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THURLES PARISH 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:

GOLDEN JUBILEE BOOK: To mark the golden jubilee of St Joseph & St Brigid's Church, Bóthar Na Naomh, a special commemorative book has been published and is on sale in the Parish Centre, Bookworm and Easons. It charts the many celebrations, the personalities, the events and the neighbours associated with Bóthar na Naomh. Make sure to get your copy.

GOLDEN JUBILEE COMMEMORATIVE C.D.: "Faith, Hope & Love", featuring Bóthar Na Naomh Cantors, Bóthar Na Naomh Choir, & our three Priests – also on sale at €10.00. All proceeds toward the Cathedral "Raise the Roof" Project.

CONTINUING EDUCATION OF PRIESTS COLLECTION: A gentle reminder that this Collection takes place next weekend, July 3rd 2022. This fund is used to provide priests with in-service training so that they can continue to minister effectively to enhance the life of our parish communities throughout the diocese. We appreciate your generosity but understand if you are unable to contribute during these difficult times.

WEEKLY ENVELOPE CONTRIBUTION: We are very grateful for your Weekly Contributions - €3,695.00 received. Donation Boxes for the Weekly Offertory Collection are placed around the Cathedral & Bóthar na Naomh Church.

TRÓCAIRE & UKRAINE COLLECTIONS: A big thanks to all who contributed to these collections: Total collected to date: Trócaire: 13,631.00; Ukraine Appeal: 16,470.00.

JULY FIRST FRIDAY CALLS: Frs. Jim, Joe & Vincent will make contact with you prior to visiting.

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

ACCORD THURLES requires volunteers, who would be willing to sit in the Accord Centre during out of office hour relationship counselling appointments. If you have some time to spare, and would like more information on volunteer sitter role, please call us on 050422279.

2022 PILGRIMAGE SEASON: Cashel & Emlý Three Day Pilgrimage to Lough Derg – Monday – Wednesday, July 11th – 13th. Contact: Fr. Martin Murphy @ 0863868877 or Bridget O'Dea @ 086 6792754.

CATHEDRAL OF THE ASSUMPTION "RAISE THE ROOF" LOTTO INITIATIVE

Weekly Lotto Draw Results: 11; 22; 24; 29. The Jackpot was not won this week.

Cash Prize of €50 to weekly lucky winner – Mary Dobbyn

Next Draw: June 30th – Jackpot €3,625.00.

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. **Coinciding with the launch of our 'Raise the Roof' Lotto our Direct Donations to the Cathedral Reroofing Project have increased steadily: €47,097.00 – total amount received since June 2021. Your generosity is very much appreciated.**

REFRESH THURLES TIDY TOWN: Refresh Thurles Tidy Town Group will host an evening with Albert Nolan, Ecologist, Biodiversity Commentator & Columnist, on **Wednesday next, June 29th, 7.00 p.m.** in the Order of Malta Centre, Borroway. Readers of the Tipperary Star will be familiar with Albert's interesting and informative articles on the natural environment and wildlife in his familiar, "To the Waters and the Wild" style and so an enjoyable evening is guaranteed. Do come along. All welcome!

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>

AN EVENING TO LOOK FORWARD TO... The Celtic Brothers (formerly known as The Willoughby Brothers) in Concert on **Friday September 30th, 2022, Thurles Cathedral.** Tickets now available in the Parish Office, Cathedral Street & Bookworm, Liberty Square. Ticket Donation: €30.00. All proceeds towards the Cathedral "Raise the Roof" Project.

NEWLY BAPTISED: *Darcie Theia Dolan, Tarmon Drive. *Elliott James Sweeney - O'Connell, Kincora Terrace, Brittas Road. *Caoimhe Rosemary Hennessy, Glenbrook Place, Passage West, Cork. *Anna St. John Graves, Sydney Australia.

RECENTLY DECEASED: †Sr. Aloysius (Rosie) Hourigan, Ursuline Sisters, Thurles. †Sr. Eileen Egan, St. John of God Convent, Sallyville House, Newtown Road, Wexford, formerly Moyne. †Jimmy Butler, Upperchurch, formerly Horse & Jockey.

May They Rest in Peace.

