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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.

CATHEDRAL OF THE ASSUMPTION "RAISE THE ROOF" LOTTO INITIATIVE

Weekly Lotto Draw Results Sept 21st: Winning Numbers: 11; 18; 19; 27.

Congratulations to the weekly Cash Prize winner of €50:

Next Draw: September 28th: Jackpot €4,500.00.

We urgently appeal to you, if you have not already done so, to join our weekly lotto so that we can re-roof 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 €2 for one line or €5 per week for three lines if you are not already a member;

To join go to www.thurlesparish.ie 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 - €3,575.00 received.

OCTOBER CLERGY COLLECTION: Takes place next weekend, 30th Sept./1st Oct 2023 (White Envelope: 01-Oct-23). The money collected in each parish goes to a central diocesan fund from which all the priests are paid. Jim, Joe & Vincent say "thank you" for your continued support on behalf of the Priests of the Archdiocese.

THURLES PARISH YOUTH CHOIR: Rehearsal every Tuesday from 4.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. in the Parish Centre. The choir is for boys and girls from 3rd class to 6th class. They sing at Saturday evening Mass once a month and on other special occasions. New members welcome.

HOLY FACE PRAYER GROUP: Fr. Brendan Walsh will celebrate Mass in Littleton Church on Tuesday September 26th @ 7.00 p.m. with Holy Face Healing Prayers @ 6.00 p.m. All are welcome.

POOR CLARES: VOCATIONS' AFTERNOON for young women considering a vocation will take place on Sat, September 30th, from 2.00 p.m. - 4.00 p.m. in Poor Clare Monastery, College Road, Cork. Contact: vocationspoorclarescork@gmail.com visit www.poorclarescork.ie

POLISH MASS: Sunday, Oct. 1st at 1.00 p.m. in Presentation Convent Chapel. Polska Msza Sw. Odbędzie się w niedzielę 1szego października o godz 13tej w kaplicy Siostr Presentation Convent. Możliwość Spowiedzi Sw.

COMING THIS WEEK....



Come and enjoy an evening of Music & Song with the musical Trio, 'THE PRIESTS' from the Diocese of Down & Connor in Northern Ireland, in the Cathedral of the Assumption on **Friday September 29th, 2023, at 8.00 p.m. (Doors open at 7.00 p.m.)** 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 AVAILABLE in the Parish Office (22229) or Bookworm (22257); Holycross Parish Office (0504 43124) & Cashel Parish Office (062 62200).

Ticket Donation: €35. Please note that due to copyright regulations the Concert cannot be live streamed. The Cathedral will be closed from 12.30 p.m. Friday September 29th to prepare for the concert. **NO PARKING** available in the Cathedral yard on Friday from after 11.00 a.m. Mass onwards. **Don't forget to bring your cushion!**

There will be NO EVENING MASS in the Cathedral on Friday September 29th.

PAT STAKELUM LEGEND OF THE ASH INVITE: The Stakelum family welcome all to the launch of a book about the life and times of All-Ireland winning Tipperary senior hurling captain Pat Stakelum, in Ballycahill Community Centre on Sat., Oct. 7th, 8:00pm. The book, written in conjunction with author Noel Dundon, will be available on the night and also in local outlets.

THURLES CATHEDRAL FOLK GROUP: Resuming Saturday, Sept. 30th at 7.00 p.m. Mass. Open to all young people from 13 years up. New members welcome. Please contact Annmarie Dwan or Ann Commins at thurlescathedralfg@gmail.com for more information.

NEWLY BAPTISED: * Robin Rose O'Sullivan, Bray, Co. Wicklow.

RECENTLY DECEASED: †Sr. Theophane Doyle, Presentation Convent, Thurles formerly Killenaule. †Willie O'Dwyer, The Steeple, Littleton. †Anne Marie Ryan (Jerry), Daughters of Charity, Lisnagry, Limerick, formerly Upperchurch. †Jeremiah O'Connor, Ardeen Nursing Home, formerly Toor, Duag, Co Kerry. †Marion Roche, née Fitzgerald, formerly Horse & Jockey, Dublin, Galway & Tenerife. †Margaret Halpenny, née Barry, Los Angeles, formerly Drombane.

May They Rest in Peace.

SEASON OF CREATION 2023

September 1st - October 4th (Feast of St. Francis of Assisi)

The Film '**The Letter - A Message for our Earth**' was launched by the Vatican in 2022. The Letter is a powerful movie which tells the story of four people from very different backgrounds and the roles they are playing to care more deeply for our common home. Their voices represent the communities of the indigenous, science, youth and the poor. The real story is about the movement of hearts that is needed to address the damage caused by the abuse of creation. Dr. Asner (representing the voice of science) said '...The climate crisis cannot be solved by technology ... it's all of you... we need you.' '**The Letter**' film will be shown in the Excel Cinema, Tipperary on **Thursday 28th September, at 7.30 pm.** All are welcome. Admission is free. Jane Mellet (Trócaire) will be present and will respond to any questions after the showing.

*"The entire material universe speaks of God's love,
his boundless affection for us.*

Soil, water, mountains: everything is, as it were, a caress of God." (Pope Francis)