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NEW MASS TIMES:

These have been influenced by the survey conducted in 2019 and by the impact of the Covid pandemic and what we learned as a result.

THURLES PARISH NEW MASS TIMES:

Weekend Masses:

Cathedral: Saturday Vigil 7.00 p.m., Sunday 9.00 a.m. & 11.00 a.m.

Bóthar na Naomh Church: Sunday 10.00 a.m. & 7.00 p.m.

Weekdays:

Cathedral: Monday - Friday: 11.00 a.m. Monday, Wednesday & Friday: 7.00 p.m.

Bóthar na Naomh: Tuesday & Thursday: 7.00 p.m. Saturday: 10.00 a.m.

FOR OUR STREAMING SERVICE ON-LINE please visit www.thurlesparish.ie.

BOTHAR NA NAOMH CHURCH GOLDEN JUBILEE:

Friday June 10th, commencing with Mass at 7.00 p.m. followed by Refreshments & Music in the Marquee in the Church Grounds. Your donations of cakes (not fresh cream) and confectionary will be gratefully received. Please phone the Parish Office (0504 22229) if you can provide Confectionary for this special event. Thank you!

WEEKLY ENVELOPE CONTRIBUTION: We are very grateful for your Weekly Contributions - €2,970.00 received. Donation Boxes for the Weekly Offertory Collection are placed around the Cathedral & Bóthar na Naomh Church.

FAMILY MASS: *Blessed are the peacemakers* - what ingredients are needed for us to make peace? To find out, join us at our Family Mass this Saturday, 21st May @ 7.00 p.m. in Cathedral.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2022: Congratulations to the children from Rahealty National School & Gaelscoil Bhríde who received their First Communion this Saturday and to all the children in the parish who received their First Holy Communion over the last few weeks.

CARE OF THE SICK: If you have a family member ill at home and would like a priest to visit, please contact the Parish Office at the above numbers.

LEGION OF MARY: The Rosary will be recited daily during the month of May, 6.00 p.m. at Bóthar Na Naomh Grotto. All are welcome.

LEGION OF MARY CENTENARY CELEBRATIONS CASHEL & EMLY DIOCESE:

Sunday June 11th: Gathering for Young People, (16 -35 years), 3.00 – 5.00 p.m. in Edel Quinn Hall. Fr. Vincent Stapleton will celebrate Mass.

Sunday June 12th: Thanksgiving Mass in Cathedral at 3.00 p.m. Chief Celebrant – Archbishop Kieran O'Reilly.

Friday June 17th: Talk on Rosary by Marius O'Reilly in the Cathedral with Mass at 7.00 p.m. All welcome. See Church Notice Boards for further details.

MOTHERS' PRAYERS MEETING: Every Monday at 7:30 p.m. in Thurles Parish Centre for an evening of prayer, fellowship and chat. This group offers a wonderful opportunity to meet other mums, support each other and share our experiences in a confidential space. All mums welcome! Enquiries @ 0860847172.

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY: The Celtic Brothers (formerly known as The Willoughby Brothers) in Concert on Friday September 30th, 2022, Thurles Cathedral. Tickets will be available shortly.

KILLINAN ANNUAL CEMETERY MASS: Thursday June 16th, 7.00 p.m.

ST. PATRICK'S ANNUAL CEMETERY MASS: Friday June 24th, 7.00 p.m.

Our opportunity to pray for our deceased family members and friends.

PADRE PIO PILGRIMAGE SUNDAY MAY 29TH: Ceremonies will begin at 1.30 p.m. with the Rosary followed by Stations of the Cross, Sacrament of the Sick and concelebrated Mass at 3.00 p.m. All are welcome to come and pray.

ROSARY AT THE GROTTOS: Daily during the month of May at grottos around Ireland. To see a list of locations, or to register a grotto (or other suitable location) simply visit www.coastalrosaryireland.ie. You can also register by texting 087 278 6552.

ALL IRELAND ROSARY RALLY IN KNOCK: Sat. June 4th from 1.30p.m. Includes Mass, Rosary, Stations of the Cross & a talk on the Rosary. Main Celebrant: Papal Nuncio, Archbishop Jude Okolo. Bishop Michael Duignan will deliver the homily. A bus will leave from the following areas that morning. Please book your seat: Tipperary (Thurles) Jim (085 827 8014); Tipperary (Cashel) Maura (086 0622087).

SCOIL AILBHE SUMMER COFFEE MORNING AND CAKE SALE: All are welcome to join us on Friday, May 27th, from 9.30a.m. to 12.30p.m. for this very special event. Spread the word - bring a friend!

THE THIRD AGE CHARITY'S 'FAILTE ISTEACH' SERVICE available in most counties to facilitate improved English language skills for refugees. This service is free. To locate the nearest English language class visit <https://www.thirdageireland.ie/failte-isteach/locations>

THURLES LIBRARY are hosting their final Bealtaine event this week. Join us on Monday, May 23rd at 11.00 a.m. for a 'Historic Costume' fancy dress & tea party with designer Tara Nelson. Booking for this FREE event is essential at 052-6166131. Full details are available on our website.

DROM NATIONAL SCHOOL: Concert in aid of the North Tipperary Hospice on June 9th at 7.00 p.m. A mega raffle will also take place on the night with a top prize of €1,000! Check it out at <https://idonate.ie/raffle/DromSummerEvening>. All support is very much appreciated.

CATHEDRAL OF THE ASSUMPTION "RAISE THE ROOF" LOTTO INITIATIVE

Weekly Lotto Draw Results: 6; 9; 22; 24. The Jackpot was not won this week.

Cash Prize of €50 to weekly lucky winner – Kathleen Devaney, Thurles.

Next Draw: May 26th – Jackpot €2,425.00.

A sincere thank you to those who have joined and continue to support our "Raise the Roof" weekly lotto. The roof for the Cathedral was estimated at €1.5 million but with substantial increases in materials, inflation, etc., our target will be considerably greater so there is a very significant challenge facing us all. If you are not already a member, we encourage you to please join the lotto as we seek to raise the very significant sum required to undertake this essential work. Please also encourage family and friends to join. The lotto is available on-line only. To join visit www.thurlesparish.ie and click on the "Join Lotto" button. If you need assistance in joining the Lotto please contact the Parish Office and Louise or Marie will do their best to help you. **Your generosity is very much appreciated.**

NEWLY BAPTISED: *Séimí John Gleeson, The Willows. *Alayna Rose McCormack, Coolkenedy.

RECENTLY DECEASED: †Yvonne Ryan, Semple Villas, Bohernanave. †Peter Brennan, Bohernanave. †Catherine O' Toole, née Mason, Rosemount. †Angela Ryan, née Johnston, Killahara. †Sr. Breda Coman, Sisters of Mercy, Church Street, Templemore formerly Boherlahan. †Edward (Eddie) Phillips, Killarney, Co. Kerry formerly Bohernamona Road. †Seamus Kent, Templeogue, formerly Borrisoleigh.

May They Rest in Peace.