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WEEKEND MASS TIMES:

Bóthar na Naomh: Saturday 6.30 p.m.; Sunday: 9.30 a.m. & 11.30 a.m.

Cathedral: Saturday 7.30 p.m.; Sunday 8.30 a.m., 10.30 a.m. & 12 noon.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION – BLESSED SACRAMENT CHAPEL:

WEEKDAYS: 11.30 A.M. – 7.30 P.M.; SUNDAYS: 1.00 P.M. – 7.00 P.M.

DEVOTIONS: Cathedral this Sunday @ 7.00 p.m.

A LITURGY OF THANKSGIVING, SUPPORT AND HEALING will be celebrated in Lámh Chúnta, Bóthar Na Naomh, on **Thursday June 11th at 8.00 p.m.** We will gather in thankfulness to God for the many gifts he brings to our Parish groups and community, and also to remember those sitting exams. We will pray for healing too in our lives and there will be an opportunity to write petitions which will be brought to Lourdes on the Diocesan pilgrimage on June 16th. We extend an invitation to all to be part of the liturgy on June 11th.

JUNE CLERGY COLLECTION: Will be taken up at all Masses this weekend. The money collected in each parish goes to a central diocesan fund from which all priests in the Diocese are paid. Target this year: **€165,700.50**. Amount collected to date: **€50,215.00**. (Blue envelope: 7 June 2015) As always we appreciate your generosity.

SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN: We would like to announce that we will celebrate the involvement of children in our parish with 'Safeguarding Children Sunday' on September 27th 2015. Accordingly, we ask that all our parish volunteers complete the required Safeguarding Children documentation for their own protection and to ensure that we continue to provide a safe environment for our children.

POLISH MASS: W Poniedziałek 8 czerwca o godz 18.30 będzie Polska Msza w Koplicy Sióstr w Presentation Convent. Spowiedź Sw. od godz 17.00. Serdecznie Zapraszamy. **Polish Mass:** Presentation Convent Chapel Monday May 11th @ 6.30 p.m.; Confessions @ 5.00 p.m. Polskiej Mszy sw.nie będzie w lipcu i sierpniu. No Polish Mass in July and August.

TRIP FOR ALTAR SERVERS & YOUTH CHOIR: Sunday, June 14th. Forms have been distributed through the schools. If you haven't received a form, please call to the Parish Centre. All permission forms to be returned to the Parish Centre by this Wednesday, June 10th.

LEUGH N.S.: 25 Card Drive in Leugh Muintir na Tire Hall at 8.30 p.m. on Wednesday June 10th. Teas served. Raffle on the night.

SUE RYDER SHOP: Donations of Ladies & Gents clothing, bric-a-brac, etc. New phone number; 0858662574.

UPCOMING PARISH MEETINGS – LÁMH CHÚNTA

Thurs. June 11th, 8.00 p.m.: Liturgy of Thanksgiving, Support & Healing.

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION WITH A DIFFERENCE: Saturday June 6th @ 8.15 p.m.

In celebrating Corpus Christi we acknowledge the source of our calling to belong together as one Body of Christ in accord with the words of St Teresa of Avila:

'Christ has no body now on earth but ours, no hands but ours, no feet but ours. Ours are the eyes through which Christ's compassion is to look out to the world. Ours are the feet by which he is to go about doing good. And ours are the hands by which he is to bless us now'. (Adapted)

who was inspired by the words of scripture as follows:

"For even as the body is one and yet has many members, and all the members of the body, though they are many, are one body, so also is Christ. For by one Spirit we were all baptized into one body, whether Jews or Greeks, whether slaves or free, and we were all made to drink of one Spirit...." (1 Corinthians 12:12-13)

and

"There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to the one hope of your calling, one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of all, who is above all and through all and in all." (Ephesians 4: 4-6)

We give thanks for all the different groups that form the Body of Christ in Thurles.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION May 30th & 31st May 2015:

Cathedral: €2,190.00; Bóthar na Naomh: €1,960.00.

"DEVELOPING VIBRANT COMMUNITIES IN IRELAND, THE LESSONS FROM HOME AND ABROAD": Discussion night in L.I.T., organised by Timmy Hammersley (Clonoulty/Rossmore), on Friday June 19th with a view to inspire people to go out and help make their local communities increasingly vibrant. Proceeds to voluntary assignment with marginalised youth in the town of Bethlehem in the West Bank Palestine.

FLOWER & GARDEN CLUB: Annual Day Trip will take place on June 27th to Wexford area. Non-members welcome. Further information from 20048.

CEILI & SET CLUB: Summer Ceili Sunday June 7th, Band Hall @ 8.00 p.m.

BOOK LAUNCH: *Tom Semple and The Thurles Blues* by Liam Ó Donnchú, at Thurles Sarsfields Centre, beside Semple Stadium, Saturday June 13th at 8.00 p.m. All are welcome.

SUMMER CAMP: Bí Réidh - Irish language immersion Summer Camp for second level students at St. Patrick's College, Thurles late July and mid-August, Mon-Fri 9.00a.m. – 5.00p.m. Contact 0504 23831/21497 or bireidh@gmail.com / office@stpats.ie.

NEWLY BAPTISED: *Kai Daniel Doherty, Lisheen, Moyne. *Darragh Donnacha Dunne, Slievenamon Meadows. *Julia & Tomasz Karol Moskal, Monadreen.

RECENTLY DECEASED: †John Ely, St. Kevin's Park, Littleton. †P.J. Kelly, Fantane, Borrisoleigh.