

# JUNE 2018

| Sun   | Mon | Tue                              | Wed                                | Thu                         | Fri                                    | Sat                  |
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|   |     |                                  |                                    |                             | 1<br>Connect Re-<br>fresh:<br>10:30am  | 2<br>HOTS 11-<br>1pm |
| 3<br>Service 11am<br>JCMV 2pm                               | 4   | 5<br>Connect-<br>Men: BBQ<br>7pm | 6<br>Connect:<br>Collooney<br>8pm  | 7<br>Connect<br>Sligo: 8pm  | 8<br>Connect Re-<br>fresh:<br>10:30am  | 9<br>HOTS 11-<br>1pm |
| 10<br>Service 11am<br>SCC Picnic<br>Dorley Park<br>JCMV 2pm | 11  | 12<br>Con-<br>nectWome<br>n: BBQ | 13<br>Connect:<br>Collooney<br>8pm | 14<br>Connect:<br>Sligo 8pm | 15<br>Connect Re-<br>fresh:<br>10:30am | 16                   |
| 17<br>Service 11am<br>JCMV 2pm                              | 18  | 19                               | 20<br>Connect:<br>Collooney<br>8pm | 21<br>Connect:<br>Sligo 8pm | 22<br>Connect Re-<br>fresh:<br>10:30am | 23                   |
| 24<br>Service 11am<br>JCMV 2pm                              | 25  | 26                               | 27<br>Connect:<br>Collooney<br>8pm | 28<br>Connect:<br>Sligo 8pm | 29<br>Connect Re-<br>fresh:<br>10:30am | 30                   |

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It can, especially at this time in our nation's history, be hard to feel hopeful, like our voice is being heard or the church is impacting the community. The recent reference seems to have left little other than scars, dis-unity and frustration, on all sides.

**Writing about our response to this a Christian Counsellor suggests this:**

“What is needed now is rest. To let Jesus take you away to a quiet place and let Him speak to your soul. You may have been heavily involved in campaigning, canvassing, praying, etc. It all takes its toll and you need a period of rest and detachment in mind and body to recover balance and health...Before anything else, take time to ...”listen to that Other (God's) voice... letting that Other stronger, quieter life come flowing in...”

**Take time in the coming days to simply sit with the One who brings and restores our hope and who remains at all times:**

**Sovereign Lord**



I felt like the Lord gave me this picture of a drop splashing into water when I was first invited to join the team at the conference and the meaning has become clearer over the conference .

I felt the Lord wanted to thank you for your faithfulness and your persistence to keep pursuing the kingdom. The picture has a number of different elements to it.

Firstly the splash. Every drop that falls creates an impact and a splashing this speaks to the way you have already seen the Lord at work in specific situations and circumstances

Secondly the ripples, they are less obvious than the splash and make less noise, but they make an impact out from the drop. I felt like the Lord wanted you to know you were making an impact around you, in the community, in the area, in other churches and in the nation. Your impact is rippling our far beyond what you realise and see, and beyond what you are dreaming of.

Thirdly I felt like the Holy Spirit wanted to encourage you that the persistence and faithfulness you have shown is raising the water level. As you have been faithful with the things of the kingdom, the 'water level' of his presence has been raised in this place

I felt like this was a picture of who you are and what you have been doing and a prophetic declaration of what you are doing going forward.

I felt strongly to thank you, Sligo City Church, for your faithfulness and to honour your persistence in the pursuit of his kingdom.

**ConnectWomen:**

There will be a BBQ at Ann Kearney's House on Tuesday June 12th for all the ladies wanting to Connect. Please see Ursula or Ann for more details, time to follow.

**ConnectMen:**

There will be a BBQ at George Rich's House on Tuesday June 5th, starting at 7pm, for all the men wanting to Connect. Please see Seamus or George for more details

**"We want to do everything with excellence, in a spirit of intimacy and worship to leave a legacy"**



Just a reminder that we have an opportunity in July to "share your story" of things God is doing in your life. Please speak to Jerome for more information.



A huge Thank You to everyone who supported Invisible Traffick through attending or help preparing for the table quiz. Just under €200 was raised on the night and plans for the next quiz are underway, this will take on July 6th