DIOCESAN NEWSLETTER
JULY 2021

Saint Declan of Ardmore
Feast day: July 24

Prayer

Light of all who sit in darkness:
we remember with thanksgiving
Your servant Saint Declan,
and all those who spread the light
of the Gospel in this land.
Strengthen all those
who bear witness to Christ
and guide us this and every day
in the right way.
Amen.

Saint Declan pray for us.

Holy Well - Ardmore

Holy Well- Toor

Pope Francis has established a World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly, which will take place for the first time on Sunday 25 July 2021 on the theme 'I am with you always' (Mt 28:20). It is a good reminder for all of us to stay close to our elderly in this time of pandemic.

Let us pray for them, and ask the Lord to keep them in his care.

FAITH@HOME INTERACTIVE FAMILY NEWSLETTER

"Faith@Home" is a weekly interactive family newsletter that is designed to help families discuss the Gospel in their homes each week. The digital newsletter features activities and colouring pages for children, family challenges, prayers, Gospel reflections, a teen corner and links to excellent Catholic videos for all the family to help bring the Gospel to life in your home every weekend.

"To the Heights" is a weekly newsletter specifically for Post-Primary aged young people, with resources for schools and Youth Groups. This newsletter will issue weekly again from the end of August onwards, but previous issues and resource packs can be found on www.waterfordlismore.ie/youth-ministry

Download weekly at www.waterfordlismore.ie/resources

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Bereavement Counselling / Support Services

Following the recent changes to the Government guidelines on the lifting of Covid 19 restrictions, we are pleased to let you know that our face-to-face bereavement support and counselling services are once again available

Family Ministry
St. John's Pastoral Centre
Waterford

In addition to this, our online services will continue to operate.

You may contact us at – 051-858772

A Youth 2000 retreat will take place at St Paul's Church, Waterford city from August 13th-15th. The retreat is for anyone aged 16-35 who would like to learn more about their Catholic faith with other young people. The retreat is non-residential and will include music, talks, Confession, Mass & Adoration as well as time for fellowship and meeting new people. For more information about the retreat visit www.youth2000.ie

Bishop Cullinan will climb Croagh Patrick, known as the reek, next Wednesday, July 21st, and celebrate Mass on the summit at 2pm. We will join him in our thoughts and prayers on this special pilgrimage.