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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 @ 7.00p.m.

NOVEMBER: MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS

MASSES FOR THE HOLY SOULS will be offered at the regular weekday and weekend Mass times throughout the month of November. November Lists for you to write the names of your departed loved ones are available at back of both Churches and can be placed in the Boxes provided in either Church.

CEMETERY SUNDAY: This Sunday, November 5th – We will visit our parish cemeteries to pray for our deceased loved ones, beginning with St. Patrick's Cemetery at 2.30 p.m.; Killinan 3.15 p.m.; Relig Bríd 3.15 p.m.; Rahealty 3.15 p.m.; Old Shyan 3.15 p.m. and St. Mary's 3.45 p.m.

LITURGY FOR THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED: Cathedral, Sunday Nov. 12th, 7.00 p.m. We remember all our parishioners who have died in the past year.

MEMORIAL LIGHTS: Available at either Sacristy or Parish Centre for those who wish to light a candle in memory of their loved ones.

ALTAR SERVERS: We ask that Altar Servers be accompanied by a parent/guardian who can remain with their child in the church until 10 minutes before the Mass starts when all children then go to the Sacristy.

PRESENTATION SISTERS BI-CENTENNIAL MASS: Sunday November 19th at 2.00 p.m. in the Cathedral of the Assumption. Past pupils and all parishioners are welcome. (Refreshments & Photographic exhibition in Primary School Hall after Mass).

PRESENTATION ASSOCIATES MEETING: Monday Nov. 6th at 7.30 p.m.

INTERCESSION FOR OUR ARCHBISHOP & PRIESTS: Blessed Sacrament Chapel, Sunday November 5th @ 3.00 p.m.

URGENT APPEAL! We are grateful to those who responded to our appeal to distribute the Collection Envelopes to the homes in the parish. These collections, phased throughout the calendar year, are a vital resource for many aspects of our pastoral reality. We are aware that it was difficult for people to contact us as our phones were down. If you are available to help in this essential service kindly contact the Parish Centre on **Monday 6th November.**

UPCOMING PARISH MEETINGS: PARISH CENTRE:

Mon. Nov. 6th, 6.00 p.m.: Safe-Guarding Children Committee Meeting;
Mon. Nov. 6th, 6.30 p.m.: People & Priests Strategy Group Meeting;
Mon. Nov. 6th, 7.30 p.m.: Parish Pastoral Council & Family Mass Committee.
Tues. Nov. 7th, 4.00 p.m.: Parish Youth Choir;
Tues. Nov. 7th, 8.30 p.m.: Parents' Baptism Preparation Meeting.

UPCOMING PARISH MEETINGS: LÁMH CHÚNTA:

Tues. Nov. 7th, 8.15 p.m.: All Parish Eucharistic Ministers.

Induction Ceremony for New Parish Priest for Thurles

Saturday, November 11th, 7.30pm

An historic event is set to take place at the Family Mass, in the Cathedral of The Assumption, on Saturday, 11th November at 7.30pm. as the first Parish Priest for Thurles since 1774 will be inducted into this restored role. Archbishop Kieran O'Reilly, in his recent clerical changes, appointed Fr. James Purcell as Parish Priest of Thurles. The Ceremony of Induction will be performed by Canon Eugene Everard, V.G. which adds even further local interest to the event. Fr. James has specifically chosen the Family Mass for this occasion as he sees himself as joining the wider family of the Thurles Parish community. A warm welcome is extended to all to come along and share in this historic celebration in our Parish.

ACCORD: The Schedule of Marriage Preparation Courses being run by Accord Thurles in 2018 is now available on Accord website at www.Accord.ie

PRO LIFE TRUST: Sincere thanks to all who contributed so generously to our recent Church Gate Collection. €1,420.00 was raised.

AN EVENING WITH JAMES KILBANE: Castleiney Church, Sunday November 5th at 8.00 p.m.

CASHEL & EMLY LOURDES FUNDRAISING COMMITTEE: Social Tea Dance in Halla Na Feile, Cashel, Sun. 5th November. Admission €10 Tickets available on the door or contact Sean O'Connor 086-8423172 for more info.

THEM WAS DAYS, 50 YEARS OF THURLES DRAMA GROUP: Anniversary book will be launched on Thursday November 9th in The Source Arts Centre at 8.00 p.m. by Judge Gerard O'Brien. Gerard's father Dan O'Brien was a founding member in 1967. Everyone, supporters, past members and associates are invited to attend.

CLUB FOR DANCING: Christmas Party: Tickets on sale for Sunday, December 12th, 9.00 p.m. – 12 midnight.

ACTIVE RETIREMENT MEETING: Wednesday November 8th, 11.00 a.m., Order of Malta Rooms, Borrowway.

THURLES CEILI SET CLUB PRESENT 'Carousel C.B.' Sunday November 5th, 8.00 p.m., Band Hall.

'THURLES SARSFIELDS GAA STORY-VOLUME 1' by Liam Ó Donnchú, will be launched by Tony Wall at Thurles Sarsfields Social Centre on Friday, November 10th at 7.30 p.m. All are welcome.

'THE HAUNTING OF CASTLETHULRES' by Thurles man Bill Cooke will be launched in Bookworm on Saturday Nov. 11th @ 6.30 p.m. The hardback book retails at €15.99. All are welcome. Light refreshments provided on the night.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION October 28th & 29th 2017:

Cathedral: €2,162.00; **Bóthar na Naomh:** €2,020.00.

NEWLY BAPTISED: *Mollie Johanna Taylor, Cabragh Court.

RECENTLY DECEASED: †Michael McCarthy, Kennedy Park.



An Garda Síochána- Crime Prevention Message

Lock Up & Light Up. When at home or going out remember to turn on lights, use timer switches, lock windows and doors. Store keys away from windows/letterboxes and don't have large amounts of cash/valuables in your home.

