

PRIEST ON DUTY: FR.SEAMUS O'ROURKE C.C. 071-9620118

MASSES FOR SATURDAY 24th & SUNDAY 25th JULY

ST.MARY'S Sat Vigil 8pm: Agnes & Martin Walsh (Anniv)

9am: J.J. Flynn and his parents John Kathleen Flynn (Anniv)

10.30am: John & Margaret Ellen McLoughlin & deceased members
of the McLoughlin family

12 noon: Katie & Willie Garvey (Anniv)

MASSES FROM MONDAY 26th to SATURDAY 31st JULY

ST.MARY'S: Monday 8pm: Mass intention for all who sympathised &
sent cards at the time of Donal Byrne 's passing

Tuesday 10am:

Wednesday 10am:

Thursday 10am:

Friday 8pm: P.J & Doris McKeon (Anniv)

Saturday 10am:

LEITRIM Tuesday 8pm: James Gilchriest (Anniv)

GOWEL Friday 7pm: Michael Cassidy (Anniv)

MASSES FOR SATURDAY 31st JULY & SUNDAY 1st AUGUST

ST.MARY'S Sat Vigil 8-pm: Elizabeth & John Francis Murray (Anniv)

9am: For all deceased parishioners interred in our three cemeteries

10.30am:

12 noon:

PARISH NOTICES:

CLOTHING COLLECTION IN AID OF SLIGO HOSPICE:

We accept clean unwanted clothes bed linen and towels
hats, scarves, handbags and belts.

We do not accept:

Pillows, Cushions, Duvets or Blankets.

Collection Dates:

From Wednesday 21st to Tuesday 27th July

Drop off Location: Kiltoghert Community Centre

Contact ;0879909370 for further enquires

PIONEER ASSOCIATION MEMBERS' RAFFLE 2021:

The Annual Pioneer Association Members' Raffle 2021 is an important Fund-raising event Raffle tickets are still available from Seán Murray, Attracta O' Connor, Pádraig Gilbride, and Séamus Regan. Support of pioneers and non- pioneers alike will be much appreciated.

The Bread Of Life Discourse: The story of the multiplication of the loaves and fish is the most repeated story in the New Testament as it is related six times by the gospel writers. Starting with our gospel for this, the 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time, St. John devotes all of Chapter 6 of his Gospel to explain and reflect on Jesus teaching and action. This is the first of 5 Gospel readings we will hear in the coming Sundays, which is often referred to as the Bread Of Life Discourse or teaching. Perhaps a very worthwhile exercise over the coming weeks would be to try and read Chapter 6 of John's gospel in order that we might get a deeper appreciation of why the Eucharist has such a central place in our lives.

THE DIFFERENCE

I got up early one morning
and rushed right into the day.
I had so much to accomplish
that I didn't have time to pray.
Problems just tumbled about me,
and heavier came each task.
"Why doesn't God help me?" I wondered.
He answered, "You didn't ask".
I wanted to see joy and beauty,
but the day toiled on, grey and bleak.
I wondered why God didn't show me?
He said, "But you didn't ask".
I tried to come into God's presence.
I used all my keys in the lock.
God gently and lovingly chided,
"My child you didn't knock".
I woke up early this morning
and paused before entering the day.
I had so much to accomplish
that I just had to take time to pray.