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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.

NOVEMBER – MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS

MASSES FOR THE HOLY SOULS will be offered at the weekday and weekend Masses throughout the month of November. November Envelopes are available at back of both Churches and in the Parish Office. Completed Lists can be placed in the Boxes provided in either Church or the Parish Centre.

INDULGENCES: See Church Notice Boards.

MEMORIAL LIGHTS: Available at either Sacristy or Parish Centre for those who wish to light a candle in memory of their loved ones.

ANNUAL MASS: For Deceased Members of Rahealty Community will take place on **Friday, November 24th**, 7.00 p.m. in the Cathedral.

WEEKLY ENVELOPE CONTRIBUTION: We are very grateful for your Weekly Offertory Contributions - **€4,998.00** received.

FAMILY MASS: We invite all families to join us in celebrating our Family Mass on Saturday next Nov 25th at 7.00 p.m. in the Cathedral. Theme: *"I was hungry & you gave me food"*. Together we will explore how best to serve Jesus in the poor.

READERS COURSE: Wed. Nov. 29th, Lámh Chúnta, Bóthar na Naomh, 7.30 p.m. We hope all our Parish Readers can attend this evening, organised by the Diocesan Pastoral Personnel.

ROSARY & DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET: Will be recited each Saturday during November in St. Patrick's Cemetery at 3.00 p.m. All welcome.

MARY'S MEALS APPEAL: Mary's Meals is a global organisation feeding almost two and a half million children by providing one meal a day in their school. Volunteers from Mary's Meals will speak at all Masses next weekend.

HORSE & JOCKEY SINGERS: Present their **ANNUAL VARIETY CONCERT** on Friday & Saturday, Dec. 1st & 2nd @ 8.00 p.m., Derrynaflan Theatre, Horse & Jockey. Donations to Oesophageal Cancer Fund & Cashel Day Care Centre. Infor from Connie @ 087 6667988

TEAM HOPE SHOE BOX APPEAL THURLES CENTRE: need your help. We need items in the following categories WASH - soap toothpaste, WEAR – small items of clothing,

WRITE - pencils copybooks and WOW - small teddies or jellies. Drop off point, Lions Tyre Centre by November 21st.

TEMPLEMORE PARISH FOLKGROUP: Charity Christmas Concert on Dec 10th @ 7.30pm in the Sacred Heart Church. Special guests Derek Ryan (Baritone) & Ryan Morgan (Tenor). Charities this year are Irish Kidney Association, Milford Hospice & North Tipp Hospice. Tickets: €25. Tickets are now on sale in Templemore Parish office or from any member of the Folk Group.

CBS SECONDARY SCHOOL PARENTS COUNCIL FUNDRAISING TABLE QUIZ: Thursday 23rd November in the School Assembly Hall. €20 per table of 4. Raffle and Refreshments on the night. We would be very grateful for your support. Thank you.

CATHEDRAL OF THE ASSUMPTION "RAISE THE ROOF" LOTTO INITIATIVE

Weekly Lotto Draw Results November 16th: Winning Numbers: 3; 10; 14; 25.

The jackpot was not won this week.

Cash Prize of €50.00 to the weekly lucky winner – Alice Ryan, Thurles

Next Draw: November 23rd. Jackpot: €6,725.00.

We continue our 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. **The estimated cost of the proposed construction works will be €1,725,000.**

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**

You can now join with a cash payment - to do so, call into the Parish Office. Encourage family members and friends living at home or away to join our Lotto. Please encourage members and friends at home or away, neighbours, work colleagues or employees to join. Alternatively, you can make a donation to the fund if you do not wish to join our Parish Lotto.

Please continue supporting our fundraising initiatives including concerts, etc. *We look forward to your continued support, which is always so gratefully received and never taken for granted.*

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY:

'Raise the Roof' Concert with Cathedral Choir, Clonmel Concert Band and Special Guests **Sunday December 3rd, 7.30 p.m.** in the Cathedral. No booking required – Donations gratefully received on the night.

LEUGH NS TIMBER /FUEL AUCTION: Sat. Dec. 2nd @ 1.00 p.m. in the school car park. information from the school office 0504 23111.

ANAM CARA TIPPERARY: Monthly Parent Evening for bereaved parents on Monday, Nov. 20th at 7.15 p.m. in the Horse and Jockey Hotel. Free event 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. For more information contact us on info@anamcara.ie or 085 288 8888.

THURLES LIBRARY: Lecture **'Remember me: A Social and Cultural History of Memorial Cards'** by Dr. Salvador Ryan in The Source on Tuesday 21st November at 7.00 p.m.

NEWLY BAPTISED: *Abby Ellen Morgan Naas. *Isabelle Ruby O'Neill, Sli n Siuire.

RECENTLY DECEASED: †Catherine (Kathleen) Purcell née Kealy, Clongour. †Sarah (Sadie) Scally, née Madden, Cabragh, formerly Lisatunny, Nenagh. †Eileen Coman, née Sause, Coldfields, Two-Mile-Borris. †Michelle Ryan, Newtown, Holycross. †Geraldine Ryan née McCoole, Powerstown, Clonmel, formerly Thurles. †Kitty Harte, Skibbereen, Co Cork. †Delia Finn, London, formerly Ikerrin Road.

May They Rest in Peace.

RELAUNCH OF THURLES ECO-SPIRITUALITY GROUP: Thursday 23rd November @ 8pm in the Parish Centre.

"Laudato Si, mi Signore" – "Praise be to you, my Lord, through our sister, Mother Earth."
With these words from St. Francis of Assisi Pope Francis opened his Encyclical Letter on the "Care for our Common Home". In it Pope Francis reminds us that the Earth is God's greatest gift to us, the gift of life itself, a gift which God entrusts into our care as stewards of his creation. However, the Earth now cries out to us because of the harm we have inflicted on her. *Laudato Si* is the Pope's call to all of us to begin an "ecological conversion" to protect and repair God's greatest gift to us. The Eco-Spirituality Group aims to reflect on the Pope's call to us as Christians, and to provide leadership in our Parish Community in the area of ecological awareness and eco-justice. If this area is of interest to you, please come and join us on Thursday night next.