo Acutis follows) For all the People. (Veneration of relic of St Carlo Acutis follows)
Monday, July 20th.	7.00pm	Annual Mass of Thanksgiving for Adoration.
Tuesday, July 21st.	7.30 – 8.30pm	No Mass. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in Straide.
Wednesday, July 22nd.	10.00am 5.00 – 9.00pm	Madeline Horan, Carroward. (90 th Birthday Remembrance) (Adoration follows until 12 noon) Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. (Blessed Sacrament Chapel)
Thursday, July 23rd.	7.00pm <i>Straide</i>	Paddy Hall, Castlebar & Grallagh. (Month's Mind)
Friday, July 24th.	10.00am <i>Straide</i>	Private Intention.
Saturday, July 25th.	8.00pm <i>Straide</i>	Michael McDonnell, London, late of Ballinaculla. (1 st Anniversary) Mary Keenaghan, Foxford & Barnatra. Kathleen, John & Martin Mulrennan.
Sunday, July 26th.	9.30am <i>Shraheens</i> 11.00am <i>Bohola</i>	For all the People. Ronan Grace, Ballinlag. (1 st Anniversary) Noreen Moore, Clooneen (15 th Anniversary) & deceased of O'Brien & Moore families.
All Masses in Straide (www.churchtv.ie/straide/) and Bohola (www.churchtv.ie/bohola/) are live-streamed. Shraheens Mass will be live-streamed on the Bohola Post Facebook Page when requested. (Marked by * above) All Bohola Masses will be broadcast on the 105.5 FM Radio channel.		

Recent Death: Please pray for the happy repose of the soul of Danny Gallen, Aghyaran, Co Tyrone, who died on Saturday last, July 11th and whose funeral took place in Aghyaran on Tuesday. He was the brother-in-law of Peggy Jordan, Gurteen. May he rest in peace.



First Class Relic of St. Carlo Acutis: This weekend at all Masses we are privileged to have a first class relic of St. Carlo Acutis present for veneration after each Mass. It's some of his hair and we are told if you have a first class relic of a Saint, the saint him/herself is right there with you. It will be placed on a table during Mass. When Mass finishes the Rosary will be recited while the relic is held in front of the Altar and anyone who wishes can come up to kiss, hold or pray for a few seconds with the relic. For more on how to venerate a relic, check out <https://share.google/64b98WhvBwRGUKuUA>.

Saint Carlo Acutis was a young Italian Catholic teenager and a modern-day saint who used his passion for technology to serve God and spread the message of faith. Known as the "Cyber Apostle of the Eucharist" and often called the "Patron Saint of the Internet," Carlo became famous for creating a website that documented Eucharistic miracles worldwide (<https://www.miracolieucaustici.org/en/liste/list.html>). Despite his short life, Carlo inspired millions with his devotion to the Holy Eucharist, his compassion for the poor, and his message that technology can be used for good. He was canonised by Pope Leo XIV on 7th September 2025, making him one of the youngest saints in modern history.

The Annual Pioneer Pilgrimage Mass at Knock Shrine will be celebrated in the Basilica at 3pm this Sunday, 19th July. Pioneers extend a welcome to families and relatives of people who are undergoing treatment for addiction at this time. People who are in recovery / aftercare and who live by the 12-Step Programme are particularly welcome to Knock during this Golden Jubilee Year of the Basilica of Our Lady Queen of Ireland. Pioneer emblems and certificates will be available in St John's Rest and Care Centre from 1pm. Further information from Fr Robert: prayer@pioneers.ie.



11th / 12th:

Bohola:

€692

Straide:

€246.

Thanks for all your contributions.

Bohola Tea/Coffee will be on offer this Sunday in the Parish Centre after the veneration of St Carlo's relic is complete. Please join us. Many thanks to the PPC members who make it possible.

Eucharistic Adoration in Bohola..Annual Mass 7pm Monday: Each year at this annual Mass, we give thanks for the privilege of this beautiful devotion. In adoration we grow in faith with others. We can leave all our cares in the hands of the Lord. This Mass is offered for the Eucharistic Ministers who expose and repose the Blessed Sacrament each week; everyone who has supported and encouraged this devotion, which has been a part of parish life for so many years; the regular adorers and adorers who stand in when they can and for all the faithful departed who passed on the faith to us. **There will be no adoration in August.** If anyone would like to start in September, please join us. We can chat over a cuppa in the Parish Centre after this Mass. There are currently approximately 30 people attending each week, so you will not be alone and more importantly, Jesus is never alone in our church during this time.

