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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.

Weekdavs:

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.

CATHEDRAL OF THE ASSUMPTION "RAISE THE ROOF" LOTTO INITIATIVE Weekly Lotto Draw Results July 20th: Winning Numbers: 2; 3; 26; 30.

The Jackpot was not won this week.

Cash Prize of €50 to the weekly lucky winner: – Martina Heffernan, Two-mile-borris. Next Draw: July 28th. Jackpot €2,225.00.

We urgently appeal to you, if you have not already done so, to join our weekly lotto so that we can reroof the Cathedral of the Assumption without delay- we need this income to fund this essential project.

What you can do:

Join our Lotto for as little as $\mathfrak{C}2$ for one line or $\mathfrak{C}5$ per week for three lines if you are not already a member;

To join go to <u>www.thurlesparish.ie</u> and click on the "Join Lotto" button or contact the Parish Office for assistance.

Encourage family members and friends living at home or away, neighbors, work colleagues or employees to join the Lotto.

Make a donation to the fund if you do not wish to or cannot join the Lotto.

Continue supporting our fundraising initiatives including concerts etc.

Sincere thanks to all who support the 'Raise the Roof' Lotto Initiative.

WEEKLY ENVELOPE CONTRIBUTION: We are very grateful for your Weekly Offertory Contributions - €4,335.00 received. As we introduced additional Collection Boxes in our Churches during the Covid restrictions to replace the Offertory Bags – now that we are using the Offertory Bags again the surplus Offertory Collection Boxes around the Churches will be removed during the next few weeks.

CASHEL & EMLY DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK: Sunday August 6th. Bus leaving Liberty Square at 8.00 a.m. For further information contact Bridget @ 0504 21096 or Jim @ 085 8278014.

CASHEL & EMLY THREE DAY PILGRIMAGE TO LOUGH DERG: Monday July 24^{th} – Wednesday 26^{th} July. For information & bookings contact: Bridget O'Dea o86- 6792754, Fr Martin Murphy o86 3868877, Fr Joe Tynan o87 2225445.

POLISH MASS: Sunday July 30th, 1.00 p.m., Presentation Convent. Msza Polska odbedzie sie 30 lipca w kaplicy Siostr Presentation Convent o godz 13tej. Mozliwosc Spowiedzi Sw.

MARY'S MEALS ANNUAL WALK: 11th Annual Step by Step to Feed the Next Child Walk will leave seven locations around Ireland on August 7th and converge at Knock Shrine on August 15th. If you would like to get involved, we'd love your support! Accommodation, drivers and general help required. Please contact Fr Eamonn Kelly at 087-9077985 or check out www.marysmeals.ie

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

NOSTALGIA MUSIC NIGHT: Hits from the 70's,80's, & 90's in the **Premier Hall, September 2nd. D.J. Micky Mac from RTE GOLD** will bring you a variety of hits from 70's − 90's. Tickets: €20 now available from the Parish Centre or online @ gr8events.ie. **All proceeds to Cathedral Reroofing Project.**

'THE PRIESTS' from the Diocese of Down & Conor in Northern Ireland, will perform in the Cathedral of the Assumption on Friday September 29th, 2023. Their superb concert in September 2019 was an outstanding success. We look forward to another notable night in aid of the Cathedral Reroofing Project. TICKETS NOW AVAILABLE in the Parish Office (22229) or Bookworm (22257). Ticket Donation: €35.

HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE: September $22^{\text{nd}} - 30^{\text{th}}$ to Bethlehem, Nazareth & Sea of Galilee with Fr. Celsus Tierney – only 4 seats remaining, contact Holycross Parish Office at 0504-43124 or Marian Travel on 01-8788159 for information.

ESCORTED 3 NIGHT PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE: 3rd August 2023: Price includes return transfers via train or bus, 3 nights in Knock House Hotel with full board. All entertainment and excursions included. Pilgrimage concludes with Mass in the Basilica celebrated by Archbishop Kieran O'Reilly on the Annual Diocesan Day for Cashel & Emly. For more information contact Patricia on 087 1890 236 or email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com.

LIGHT THE FIRE HILL OF SLANE: With Sr. Briege McKenna, Fr Pablo Escriva de Romani and Dana. Sunday 6th August 1.00 p.m to 4.30 p.m. Information @ Hillofslaneaugust6@gmail.com

YOUNG ADULT CATHOLIC CONFERENCE - AUGUST 19th & 20th 2023: Under 'Mary's Mantle' is a conference on faith and culture for young adults (18-35) with talks, prayer, Mass, Confession, workshops, food and social in the historic All Hallows Campus, D.C.U., Dublin. A chance to build your faith in friendship with young men and women from across the country. Discounted tickets available for both days. Single day tickets are also as follows: Two-day Saturday & Sunday - €60. Day rates: Saturday - €40.Sunday - €30. Students get a 10% discount. Information @ deusetpatria@gmail.com or call 0851442423.

THE ROCKSHIELD PROGRAMME: First edition on Emotional Wellbeing - a step-by-step guide on how to manage your wellbeing, which we all know is vitally important. Now for sale. Contact Joe Ryan, Moakland, Upperchurch on 087 4549564.

THE VILLAGE MARKET HOLYCROSS - Sat July 29th, 12 noon – 3.00 p.m. Join us for our **Barking Mad Novelty Dog Show** & Complimentary **BBQ** in beautiful Holycross village. Lots of categories and great prizes. Register your dog by July 27th for €3 (payable at the gate) by emailing thevillagemarketholycross@gmail.com or what's ap **089** 410 9309. Proceeds will go to a local Dog Rescue.

NEWLY BAPTISED: *Joseph John Gannon, Slievenamon Road. *Aoibh Mary Ní Ríordán, Dublin.

RECENTLY DECEASED: \$John Maxey, Childers Park. Funeral Mass this Sunday, Bóthar na Naomh Church at 10.00 a.m. followed by Burial in St. Patrick's Cemetery. \$Tom O'Brien, Galbally,Co. Limerick formerly Cathedral Street, Thurles. Funeral Mass this Sunday, Cathedral at 11.00 a.m. followed by Burial in St. Patrick's Cemetery. \$Albert Cleary, 8 Clohessy Place, The Ragg. Funeral Mass this Monday, Cathedral at 11.00 a.m. followed by Burial in St Patrick's Cemetery. \$J.J. (James) Donnelly, Childers Park. Funeral arrangements later. \$Corey Moore, Kennedy Park. \$John Martin, Carhue, Dundrum. \$Anne Hickey, née Doyle, Dundrum Road, Tipperary Town, formerly Urlingford. \$Martin Purcell, Glenville, Cork, formerly Loughmore.

May They Rest in Peace.