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WEBSITE: www.thurlesparish.ie email: parishcentre@thurlesparish.ie 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. EUCHARISTIC ADORATION – BLESSED SACRAMENT CHAPEL: Weekdays: 11.30 a.m. – 7.30 p.m.; Sundays: 1.00 p.m. – 7.00 p.m.

DEVOTIONS: Please note there will be NO DEVOTIONS this Sunday November 10th.

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 available at back of both Churches and can be placed in the Boxes provided in either Church.

SUIR HAVEN CERMONY OF LIGHT: Church of SS Joseph & Brigid, Bohernanave this **Sunday November 10th** from 5.00 to 6.00 p.m. Candles available in Suir Haven or at the church on the evening of the ceremony. This Ceremony remembers all our loved ones who have passed away with an hour of song and reflections. Candles are lit on the night, donations gratefully received.

CEMETERY SUNDAY: Next Sunday, November 17th. 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 OUR FAITHFUL DEPARTED: Cathedral next Sunday, Nov. 17th at 7.00 p.m. We will 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.

BORRISOLEIGH PARISH CHOIR: We welcome Borrisoleigh Parish Choir who will sing at the **7.30 p.m. Mass in the Cathedral next Saturday, Nov.16th.** Established in 1996, from its onset the choir has been a cherished part of the community and continues to enrich and enhance the many liturgical events which take place in the parish. Over the years the choir has been central to some very special events locally – most notably the First Mass of Fr. Vincent Stapleton and the recent visit from the Papal Nuncio who came to commemorate the life of Bishop Joseph Shanahan.

THURLES PARISH LISTENING PROCESS MEETING: Thursday November 28th. More details next week.

RAISE THE ROOF CHRISTMAS RAFFLE

Tickets now on sale in the Parish Centre – all proceeds to the Cathedral Reroofing Project. Variety of Prizes! (Tickets €2 each or 3 for €5).

FRIENDS OF NANO NAGLE: (Presentation Associates) next meeting Monday Nov. 11th, Presentation Convent, 7.00 p.m. New members welcome.

SHRINE OF OUR LADY – LADY'S WELL: Angelus at 12 noon followed by Rosary on Friday Nov. 15th. All are welcome.

POLISH MASS: Next Sunday, Nov. 17th, Presentation Convent, 11.00 a.m.

UPPERCHURCH PARISH MISSION: Commencing Sunday Nov. 17th at Sacred Heart Church, Upperchurch at 7.30 p.m. Conducted by Redemptorist Mission Team. Details: 0504 54952.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION Nov. 2nd & 3rd 2019: Cathedral: €2,838.00; Bóthar na Naomh: €2,133.00.

UPCOMING PARISH MEETINGS: PARISH CENTRE: Nov. 12th, 4.00 p.m.: Parish Youth Choir.

Tues. Nov. 12th, 4.00 p.m.: Sat. Nov. 16th, 12 noon:

Carol Service Planning Meeting. NEW BOILER APPEAL:

We now have installed a new more efficient Oil Boiler. Following extensive research, we believe that we can make use of Air Source Heat Pump (ASHP) technology to greatly reduce our use of oil. We have made provision for connection of a heat pump system to the distribution header. For such a large building, fitted as it is with a heating system designed to operate at 70C+, it may not be feasible for an ASHP system to cater for 100% of our heating needs. From time to time the higher temperature oil boiler may be needed in very cold weather and so it was deemed appropriate to proceed with the replacement of the oil boiler. Further work is required to finalise a system design and to arrange for an adequate electrical supply and location for the AHSP system. In addition to these heating system considerations, when we replace the roof of the cathedral, we plan to insulate it to a very high standard which will reduce the amount of heat energy required to keep the building comfortable for its occupants and to maintain the building fabric. The new boiler and its installation are costing approximately €55,000. As this is an unforeseen but necessary expense, we invite anyone who would like to donate towards this cost to please do so through the Parish Centre or by using one of the envelopes available on the assigned donation boxes in both churches. Through your generosity €1015.00 was received during this past week bringing the total collected to date to €31,184.10. Míle Buíochas!

CHARITY ONE DAY SALE - LADIES FASHION "SECOND CHANCE AS GOOD AS NEW", Lámh Chúnta, Saturday Nov 16th, 1.00 p.m. – 7.00p.m. Outfits for all occasions, Top Price €30.00. All Proceeds to **CAMEO CARE & THURLES CARE**.

DEMENTIA FRIENDLY: Next Memory Café, Wednesday Nov.13th, 11.00 a.m. - 12.30 p.m., in Bookworm. Topic: Non-Medical Management of Dementia.

ORDER OF MALTA: First Aid Responder Course will take place over three Saturdays, commencing Sat. Nov. 23rd, starting @ 9.30 a.m. Further information: 087 2390111.

THURLES MUSICAL SOCIETY AUDITIONS: Saturday Nov 23 in the Ursuline Secondary School for their upcoming *Made in Dagenham* show which runs in The Premier Hall from March 31 - April 4. Anyone interested in auditioning should email <u>thurlesms@gmail.com</u> to book a time slot and to have audition material advised. One boy (aged 11) and one girl (aged 9) will also be chosen. Experience of stage is advisable, and an Essex accent is essential. Email the above address to register interest. Closing Date for applications: Wed. Nov. 20th.

CHRISTMAS GALA FLOWER DEMONSTRATION: C.B.S. Primary School, Tuesday Nov. 12th, 8.00 p.m. Adm.: €15. Proceeds in aid of Order of Malta Thurles Unit.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

First Communion Parents' Meeting: Wed. Nov. 20th, 7.00 p.m., Bóthar na Naomh Church. **Young People for Confirmation & Parents:** Wed. Nov. 27th, 7.00 p.m., Bóthar na Naomh Church.

Guest Speaker at Meetings: Fr. Chris O'Donnell, Limerick Youth Ministry. Fr. Chris is 'an inspirational young priest' who has worked with youth for over eleven years.

Mass of Joy with **First Communion Children** and families and **Young People for Confirmation** and families on Sat. Dec. 14th @ 7.30 p.m. – Cathedral Vigil Mass.

NEWLY BAPTISED: *Shelina Sultana Cawley Rahman, Hawthorn Drive. *Ailbhe Gleeson, The Willows, Clongour.

RECENTLY DECEASED: TRobert (Rob) Tynan, Moneygourney, Douglas, Cork formerly Banteer, Cork. TBridie Ryan, Park, Rossmore. John Tierney, Kilmallock, Co. Limerick. Patrick Wade, Kilburn, London formerly 23 Kennedy Park. John O'Brien, Gleann Rí, Holycross.

May They All Rest in Peace.