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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.

**Pallottine College Chapel:** Sunday & Weekday Masses @ 10.00 a.m.

**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 at 7.00 p.m. We gather at Our Lady's Altar.

**EASTER CLERGY COLLECTION:** Sincere thanks to all who contributed to this collection. **Target: €146,433.00.** Amount collected: **€18,680.00.** Amount received to date: **€64,935.83.**

**TRÓCAIRE:** Trócaire thanks all parishioners for their support of this year's Lenten campaign. Please return Trócaire boxes, if you have not already done so, to the Parish Office or either Sacristy.

**FAMILY MASS:** Next Saturday May 11<sup>th</sup> at 7.30 p.m. in the Cathedral. Good Shepherd Sunday – Theme *'Let us walk in the footsteps of Jesus.'*

**UPCOMING PARISH MEETINGS: PARISH CENTRE:**

Tues. May 7<sup>th</sup>, 4.00 p.m.: Parish Youth Choir;  
Tues. May 7<sup>th</sup>, 4.30 p.m.: Liturgy Group Meeting;  
Tues. May 7<sup>th</sup>, 8.30p.m.: Parents' Baptism Preparation Meeting.

**UPCOMING PARISH MEETINGS: LÁMH CHÚNTA**

Tues. May 7<sup>th</sup>, 11.00 a.m.: Deepen your Catholic Faith;  
Tues. May 7<sup>th</sup>, 7.30 p.m.: Thurles Care Special Meeting.  
Wed. May 8<sup>th</sup>, 6.00 p.m.: Thurles Care 5km Walk - Registration

**DEEPEN YOUR CATHOLIC FAITH:** Join Br. Johnson on his mission in Ireland and strengthen your faith through the Scriptures. Learn how it can be applied to our daily lives. **Lámh Chúnta, Thurles, Tuesday May 7<sup>th</sup>, 11.00 a.m. – 2.00 p.m.** Claire (085) 1532258; Patricia (087) 7920700. All welcome.

**THREE HOUR VIGIL TO HONOUR THE FEAST OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA:** Pallottine Chapel, Monday May 13<sup>th</sup>, 7.30 p.m. – 10.30 p.m. consisting of Eucharistic Hour, Marian Hour and concluding with Mass.

**THURLES CARE 5KM WALK:** Wednesday May 8<sup>th</sup>, 7.30 p.m. Registration at 7.00 p.m. in Lámh Chúnta, Bóthar na Naomh. €10 Adults; Children Free. Bring Hi Vis Jacket and a friend. Refreshments served.

**THURLES CARE SPECIAL MEETING:** All members are requested to attend a special meeting in Lámh Chúnta on Tuesday next, May 7<sup>th</sup> at 7.30 p.m.

**DATE FOR YOUR DIARY:** Parish Social Evening, Friday May 31<sup>st</sup>, Premier Hall.

**MEALS ON WHEELS COLLECTION:** This weekend May 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup>. Please support.

**SUIR HAVEN CANCER SUPPORT CENTRE:** Next bereavement support meeting Tuesday May 7<sup>th</sup> 11.00a.m. – 12 midday in Clongour Road. All welcome.

**AN EVENING WITH 'THE PRIESTS':** Musical Trio from the Diocese of Down and Connor will take place in the Cathedral of the Assumption on Friday September 27<sup>th</sup>. Tickets now on sale at Parish Centre and Bookworm, Liberty Square.

**MAY ROSARY:**

Each day in May 2019, thousands of people from all around Ireland will gather at their local Grottos to recite the Rosary for Faith and Life in Ireland. To sign up your local Grotto, text/call 087 278 6552 or at [www.coastalrosaryireland.ie](http://www.coastalrosaryireland.ie)  
**Leugh Grotto:** Every evening during the month of May @ 7.30p.m. All welcome.

