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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.

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**COLLECTION FOR THE POPE (PETER'S PENCE):** Sincere thanks to all who contributed to this Collection.

**WEEKLY ENVELOPE CONTRIBUTION:** We are very grateful for your Weekly Contributions - €3,405.00 received. Donation Boxes for the Weekly Offertory Collection are placed around the Cathedral & Bóthar na Naomh Church.

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY/PRAY AND PLAY:** Commencing in Thurles Parish soon. Pray and Play is a space set up during the 10.00 a.m. Mass in Bóthar na Naomh where younger primary school children (Junior Infants to First Class) will be brought to Lamh Chúnta Hall for a child-friendly version of the Gospel (during the liturgy of the Word at Mass) with activities to help them to better understand God's Word - such as reflection and chat, artwork, song and drama. Further details will follow in next week's newsletter.

**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.

**DEEPEN YOUR CATHOLIC FAITH:** Join Br. Johnson on his mission in Ireland and strengthen your faith through the Scripture. Learn how it can be applied to our daily lives. Lámh Chúnta, Thurles, Tuesday September 27<sup>th</sup>, 5.00 p.m. – 9.30 p.m. with Mass in Bóthar na Naomh Church at 7.00 p.m. Contact Claire on 085 1532258; Eileen 087 2454697. All welcome.

**PILGRIMAGE TO LOUGH DERG & KNOCK.** Bus Monday Sept 12<sup>th</sup>. Mass in Knock. Dinner B & B in the Great Northern Hotel Bundoran. Tuesday Sept. 13<sup>th</sup> travel to Lough Derg for Day Retreat 10.00a.m. to 4.00 p.m. Meal on return journey @ Gleeson's Roscommon. Cost €190 pps. Contact Bridget O'Dea on 086 6792754.

**LEGION OF MARY:** Bus to Knock on Sunday Sept. 25<sup>th</sup> from Cathedral @ 7.45 a.m. sharp. Contact Noreen on 087 6663243 or Jim 085 8278014.

**PILGRIMAGE MEDJUGORJE:** Sept. 29<sup>th</sup> – Oct. 8<sup>th</sup>. Details from Sadie @ 087 6210512.

**HOLYCROSS ABBEY SOLEMN NOVENA 2022:** Holycross Solemn Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help continues until September 16<sup>th</sup>. Weekday sessions at 7.00 a.m., 10.30 a.m., 4.30 p.m. & 7.30 p.m. (please note no 9.30 p.m. session this year & there is a 12.30 p.m. session on Sunday but no 4.30 p.m.). Blessing of Infants Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> at 2.30pm and the Penitential Service Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> at 7.30 p.m. For information, please contact 0504-43124 or email [hbparishoffice@gmail.com](mailto:hbparishoffice@gmail.com) BUS FROM CATHEDRAL STREET DAILY – contact 0504 43227 or 086 2452249 for details.

**CATHEDRAL OF THE ASSUMPTION "RAISE THE ROOF" LOTTO INITIATIVE**  
Weekly Lotto Draw Results: 15; 18; 20; 30. The Jackpot was not won this week.  
Congratulations to the weekly Cash Prize winner: Christina Ryan, Thurles.

Next Draw: September 15<sup>th</sup> – Jackpot €6,150.00.

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. **Your generosity is very much appreciated.**

**MEN FOR CHRIST CONFERENCE 2022** – Live on Radio Maria (88.7 FM) Saturday Sept. 17<sup>th</sup> from 2.00 p.m. Speakers for this year's Conference are Fr. Jamie Twohig SAC, John Pridmore, David Quinn and Fr. Marius O'Reilly.

**ANAM CARA TIPPERARY** the organisation that supports bereaved parents, monthly Parent Evening for bereaved parents Monday September 19<sup>th</sup> at 7:15 p.m. in the Horse and Jockey Hotel. This event is free and open to all bereaved parents regardless of the age your child died, the circumstances of their death, or whether their death was recent or not. We also offer an online meeting. For more information, please contact us on [info@anamcara.ie](mailto:info@anamcara.ie) or 085 288 8888.

**TIPPERARY EDUCATION ADULT LEARNING SERVICE – RETAIL SKILLS:** Get yourself ready for a career in retail. Join our part-time course running every Thursday from 10.00 a.m. to 1.00 p.m. in Colaiste Eile. This course is free of charge. Starting soon. Contact Mary Jo or Nicola now to register on 087 351 8221 or 067 31845.

**THURLES DISTRICT FLOWER & GARDEN CLUB:** Next meeting Tuesday Sept. 13<sup>th</sup>, Order of Malta Hall at 8.00 p.m. Talk by Linda Kelly of Clonmel Garden Centre. Non-members welcome.

**NEW CRAFT GROUP STARTING IN THURLES LIBRARY:** Every Monday morning from 10.30 am.-12.30 p.m. Starting Monday September 12<sup>th</sup>. Bring along whatever craft you enjoy, meet like-minded people, share ideas and have a chat over a nice cuppa! Information @ 052-6166131 or email [thurleslibrary@tipperarycoco.ie](mailto:thurleslibrary@tipperarycoco.ie)

**THURLES I.C.A.:** Next meeting Wednesday, Sept. 14<sup>th</sup>, Order of Malta Hall, 11.00 a.m.

**ONLY THREE WEEKS TO GO!!** The Celtic Brothers (formerly known as The Willoughby Brothers) in Concert on **Friday September 30<sup>th</sup>, 2022, Thurles Cathedral.** The Celtic Brothers have entertained and endeared audiences for the past number of years and are delighted to bring their newly evolved show to the Cathedral. Their unique and recognisable sound includes a repertoire featuring a blend of Irish ballads, popular classics and contemporary songs. Their passion for singing and performing, combined with a genuine closeness, stems from a childhood filled with music and singing, a love they carried with them throughout the years and into adulthood. The Celtic Brothers have made a big impression on the national and international music scene and we look forward to a very enjoyable evening in the Cathedral of the Assumption on Friday, September 30<sup>th</sup>. **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:** \*Leah Kate Cull, Derheen.

**RECENTLY DECEASED:** †Kathleen Haven, Moyne Road. †Sean Hayden, Cooleeney, Moyne. †Bridget Egan, née Slattery, Highpoint, Western Road, Clonmel.

*May They Rest in Peace.*