The Annual National Grandparents Pilgrimage to Knock, celebrating the 6th World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly, takes place on Sunday, 26th July. Chief celebrant is Archbishop Eamon Martin. Commencing at 2.30pm with the anointing of the sick. All are welcome for a day of grace and blessing for the whole family as we honour grandparents and the elderly. Please join us. Visit our website for resources: www.catholicgrandparentsassociation.org.

Youth 2000 Summer Festival 13th to 16th August: Calling all young people aged 16 to 35 to join us at the Youth 2000 Summer Festival in Newbridge College, Co. Kildare. This is a donation-only event, with free buses available across the country and all meals are included. Expect inspiring talks and workshops, Mass, music, prayer, and plenty of opportunities to chill out and meet other young Catholics. Whether you are new to the faith or looking to be refreshed, all are welcome. To register or find out more, visit youth2000.ie or follow [@Youth2000Ireland](https://www.instagram.com/Youth2000Ireland).

Burren Outdoor Retreat takes place from Friday 4th to Sunday 6th September. Would you like to come with us on a journey through the Burren with its limestone pavements, rare flora and ancient sacred sites? Let the beauty of this place renew you in body and soul. Residential (people within easy reach may commute). Contact Mary at [087-9701130](tel:087-9701130) for information or Des at [085-1614951](tel:085-1614951) for bookings.

Win a Trip to Medjugorje: Medjugorje Irish Centre Free Prize draw - prize for one person includes 7 nights B&B, return airport transfer and flights up to €300. To enter, go to prize draw page on website www.med-irishcentre.com. WhatsApp No: [087-63630604](tel:087-63630604). Email: reservations@med-irishcentre.com. Website: www.med-irishcentre.com.

New Pilgrim Path Website of the Week, Sunday, July 19th: Gospel in Cinematic Form – For the first time, the entire Gospels of Matthew, Mark, Luke and John have been brought to life in a compelling cinematic portrayal of the life of Jesus – accompanied by a complete and unabridged narration (using the New International Version of the New Testament, and also available in the King James Version). The narrations are accessible in a wide range of languages. This ground-breaking Biblical resource, the Lumo Project, has been created to transform the way in which people engage with, discover, and study the life of Jesus through the Gospels. It is also a wonderful pastoral resource. The Gospel of John can be watched at: www.newpilgrimpath.ie.

Cemetery Masses: Mass will be celebrated in *St Joseph's Cemetery, Bohola* on Saturday, August 1st at 6.00pm and in *Straide Cemetery* on Sunday, August 2nd at 11.00am.

Best Wishes to Cian McHale and the Mayo team and management in their quest for All-Ireland glory in Croke Park next Sunday

Moy Davitts 50/50 Draw: Congratulations to Catriona O'Gorman who won a jackpot of €702 in the Moy Davitts 50/50 draw last Saturday. Thanks to everyone who supported the draw, it is greatly appreciated. Tickets are available in the usual retail outlets and by playing on the club app (Moy Davitts GAA).

Gianna Care provides help to anyone experiencing an unexpected pregnancy, or who needs help following an abortion. Their trained client advocates, counsellors, nurses and doctors are there to help. See giannacare.ie.

Gambling Support: Free support service for problem gamblers and their families is open to anyone in need. Contact Bernie Heneghan, Psychotherapist, by email at gawarenesstacufrc@gmail.com or call [087-7005811](tel:087-7005811).

Mayo Cancer Support provides FREE support services to those affected by cancer. Call [094-9038407](tel:094-9038407).

Mindspace Mayo: Mindspace Mayo offers a free support service to young people (12-25yrs) in Co. Mayo, presenting with anything from common concerns (e.g. dealing with break-up, exam stress, bullying) to emerging mental health difficulties like mild depression and anxiety. Mindspace is located in Market Square, Castlebar and anyone can make a referral. Visit www.mindspacemayo.ie or call [094-9067001](tel:094-9067001).

North West STOP offers a free counselling service with no waiting lists. Call or text [086-7772009](tel:086-7772009) to arrange an appointment.

Respect people who wear glasses. They paid money to see you!