**DIOCESAN LISTENING PROCESS:** We encourage everyone to access the full Report Document which is freely available on-line at: <https://cashel-emly.ie/news/the-listening-process/> Copies also available in the Parish Centre. Next Meeting for Thurles Deanery will take place on Wednesday May 8<sup>th</sup>, Templemore Arms at 8.00 p.m. *"The Church in Ireland is at a crossroads, what we do now will have a bearing on the future."* (Diocesan Listening Report).

**SCOIL AILBHE "LATE, LATE SHOW":** Scoil Ailbhe celebrates 70 years with a "Late, Late Show" in the Anner Hotel, on Saturday May 11<sup>th</sup>, at 8.00 p.m. Hosted by Joe Bracken, and featuring chat and music from past and present staff, students and friends, (including Ronan Tynan, Irish tenor). Tickets: €20 available from the school @ 0504 21448. Proceeds towards the Darragh Stakelum Fund.

**LOURDES YOUTH HELPERS FUNDRAISING:** Table Quiz in Noel Ryan's Pub, Friday May 10<sup>th</sup> @ 9.00p.m. Please support. All welcome.

**DURLAS ÓG:** 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration Dinner Dance May 18<sup>th</sup>, Premier Hall. Tickets available from Committee Members.

**70TH ANNIVERSARY REUNION OF ARD NA CROISE PAST AND PRESENT RESIDENTS:** Friday May 17<sup>th</sup> commencing with Mass at 8.00 p.m. in Bóthar na Naomh Church, followed by refreshments in the Sarsfield Centre. Please confirm attendance on 087 2331109 or email [ogormanmt@eircom.net](mailto:ogormanmt@eircom.net)

**DARKNESS INTO LIGHT:** Saturday May 11<sup>th</sup>, 4.15 a.m. – The Dome at Semple Stadium. Register now for DARKNESSINTOLIGHT.IE 5KM Walk.

**THURLES MACRA:** Are hosting a **KNOW YOUR NEIGHBOUR** morning in Lámh Chúnta after 11.30 a.m. Mass on Sunday May 5<sup>th</sup>. All are welcome.

**CHARITY BRIDGE:** Resumes Mon. May 6<sup>th</sup>, 7.30 p.m., Anner Hotel. All welcome

**MO CHARA CAKE SALE:** Sunday, May 5<sup>th</sup>, Cathedral St. after morning Masses.

**CLUB FOR DANCING:** Premier Hall Sunday May 5<sup>th</sup> 8.30p.m. – 11.30p.m. Music by 'Dave Rae'. Admission €9.

**CEILI & SET CLUB:** Sunday May 5<sup>th</sup>, 8.00 p.m., Band Hall. Music by 'Carousel'.

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION April 27<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup> 2019:**

**Cathedral: €2,485.00; Bóthar na Naomh: €2,162.00.**

**NEWLY BAPTISED:** \*Rosie Alice Allen, Thomond Road. \*Brendan Edward Mahony, Slievenamon Road. \*Saoirse Rose Johnstown, Auckland.

**RECENTLY DECEASED:** †Betty Hegney, née Fleming, Kennedy Park. Funeral arriving at Bóthar na Naomh Church this Saturday @ 7.30p.m. Funeral Mass Sunday @ 11.30a.m. followed by private cremation in Shannon Crematorium @ 3.00p.m. †Chanel Byrne, Galbertstown. Funeral arriving to the Cathedral this Sunday @ 11.15a.m. Funeral Mass @ 12.00 noon followed by burial in St. Patrick's Cemetery. †Loretta Jennings Tynan, Castleknock, Co. Dublin. †Lorraine Chute, née Treacy, Grangelough, Borrisoleigh. †Jack Brolan, Bournemouth, England formerly Ballyduag. †Eileen Hogan, née Leen, U.S.A. formerly Innisfallen Avenue. †Brendan Pigott, Dundrum, Dublin formerly Matthew Avenue & Liberty Square.

**May They All Rest in Peace.**