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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 visit [www.thurlesparish.ie](http://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 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. Cost: €10.

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

**WEEKLY ENVELOPE CONTRIBUTION:** We are very grateful for your Weekly Contributions - **€3,260.00** received. Donation Boxes for the Weekly Offertory Collection are placed around the Cathedral & Bóthar na Naomh Church.

**CONTRIBUTIONS TO THURLES PARISH:** We have received several enquiries regarding paying Collection & Weekly Contributions directly into the Parish Bank Account. This can be done by setting up a standing order (forms available in the Parish Office), by Electronic Transfer or by donating through the Diocesan website @ [www.cashel-emly.ie](http://www.cashel-emly.ie)

**CHARITY TAX FORMS:** We remind all parishioners who have generously contributed in excess of €250.00 annually to our envelope collections to return your CHY3/CHY4 Form to the Parish Office as soon as possible. We appreciate your continued generosity & support.

**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.

**TEMLEREE GRAVEYARD MASS:** Friday August 5<sup>th</sup>, 7.00 p.m. All welcome.

**DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK:** Sunday, August 7<sup>th</sup>, 2022. After two years of "Virtual Pilgrimages" from Knock, we now, thank God, return to the traditional pilgrimage. Bus will leave from Cathedral at 8.00 a.m. & Town Hall, Templemore at 8.30 a.m. To secure a seat contact Jim @ 085 8278014.

**AN EVENING TO LOOK FORWARD TO...** The Celtic Brothers (formerly known as The Willoughby Brothers) in Concert on **Friday September 30<sup>th</sup>, 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.

**CATHEDRAL OF THE ASSUMPTION "RAISE THE ROOF" LOTTO INITIATIVE**

**Weekly Lotto Draw Results: 1; 12; 17; 25.**

**The Jackpot was not won this week.**

**Congratulations to the weekly Cash Prize winner!**

**Next Draw: July 28<sup>th</sup> – Jackpot €4,550.00.**

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](http://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.**

**STEP BY STEP TO FEED THE NEXT CHILD:** You are invited to participate in Step by Step Sponsored Walk to Knock, Co. Mayo, **August 7<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup>**. Meet at Thurles Cathedral Sunday August 7<sup>th</sup>, 8.30 a.m. to walk from Thurles to Templemore, (First Step). Information from [www.marysmeals.ie/stepbystep](http://www.marysmeals.ie/stepbystep) or contact 087 7080736.

**NEWLY BAPTISED:** \* Bonnie Robyn May Gleeson, College Green. \*Tadhg Holohan, Sean Treacy Ave. \*Patrick Jeremiah Ryle, Killinan.

**RECENTLY DECEASED:** †Kathleen Abbott, née Quigley, Yorkshire, U.K., formerly College View. †Michael Egan, Canada, formerly Brittas Road. †Maureen Bergin, née Quinn, Dunshaughlin, Co. Meath, formerly Killinan.

*May They Rest in Peace.*

**A THANKSGIVING BLESSING**

*May an abundance of gratitude burst forth as you reflect upon what you have received.*

*May thanksgiving overflow in your heart, and often be proclaimed in your prayer.*

*May you gather around the table of your heart the ardent faithfulness, kindness and goodness of each person who is true to you.*

*May the harvest of your good actions bring forth plentiful fruit each day.*

*May you discover a cache of hidden wisdom among the people and events that have brought you distress and sorrow.*

*May your basket of blessings surprise you with its rich diversity of gifts and its opportunities for growth.*

*May all that nourishes and resources your life bring you daily satisfaction and renewed hope.*

*May you slow your hurried pace of life so you can be aware of, and enjoy, what you too easily take for granted.*

*May you always be open, willing, and ready to share your blessings with others.*

*May you never forget the Generous One who loves you lavishly and unconditionally.*

- Joyce Rupp